

19th November 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of your child's academic studies, we measure their progress and performance through assessments. These assessments are standardised across the Delta Trust. Every student across the Trust has been following the same curriculum and will sit the same assessment. This allows us to compare performance against thousands of students, but most importantly it allows us to identify the strengths and weaknesses of our students. This means that we can then help improve progress and outcomes. Over the coming weeks, your child will be preparing for these assessments in their timetabled lessons.

Key Stage 3: Y7-9 assessments

In Y7-9, students will complete their assessments in their usual teaching classroom. They will complete assessments in the following subjects: English, Maths, Science, Geography, History, Spanish and Computing. The assessments window will begin on Tuesday 2nd December and end on Friday 19th December. The results of these assessments will be included in your child's academic progress report which will be sent out via the MCAS app towards the end of January.

Key Stage 4: Y10 assessments

Students in Y10 will complete a 1-hour Maths assessment on Thursday 4th December. This will be completed in the exam hall and exam access arrangement rooms. They will also complete an assessment in Spanish within their timetabled lesson. The results of these assessments will be given to students to help prepare them for their future trial exams. They will also be used to help predict your child's GCSE grade. This will be included in your child's academic progress report which will be sent to you towards the end of January.

Our Y10 students will complete further trial exams in March and then June as they will have covered more GCSE content by this point. More details will be sent to you about these Y10 trial exams in the new year.

If you have any questions regarding the assessments that your child will sit, please feel free to contact us.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Philliskirk'.

Mr J Philliskirk
Associate Vice Principal
Filey Academy