



# KINGSDALE 11-19 FOUNDATION SCHOOL

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Headteacher: Mr. S. H. Morrison

12th February 2021

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)/Carers(s),

## Re: Year 11 Recovery Curriculum Provision & March 2021 Assessment Arrangements

I hope that this letter finds all families well at this unusual, uncertain and challenging time for us all. I am writing to provide you with an update as to how we are preparing and supporting our Year 11 cohort as they undertake their final months of GCSE study at Kingsdale.

We appreciate that this is not an easy period for our students and particularly so for our Year 11 cohort, who continue to face uncertainty as to the final assessment arrangements in place for Summer 2021. At the time of writing, we are still awaiting the outcome of the recent national consultation which is due for publication by late February 2021. We will of course update you as soon as any details are confirmed.

Despite the continuing uncertainty, it remains highly likely that assessment decisions taken by subject teachers in and around May 2021, will form a key part of any final assessment outcome for our Year 11 cohort. As such, it is important for us to continue to prepare our students, not only to ensure they are able to achieve highly in any future internal assessments but also to assist them to continue to make up any progress lost as a result of previous national school closures and to properly ready them for post-16 study.

Consequently, commencing Monday 22nd 2021, Year 11 students will be undertaking a second set of Recovery Curriculum Assessments in all of the subjects they are currently studying. As with previous arrangements and to support wider student wellbeing, students will **only complete one paper lasting approximately one hour per subject** and shall be assessed **only on what they have covered as part of the Year 11 recovery programme since September 2020**. A full schedule outlining the dates and times of the GCSE assessments is attached to this letter along with detailed revision guidance to advise students on the **exact topics** that will be covered on each paper. In addition, teaching colleagues have been instructed to only set homework that specifically supports revision at this time and to allow students the require space to revise and prepare more generally. We are hopeful that these adjustments will make the process more manageable for students at this challenging time.

In the event that the main school remains closed to Year 11 students as part of the national response to the COVID-19 pandemic at the time of the assessments, we shall communicate alternative arrangements to students and parents as quickly as possible, including potential remote assessment options as required.

We hope that this information is useful in outlining our approach at this time. Should you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact a Head of Learning via [year11hol@kingsdale.southwark.sch.uk](mailto:year11hol@kingsdale.southwark.sch.uk) or [remotelearning@kingsdale.southwark.sch.uk](mailto:remotelearning@kingsdale.southwark.sch.uk)

Yours sincerely,

*S Chaudhary*

Mrs Sarika Chaudhary



## March 2021 Recovery Curriculum Assessment Schedule

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### Week 1

Time	Mon 22 March	Tue 23 March	Wed 24 March	Thu 25 March	Fri 26 March
8:45-10:00	GCSE Maths	GCSE English Language	GCSE Science/ Chemistry	GCSE Language	GCSE Geography
10:00-10:20	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time
10:30-10:45	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
10:45-12:00	A Level Maths	A Level Eng Lit	A Level Chemistry	A Level Language	A Level Geography
12:00-12:20	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time
	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00-2:15	GCSE Science/Biology	GCSE Business/ Economics	GCSE English Literature	GCSE History	GCSE PE
2:15-2:35	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time
2:35-2:45	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
2:45-4:00	A Level Biology	A Level Further Maths	A Level Film/ Gov & Pol	A Level History	A Level PE/ Philosophy
4:00-4:20	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time

### Week 2

Time	Mon 29 March	Tue 30 March	Wed 31 March	Thu 1 April
8:45-10:00	GCSE Physics	GCSE Psychology	GCSE Sociology	GCSE Food/ Technology
10:00-10:20	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time
10:30-10:45	Break	Break	Break	Break
10:45-12:00	A Level Physics	A Level Psychology	A Level Sociology	
12:00-12:20	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	
	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00-2:15	GCSE computer Studies	GCSE Drama	GCSE Economics	
2:15-2:35	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	
2:35-2:45	Break	Break	Break	Break
2:45-4:00	A Level Computer Studies	A Level Drama	A Level Economics	
4:00-4:20	Extra Time	Extra Time	Extra Time	