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Dear Parents / Carers,

Preparation for Pre Public exams (Mocks) in January 2022.

BCHS are working hard to help you support your child over the next few months. The exam season is looming and we need to ensure you are aware of what your child needs to do and when they need to do it, so that you can help them to get organised.

The Pre-Public exams (Mocks) begin on Thursday 13th January and run until Friday 3rd February. Your child has been given a copy of the exam timetable, it has been posted on their Progress Time Google Classrooms and is available for you to view on the school website. They need to make a note of all of the exams that they will be sitting.

We want all of our students to do their very best; we understand this can be a very stressful time both for students and their families. All the staff at BCHS are here to help and support your child as much as possible so that they are ready for their exams.

I have high expectations of all of our students and I want them to do their best. At BCHS we want to work in partnership with parents / carers to provide all the help and support needed. There is a booklet available on our website with guidance for parents, I hope you find the information in this booklet useful. Please see Parents and Student section under examinations, 'Launchpad to Success'.

Working at home as well as in school makes a big difference. Make sure your child is preparing for their exams at home. It is sometimes difficult, they may sometimes struggle and they may get tired but they can look for support from us, their friends and from their families. It will be worth it in the end and good preparation now will make a big difference. All students have been given guidance on how to revise and there is revision materials available online. They need to logon to Google and join the Google Classroom – yq7ug6c to access these materials.

GCSE Pod is also a very useful resource for students to use for revision, they all have a login and can access this at home. If there are any issues with their login details they need to some to see me.

There is now an email revision helpline available for students to gain help / advice when they are not in school. Emails will be replied to within 24 hours, even during the weekends and school holidays. The email address is revisionhelp@bchs.co.uk please feel free to use the helpline yourselves.

We don't want our students to have any regrets when they get their results in the summer. Effort now will mean success and the results they deserve.

Aspire and achieve

If you have any queries please don't hesitate to contact me in school.

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Yours sincerely

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