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Dear Student, Parent and Carer

This is to inform you that various end-of-year assessments will be taking place in lessons over the next few weeks. In normal school years this is a slightly more formal process and is concentrated into a single week of assessments, but this year we wish to keep the process as straightforward as possible due to the disruption students have faced. We are also mindful of students' wellbeing after a severely disjointed year.

As a result the assessments are spread across several weeks and some of them may have already begun. Assessments will all be conducted in normal subject lessons, so students should be told by their class teachers when they will be completing them.

Some assessments will be completed on computers (for various subjects, not just computing) and so students may be moving rooms at certain times. Their teachers will inform them of this in advance.

They will all be completed within the time of a one-hour lesson.

For students in Y7, who currently have an early finish to P3 (for lunch) and P5 (for end of the day), they should expect that they may be staying in lessons for the full hour at certain times to complete specific assessments. This will not affect their ability to get lunch from the dining hall or to catch the school buses if required.

Students should ask teachers what to be revising if they are unsure at any point.

I am sure our students will do their best as they do every day - I am privileged to visit many lessons in Y7 and Y8 and I am continually impressed by the attitude and quality of work in those lessons.

Yours faithfully

Mr N Jones Deputy Headteacher









