



COVID UPDATE for Year 11 **Changes to the Preliminary HSC Examinations**

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Dear Year 11 Students and Parents/Carers

I hope you are all well and staying safe. At this time, I would like to stress how proud your teachers are of the way in which you have embraced remote learning and continue to engage with all your Year 11 course work. You are setting a wonderful example for the rest of the school. Keep focused and keep working hard.

I know most of you have been thinking about your Yearly Prelim Exams scheduled for Weeks 9 and 10. You may be aware the Year 12 Trial Examinations are now being completed remotely. This decision was announced by the NSW Government last week.

In the light of that decision, the school has decided to change your Yearly Preliminary Exams to a task you will submit online. Your teachers are currently meeting to decide whether that may be in the form of an online exam; open book test; submitted project or assessment task. These will be due during Weeks 9 and 10. Once we have more information about each exam/task, and when you will need to complete/submit them, we will be letting you know.

The most important thing is that you continue to work hard to complete all your class work and develop your knowledge, skills and understanding of your courses to gain the best possible results for your Preliminary HSC. This will be the best way to thoroughly prepare for your Year 12 work which will start in Term 4.

Please stay tuned and check Sentral, your email and Facebook for more information.

Take care and stay safe.

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