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Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing to let you know that on Wednesday 5 July we will be setting Year 8 students an End of Year test, which will assess their understanding of the KS3 curriculum. The B-side will sit the test period 3 in their normal Science lesson and the A-side will sit the test period 5.

Students should begin their revision as soon as possible from their Key Stage 3 Revision Guides in preparation for the assessment. The assessment will include questions across Biology, Chemistry and Physics.

Students should be prepared for questions from the topics listed below. The relevant page numbers from the revision guide are also included.

*Biology*

- Aerobic and Anaerobic Respiration pg 65 -67
- Photosynthesis pg 61-64
- Digestion pg 30-32
- Health and Smoking pg 38-43
- Pollution pg 75-76

*Chemistry*

- Chemical Reactions pg 110-11
- Combustion pg 114, 148
- Acids and Alkali's pg 121-124
- Reactivity Series pg 138

*Physics*

- Magnetism pg 196-197
- Light Waves pg 183-184
- Sound Waves pg
- Electricity pg 191-195

The test results, taken in conjunction with the tests the students have taken throughout the year, will be used to set them into Year 9.

**Revision Guides**

Please could the students return their KS3 revision guide to their teachers on Wednesday 5 July? We will issue the students with a KS4 revision guide for next year only when this is returned.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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Director of Science