

# Cardinal Pole Catholic School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

## **Year 11 GCSE Mock Exam Report-December 2013**

Please find enclosed the GCSE Mock Exam report for your son/daughter.

This report provides you with information on current attainment in each GCSE subject. The raw Mock grade is the grade your son/daughter achieved in each of his/her GCSE Mock exams whereas the Holistic grade consists of the Mock exam grade and his/her current grade for GCSE Coursework or controlled assessments. Your son's/daughter's target GCSE grades in each subject are also shown. These are the GCSE grades he/she has the potential to achieve if he/she works to the best of his/her ability and he/she maintains a very good attendance rate. Statistics have shown a strong link between attendance/punctuality and examination success.

Your son/daughter will sit Linear GCSE exams meaning that most GCSE exams will be taken for the first time in May/June of 2014 at the end of the two year GCSE course.

We now ask if you could support your son/daughter by discussing the enclosed report and monitoring his/her progress, especially his/her work at home. A Parental feedback sheet has been enclosed for you to complete. Please give your completed feedback sheet to your son/daughter to return to his/her Form Tutor by Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2014.

An additional Parent's Evening will be organised for targeted pupils in the forthcoming half term. Assessment 3 for Year 11 will take place from 3<sup>rd</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> March 2014 and this will include a second "Mock" exam in some subjects for some pupils. Please contact your son's/daughter's Head of Learning (Mr O'Donoghue) if you need to discuss any issues relating to your son's/daughter's current progress at school.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Ms P. Whyte  
**Deputy Headteacher**

