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1. Be prepared to work hard.

5. Meet ALL deadlines

12. Keep your notes up to date.

15. Use TEAMS, Bite size and the other sites recommended to you for background reading and to test your understanding.

2. Aim high – don't underestimate yourself

13. Don't waste time struggling—ask your teacher if you're unsure about anything.

3. Check your notes are up to date... do something about it if you miss notes!

14. Make summary notes at the end of each topic to help you identify the key points while they are fresh in your mind and to help focus your revision.

24. Revise for your mocks ... take them seriously

4. Have a list of deadlines in your journal and on the fridge, along with your timetable...and check them regularly.

6. Take the correct equipment to all your lessons.

20. Make and stick to a revision timetable for your mock/trial exams.

25. Check your exam entries and note the dates of the exams in your journal and on your timetable at home.

7. Write ALL homework in your journal.

8. Make the most of opportunities to learn

21. Work hard in all your lessons, not just those you like!

22. Read the staff feedback carefully and respond positively to the guidance given.

26. Read and use the Revision Guide to help you to organise your revision.

9. Be punctual to all your lessons....100%

BONUS: Think about what you want to achieve at the end of next year and whether you are working to get this or undermining your success!

27. Do a revision timetable for your mocks exams....include school based sessions as well as your own revision. This is especially important if you find revision for a particular subject difficult.

10. Make sure your attendance doesn't fall below 96%....if you're not in the lesson then you're missing out on the learning!

38. Do past papers and exam questions...staff will be happy to go through these for/with you.

11. Highlight key words in your notes and add extra explanations, etc. to help you remember details when you come to revise.

16. Discuss what you need to know with your teachers

28. Go through your mock papers to see where you need to improve and which areas you are more confident with.

23. Do homework when it is set and hand it in on time.

19. Ask your teachers about anything you aren't sure about before the Christmas holidays so your mock exam preparation is meaningful.

35. Attend intervention sessions

29. See staff about your mock results and talk through any problems which arose.

17. Make the most of every opportunity to learn, in and out of the classroom.

31. Work to your targets.... Settle for nothing less.

18. Concentrate on what you need to do and don't listen to other people who say it doesn't matter or they aren't working.

30. Never give up... even when it's tough

32. Have fun so you have balance in your life.

33. Talk to people around you about what you are doing. They care.

34. Look after yourself: eat, sleep and laugh

36. Work hard!