



# Thornhill Academy

*Enriching Lives, Inspiring Ambitions*

Dear parent/ carer

8<sup>th</sup> April 2022

As we come to the end of another successful term, we would like to congratulate our Key Stage 3 students on their handwork and efforts especially as they have been working towards next round of formal assessments

In the 2 weeks after the Easter break, students will be assessed in all subjects. These assessments will take place during lesson time and class teachers will ensure that the date of this is clearly communicated to students. Teachers will also ensure that appropriate lesson time and homework time is used to support students' preparation.

This is an opportunity for students to show what they know, and information gathered from the assessments will be used by teachers to support planning and future learning. This information will also be communicated back to parents in the summer term to indicate the progress students are making based upon their prior attainment expectations.

Whilst we expect all students to engage in these assessments in the sensible and mature manner, we know they are capable of, we do not wish to put undue pressure on them. We ask that students follow the guidance and support from their teachers and aim to do their very best.

We look forward to communicating with you again in the summer term with students' updated progress reports.

Yours sincerely

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