The Sutton Academy

Together Students Achieve

Principal: Mr P Willerton

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Dear Parent/Carer

This half-term your child will be sitting assessments to inform Tracking-1 for this academic year. These will take place week commencing Monday 20 October, and will be held during lesson time. Subject teachers will inform students of when these will be taking place.

The purpose of these assessments is to inform Tracking-1 and identify any gaps in knowledge or misconceptions your child may have, so that these can be addressed. For those subjects where students are grouped based on ability, these assessments will also be used to ensure your child is in the appropriate class.

We expect all students to prepare for these assessments so that they are a positive experience. This week, your child has been issued with a Tracking-1 Revision Booklet, which contains all of the information they need to do well. This booklet contains revision lists for each subject, along with associated resources and tasks. If your child misplaces their booklet, they will be able to access this electronically on the academy website using the link below:

https://www.thesuttonacademy.org.uk/revision-booklets

It is also important to note, that all home learning tasks set in the lead up to assessments are revision-based tasks, so it is important that your child completes all home learning tasks promptly.

All students in Year 7 are eligible to be nominated for the **Revision Revolution** challenge. If they provide examples of independent revision, they will receive a nomination. They will be awarded 10+ Achievement Points on ClassCharts. The high value tariff attached to this reward reflects the value we place on revision and independent learning at the academy. Within each year group, there will be a voucher awarded to the student who has received the most nominations.

We are proud of the work we do at the academy to support students during their assessments and hope that we can work in strong partnership with parents/carers to secure the very best outcomes for your child.
If you have any further questions about the upcoming assessments, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours faithfully

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