

SACKVILLE SCHOOL



#TEAMYEAR11

Year 11 Updates

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Dear Sackville Families

Welcome to the first instalment of the Year 11 Newsletter. It has been fantastic to be going out and seeing Year 11 lessons, there is a lot of hard work going on, and students seem very focused.

In this edition, you will find attached the mock timetable and the information booklet for the 'Together We Achieve' programme. We are really excited to meet with families on Thursday 9 October for our Parent's Information Evening (4.30pm -7.00pm), which will provide key information for the year alongside workshops for our core subjects of English, maths and science. We will also have a session on study skills. Please book onto this event through the MCAS app.

In Assembly next week we are being to be exploring the Post 16 options with students. We will share details of this on our Year 11 Support Hub.

We are delighted to re-launch our Year 11 Support Hub, which has a wealth of resources for students to access. (*Access via the main school website, student intranet or use link on the side bar*) Here you will find:

- Together We Achieve
- Revision Timetable resources
- Exam Wellbeing Resources.

Please do not hesitate to contact me, should you have any questions! sellis2@sackvilleschool.org.uk or call 01342 410140 Ext 100.

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[LINK TO YEAR 11 SUPPORT HUB](#)



KEY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 9 October 2025 - Parent Information Evening
4.30pm - 7.00pm

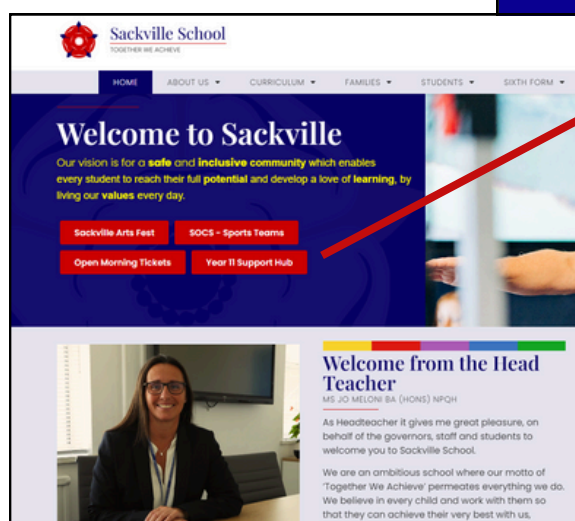
Thursday 6 November 2025 - Sixth Form Open Evening
5.30pm - 7.30pm

10 - 19 November 2025 - Year 11 Mock Exams
1 and 2 December 2025 - Photography Mock Exams
3 and 4 December 2025 - Art Mock Exam

Thursday 11 December 2025 - Year 11 Parent Consultation Evening
3.30pm - 6.30pm

Useful Links:

- [Mock Exam Timetable](#)
- [Autumn Term Revision/Intervention Timetable](#)
- [Year 11 Mock and Subject Support Booklet.](#)



Year 11 Support Hub

Welcome to the Year 11 Support Hub

This space is here to share information and links that will support students and parents. This will be the place to come to find resources and key documents to support everyone through the final year of KS4.

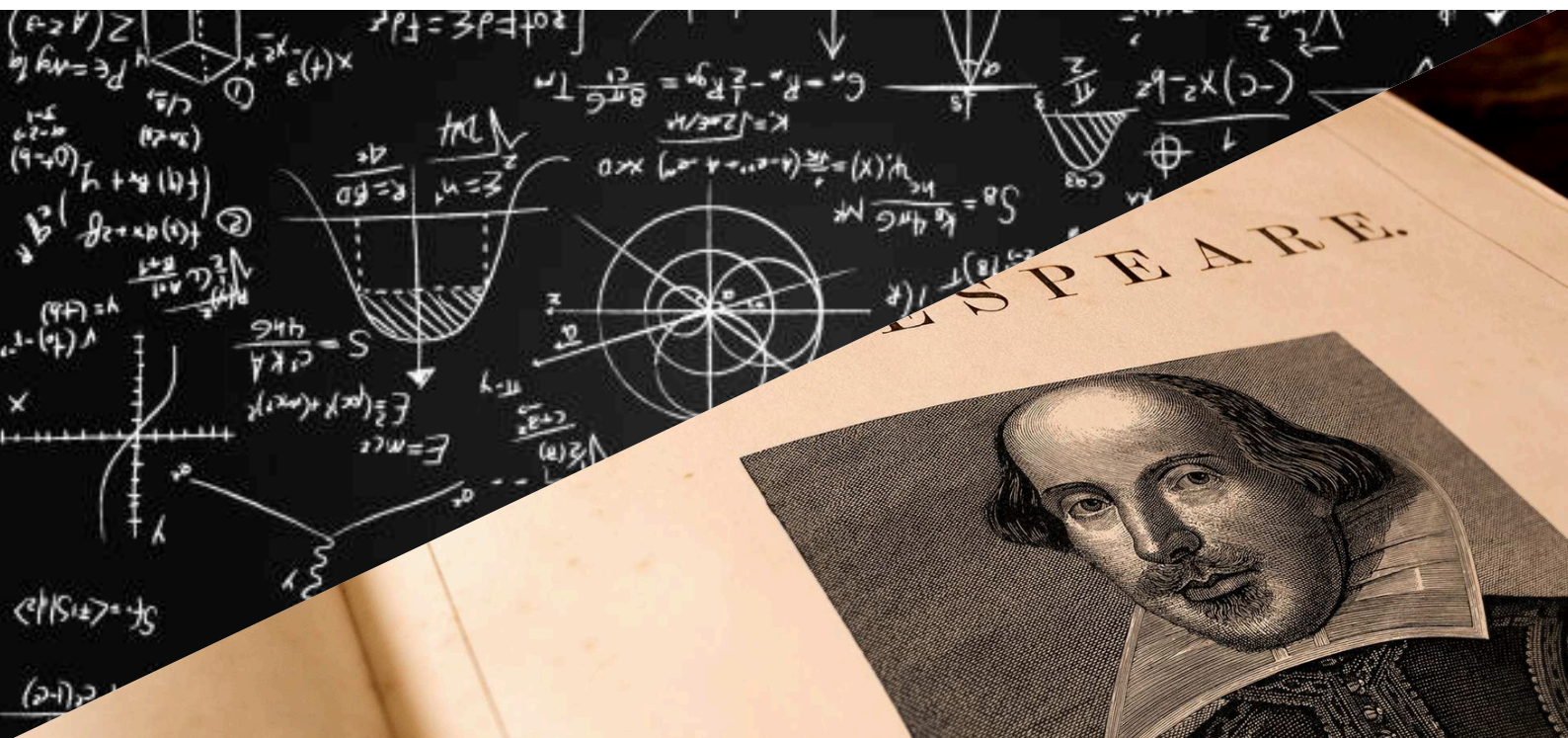
We hope that you will find the links and documents useful.

Key Support Documents

Year 11 Mock Timetable

Year 11 and Year 10 B&V- November 2025				
	8:35 - 10:55		11:30 - 13:25	
Monday 10	Option D History Geography PE Spanish German Business Food & Catering Biology	1 hour 45 mins 1 hour 30 mins 1 hour 15 mins 1 hour 30 mins 1 hour 30 mins 1 hour 45 mins 1 hour 30 mins 1 hour 45 mins	Maths 1 Foundation & higher	1 hour 30 mins
Tuesday 11	Option B		Chemistry	

Please see the Year 11 Support Hub (via the main school website or student intranet) for Year 11 wellbeing advice and resources.



English Exam Details

Mrs Grimes - Curriculum Leader of English

Year 11 mocks will be:

- Language Paper 2
- Literature Paper 2 - Lord of the Flies, power and conflict poetry and unseen poetry.

Students should start revising by re-reading the texts for literature and exploring the revision resources posted for them on Google Classroom by their class teacher.

English boost sessions for Year 11 are taking place every Wednesday at 3.00pm in D block.

Maths Exam Details

Mr Moodley - Curriculum Leader of Maths

Year 11 students will be sitting all three exam papers in the coming mock:

- Paper 1 - Non-calculator
- Paper 2 - Calculator
- Paper 3 - Calculator

To revise effectively for GCSE Maths, prioritize active learning by practicing past papers and targeted topic questions rather than just reading notes.

Create a realistic revision timetable with short, frequent study sessions to build understanding little and often.

Understand the mark scheme and learn how to write down clear, concise working for every step.

Students must focus on working through more problem solving and reasoning questions to a good understanding of how to answer these questions and what is expected from the mark scheme.

A really good website to visit is Maths Genie - <https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/>.



Science Exam - Revision Resource

Mr Blackmore- Curriculum Leader of Science

A revision resource has been purchased for your child to help them prepare for their two sets of mocks and final GCSE exam in Year 11.

The website is <https://www.my-gcse-science.com/login/>.

Their username for the website is their full school email (their normal school username with '@mysackville.co.uk' at the end) and everyone's password is set to 'twa'.

Please do not change the email or password as only the company has the facility to reset passwords.

This website contains video explanations specifically tailored to their AQA specification, includes extra videos for those students studying the separate (triple) science subjects, and more importantly providing low stakes multiple choice quizzes and more rigorous practice exam questions (with answers) for students to check their memory and understanding.

In order to access the videos, please click on the green DNA (Biology), the red molecule (Chemistry) or the blue atom (Physics) symbols at the top right of the website.

For mock 1, students will need to revise the topic sections listed below:

Biology	Chemistry	Physics
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Cell Biology2. Organisation3. Infection and response4. Bioenergetics.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Atomic structure2. Bonding3. Quantitative chemistry4. Chemical changes5. Energy changes.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Energy2. Electricity3. Particle model of matter6. Waves.



For mock 2, pupils will need to revise the topic sections listed below

Biology	Chemistry	Physics
1.Homeostasis and response 2.Inheritance, variation and evolution 3.Ecology.	1.Rate and extent of chemical change 2.Organic Chemistry 3.Chemical Analysis 4.Chemistry of the atmosphere 5.Using Resources.	1.Atomic structure 2.Forces 7. Magnetism and electromagnetism.

To support your child with their revision, you could:

- Re-test them using the multiple choice questions from videos they have completed previously
- Ask them to re-explain things they have made notes on during the video
- Time them for one minute per mark in exam conditions for the practise questions.

If you have any questions on this resource, please do get in touch with your child's science teacher and they will be able to help you.

Sixth Form Open Evening

Our Sixth Form Open Evening will take place on Thursday 6 November 5.30pm - 7.30pm.

This is a great opportunity to:

- Meet the Sixth Form team
- Explore the wide selection of subject choices we offer (both A level and vocational routes)
- Find out all about Sixth Form life at Sackville, including the fantastic enrichment and leadership opportunities that we offer
- Meet some of our student leaders and hear what makes our Sixth Form special
- Visit our dedicated Sixth Form spaces.

Our course prospectus for 2026 entry is now under construction and will be available on the school website before half term.

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