

Year 10 Reports Explained

In English, Maths, Sciences, Geography, History and Languages students will sit Mid-year assessments. These assessments will be done in normal lessons and, where possible, all the year group will complete them at the same time.

Student's results will be shared on their reports as well as the average score for the year group and the highest score in the year group.

For subjects that do not have common assessments, students' attainment will be reported as being **Excelling, In-line** or **Working Towards** when compared to the attainment of their cohort.

Subject	How attainment level is decided
Art	Student's attainment will be decided by how well they have participated with tasks, contributed to class discussions and their efforts with drawing assessments and general classwork.
Beliefs, Values & Traditions	Assessment judgements for Year 10 GCSE BVT will take into account the 2 end of unit tests we have completed: Christian Beliefs and Religion and Life. These marks will be added together for a score/grade which will be reflected in the student report. A Grade 3 and below (Working Towards), between 4 to 6 (In-Line), and 7 to 9 (Excelling).
Business Studies	This report is based on a range of formative and summative assessments completed in class, including a written assessment covering Edexcel Units 1.1 and 1.2. Evidence also includes performance in an online SmartRevise assessment testing knowledge and understanding of the same content. Ongoing classwork and assessment outcomes have been used to inform judgements on progress and attainment
DT; Textiles	Student's attainment will be decided by performance in the recent Mid-year assessment in addition to their classwork including practical work.
DT: Timbers	Student's attainment will be decided by performance in the recent Mid-year assessment in addition to their classwork including practical work.
Drama	This assessment is based on work since January, including in-class verbal contributions, small performances including Sylv's Monologue in a Brechtian style, and a naturalistic piece, and written work including 5 homework tasks
Computer Science	Assessment judgements for Year 10 GCSE Computer Science will take into account end of unit assessments across the topics that make up the GCSE along with a Mid-Year/End of Year Assessment covering questions from all units studied up until that point. These scores will be averaged to give a grade between 3 and below (Working Towards), between 4 to 6 (In-Line), and 7 to 9 (Excelling).
Hospitality & Catering	Student's attainment will be decided by performance in the recent Mid-year assessment in addition to their classwork including practical work.
Music	Students' attainment is based on three musical disciplines; Composition, Performance, Theory/Listening and Appraising.
GCSE PE	Assessment judgements for Year 10 GCSE will take into account topic tests completed in lesson for theoretical content that has been covered as part of the course so far as well as Mid-Year/End of Year Assessment covering questions from all units studied up until that point. Practical assessments completed in school will also be considered as part of the overall assessment.

In Terms 5 & 6 students will sit PPE or mock examinations in all subjects.