



YSGOL MAESYDDERWEN

12th September, 2014.

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your child will be completing their Resistant Materials GCSE this year. This will entail an exam worth 40% and Controlled Assessments which make up the other 60% of the grade. As this year will be very busy for pupils in year 11 I have set deadlines which must be adhered to. Below is the timetable of when the pupils will be completing their Controlled Assessment Sheets. As these have to be done under supervision in a controlled area it is essential that your child is present on these dates. If there are any issues could you please let me know. The dates for the fourteen sheets are:

CAT sheet 1 – 16/9/14
CAT sheet 2 – 27/9/14
CAT sheet 3 – 7/10/14
CAT sheet 4 – 14/10/14
CAT sheet 5 – 24/10/14
CAT sheet 6 – 10/11/14
CAT sheet 7 – 18/11/14
CAT sheet 8 – 28/11/14
CAT sheet 9 – 8/12/14
CAT sheet 10 – 15/12/14
CAT sheet 11 – 9/1/15
CAT sheet 12 – 20/1/15
CAT sheet 13 – 3/3/15
CAT sheet 14 – 9/3/15

Your child will also be completing a practical piece that runs alongside the Controlled Assessment sheets and this will need to be started before Christmas and completed by 9/03/2015. If your child misses a CAT through illness, we will arrange for them to complete the work after school within the week to allow them to stay on track and not fall behind.

There will be after school sessions which will go over extra theory with the pupils which will be on a Wednesday Week B. The exam will be at the end of the year in June.

If your child is unable to meet any of these deadlines could you please let me know by contacting the school on 01639 842115.

Thank you very much for your cooperation.

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