

June 2023

Year 7 Cycle 3 Assessments

Dear Families,

To support with your child's revision, Heads of Department have summarised some revision strategies and materials they might find useful in preparation. It is important that all students are working hard for their Cycle 3 Assessments, which will give an indication of how students are performing.

There will only be one opportunity for students to sit the exam as these are aligned with the rest of Dixons Academies Trust at set dates and times. It is therefore vital that your child has 100% attendance over the coming weeks.

We will be upholding the Joint Council for Qualifications (JCQ) exam expectations throughout. These include:

- Silence at all times – no communication whatsoever in the exam room;
- Clear pencil cases only;
- No watches of any form, including analogue, digital or smartwatches.

Please find the revision materials on the back of this letter and do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. Results from the Cycle 3 assessments will be reported home before the Summer Holidays.

Yours sincerely,



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Cycle 3 Assessments
Year 7 Revision Resources

Subject	Date	Focus of Assessment	Revision resources or strategies
English	19.06.23	Reading (comprehension, language analysis, structure analysis and critical evaluation) Creative writing	Use 100% sheets to revise TEAS Revise grammar http://www.bristol.ac.uk/arts/exercises/grammar/grammar_tutorial/page_01.htm https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zn8tkmn/articles/zhwkkty
Maths	26.06.23 27.06.23	All topics covered in Y7	Use Revision topic list to attempt skills: https://www.sparxmaths.uk/ https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zqhs34j https://corbettmaths.com/contents/ Use revision booklet to complete skills which has targeted questions
Science	23.06.23	All topics covered in Y7	CGP Revision Guides Answering questions on Educake (online homework platform) Revision booklets given to students https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/z4kw2hv
Spanish	26.06.23	Listening, Reading and Writing – All topics covered in year 7	Use 100% sheets and revision booklets. BBC Bitesize KS3 https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z2nygk7
Geography	26.06.23	Geographical Introductions, Physical Earth, Human Earth	Complete remaining questions from revision sheet we have been learning from in class. Use 100% sheets to mind map the three units from this year – Geographical Introductions, Physical Earth and Human Earth.
History	20.06.23	Medieval World: - Contenders in 1066 - Battles of 1066 - Castles & Domesday - Medieval Church - Black Death and effects	Students have their 100% sheets in the back of their Medieval World booklets. They should use these along with the lesson content in their booklets in order to revise by creating flashcards for quizzing with family, making notes and creating detailed mind maps