

September 2024

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

As you will be aware, your child, as part of the Year 11 cohort of our Hospitality & Catering course, will be embarking on their FINAL Non-Examined Assessment (NEA) work during their lessons from September-October 2024. We do have several contingency dates fixed for immediately after the October half-term break to account for any missed sessions.

I am writing to remind you of the important exam months ahead, much of which will take place in lessons and holds a weighting towards the pupils' FINAL GCSE grade of 60%. Please note, that specific dates are to be allocated for the practical component and all information will be shared via Satchel One. Crucially, this aspect of the course **cannot** be resat.

The exam paper (external component) is worth **40%**

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set criteria within a 9-hour time frame, under strict exam cond  
present their evidence of a chosen menu with justification. The p  
within a set time frame of three-hours. The menu must contain t  
are optional if they need to upskill).

During the 9-hour element of the assessment, pupils must work **independently** using their gained knowledge for the first 2 hours. They are only allowed a specific knowledge source e.g. generic resources, no modelled answers/resources, in line with the WJEC/JCQ requirements for the last 7 hours. Teacher guidance is **not** permitted **at all** once the final brief/scenario has been given to the pupils.

I am aware of the KS4 workload and balancing all subject demands. If a pd". We  
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est grading outcome.