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Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to you as we prepare for the end of year assessments for all students in Years 7 to 10. As you will be aware, our Year 11s are in the full flow of their GCSE exams and working hard to ensure their best chances of success and now the attention turns to those in preparatory year groups.

The exam timetables have been added at the end of this letter and show when core subjects will be examined. These assessments will take place in lesson time during the examination period, which runs from  $10^{\text{th}}$  June –  $20^{\text{th}}$  June. For our students in year 10 several exams have been timetabled into the exam hall to provide full GCSE experience in preparation for next year.

All assessments will be conducted under exam conditions, meaning that watches may not be worn, and mobile phones must not be present in the exam, either of these will lead to a disqualification and we ask that you support your child in meeting these expectations and consider leaving phones at home in this period.

Exams form a significant and influential part of a student's development journey, and the outcomes will help pave the way to a successful future. In order to support your child in achieving their best please do consider the content of this letter and make use of some of the information and support provided.

Should you have any enquiries about the examinations, please do make contact with your child's tutor in the first instance.

Yours sincerely

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### How much revision should my child do?

It is commonly considered that a **little, often** approach is the best, while some children prefer to do extended sessions. Putting a little time aside each day and planning which subject to tackle is the best approach to ensure even coverage and preparation.

#### How can I support Revision?

While we would like all students to be self-motivated, we all know how challenging the process of revision can be, not least when there are other distractions at hand.

Having a simple calendar that is shared between you helps to keep things on track and makes it easier to mark out a time when other devices and distractions are off to get the most out of a revision session.

Sometimes tricky concepts need revisiting and working through problems together using the online resources or knowledge organisers can be a huge support. Solving these challenges and learning together helps to teach children additional skills in resilience and initiative that will become lifelong assets.

#### Where can I find Revision Materials and extra support?

Every student at Morton is provided with Knowledge Organisers which contain the core knowledge for all subjects. These are an excellent starting point for revision and preparation for the tests.

Many subjects are also making use of online resource using Teams, Seneca and Satchel One etc to give students the best chance of success. These can all be accessed using your child's school login:

www.corbettmaths.com

Sparx Maths - Home

Seneca - Learn 2x Faster (senecalearning.com)

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

Home - United Curriculum (unitedlearning.org.uk)

Oak National Academy Online Classroom (thenational.academy)

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## **Exam Timetables – All Years**

Key Stage 3 – Please note Geography, Computing Music Drama, Art will be examined during the normal timetabled lessons and may not be detailed on these calendars

YR7	10/6/24	11/6/24	12/6/24	13/6/24	14/6/24	17/6/24	18/6/24	19/6/24	20/6/24	21/6/24
P1	7C Biology	7B 7D 7E Spanish 7C BPE 7A - English(R.)		7D Biology	7C Spanish	7X1 History 7F	7A Spanish	7A Physics 7B Physics 7Y1 History	7Y2 History	7F Spanish
P2	7X Maths Paper1 7F Biology	7Y Maths Paper1 7B Biology 7C English (R.)	7A+B+C English (W) 7D English (R.)	7A Biology 7B Chemistry 7E+F English (R.)	7X2 History 7E+F English (W)	7Y4 History	7X Maths Paper2	7F Physics	7C Physics	7D BPE
P3	7B English (R.)	7C/7F Chemistry 7E BPE		7D Chemistry 7E Biology 7X4 /7X3 History	7Y Maths Paper2 7C Physics	7D English (W)	7A Chemistry 7D Physcis 7E Chem 7Y3 History	7E Physics		8C Spanish

YR8	10/6/24	11/6/24	12/6/24	13/6/24	14/6/24	17/6/24	18/6/24	19/6/24	20/6/24	21/6/24
P1	8A Spanish		8C/8E Chemistry 8F English (W)	8X Maths Paper1 8D/8E Chemistry	8A History	8B Spanish 8D Physics		8Y Maths Paper2		8B History 8C History
P2	8F Biology 8D BPE 8E - English (R.)	8D+F History 8C Biology 8E - English (W)	8A/8B Biology	8F and B BPE	8B English (W)	8D 8E Spanish	8F Spanish 8E BPE	8X Maths Paper1		
РЗ	8D/8E Biology 8A+B - English (R.)	8Y Maths Paper1 8A+C - English Writing	8C+D English - Reading	8C Physics	8E Physics 8B Chemistry 8F English	8A Chemistry 8F Physics	8A Chemistry 8B Physics			8A Physics 8E History

YR9	10/6/24	11/6/24	12/6/24	13/6/24	14/6/24	17/6/24	18/6/24	19/6/24	20/6/24	21/6/24
P1	9D Biology	9X Maths Paper 1	9y/En2+3+4 - English (W) 9y/En1 - English (R.)	9B Physics	9D Chemistry 9x/En1+2+3 - English	9X Maths Paper2 9E Biology 9D Physics	9F Chemistry	9E Spanish 9Y Maths Paper2 9F Physics	9E Physics	9D Spanish
P2	9B BPE 9y/En3 - English (R.)	9Y Maths Paper1 9A/9B Biology	9E BPE	9x/En1+2+3 - English (R.)	9B Spanish 9A Physics 9F History	9C Chemistry	9A Spanish		9C Physics	9F Spanish
P3	9A BPE	9C/9F Biology	9A/9B Chemistry	9Y/En1+4 - English	9E History / 9C History	9C Spanish		9E Chemistry 9A History/ 9B History		9D History



# <u>Year 10</u>

YR10	10/6/24	11/6/24	12/6/24	13/6/24	14/6/24	17/6/24	18/6/24	19/6/24	20/6/24	21/6/24
P1			Geog	History		Sport		Spanish	Religious Studies Paper 1	
P2	Computing 1 RE	Spanish	Maths 1	Food	Chemistry	Physics	English Lit	Maths 2		0 Mile Walk
P3		English Lang		Biology	Computing 2 (in the classroom)					20