

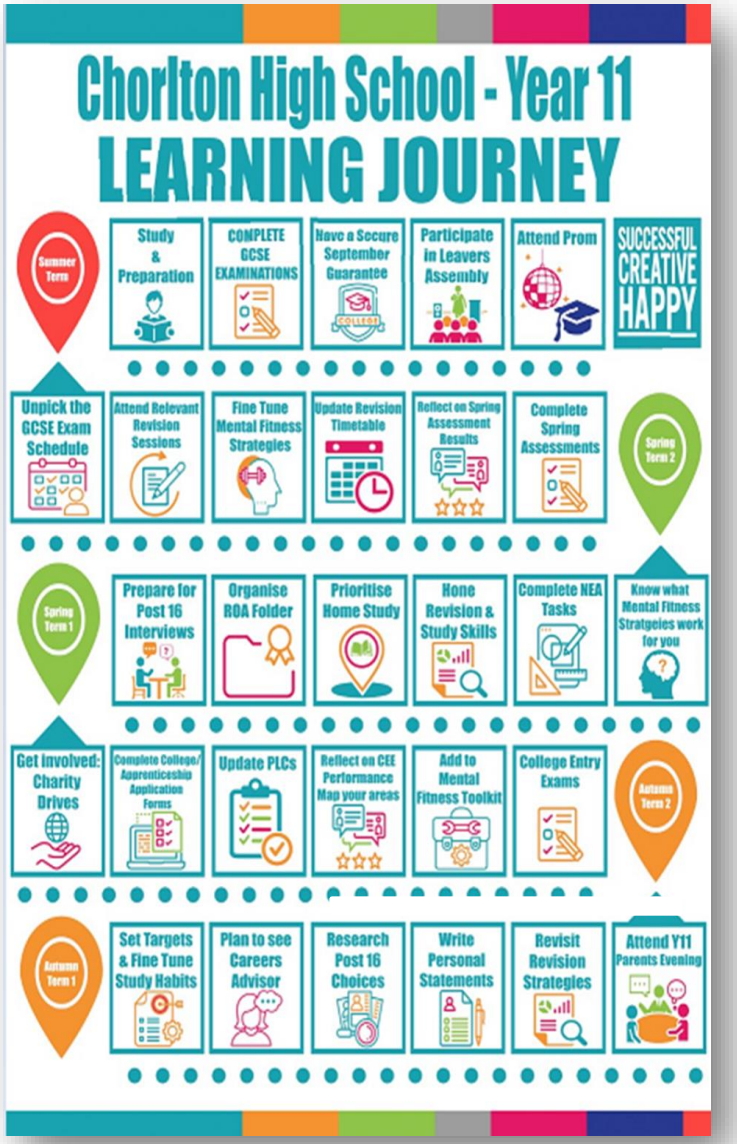
CHORLTON HIGH SCHOOL

POST-16 PATHWAYS EVENING

Thursday 1st October 2026

CAREERS
EDUCATION
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CHS Journey



- Careers programme
- Y10 Post 16 Eve
  Y10 Taster days
- Assembly Presentations
  Dates - Open events
- Monday Life skill lessons
- Form time sessions
- Career advisor
  interviews – Action Plan
- Personal statements
  School reference
- Drive Applications
- Prepare for interview

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Post 16 Routes

Key Stage 4	Key Stage 5	18+

GCSEs
Btecs

- Intermediate Apprenticeship (L2)
- Advanced Apprenticeship (L3)
- A levels (L3)
- Vocational Courses (L3 + L2)
  T levels (L3)
- Foundation/Entry Level courses (L1)
- Traineeships (L1)
- Job / Volunteering for 20 hours plus recognised training

→ Degree or Higher Level Apprenticeship

→ Degree at University

→ Employment

GRADES: We know that generally speaking:

GCSE entry grade requirements vary - competitive

English / Maths Level 4 – if not will have to study Post 16
For pure A level routes- Grade 5

Consider course content, assessment types and demands when choosing courses

Post 16 Routes

Currently there are 4 possible pathways:

Vocational courses

Industry related routes – linked to career fields

Assessment is mixture of coursework and final exams

A levels

Choose 3 subjects – can vary combinations based on interests, aspirations or intended careers.

Assessed through final exams

T levels

Mixture of class-based learning and 45 days or more of placements

Linked to career

Assessed through coursework and exams

Apprenticeships /Traineeships

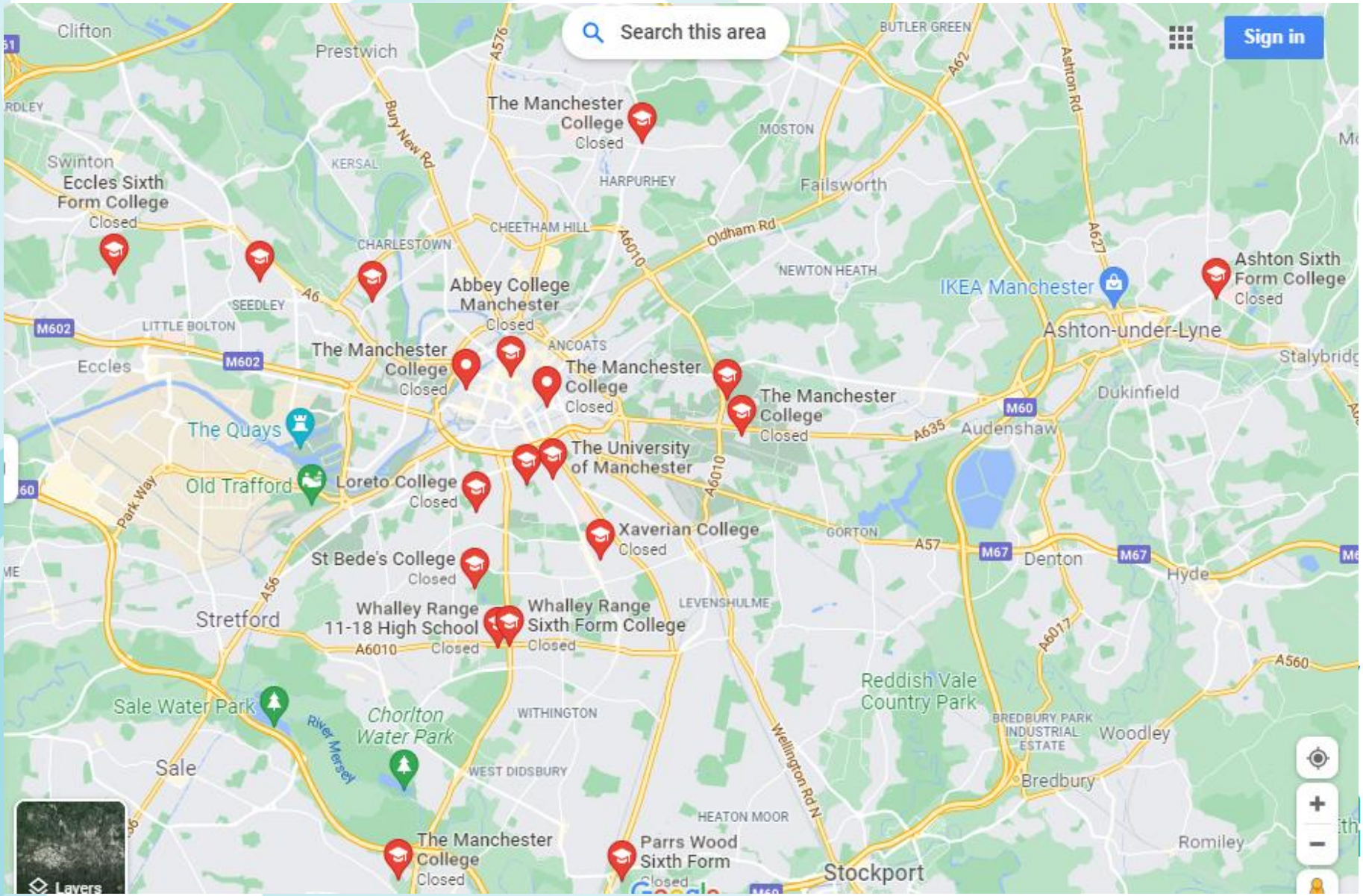
On the job training and learning

Paid as you work – same conditions

Assessed through course units

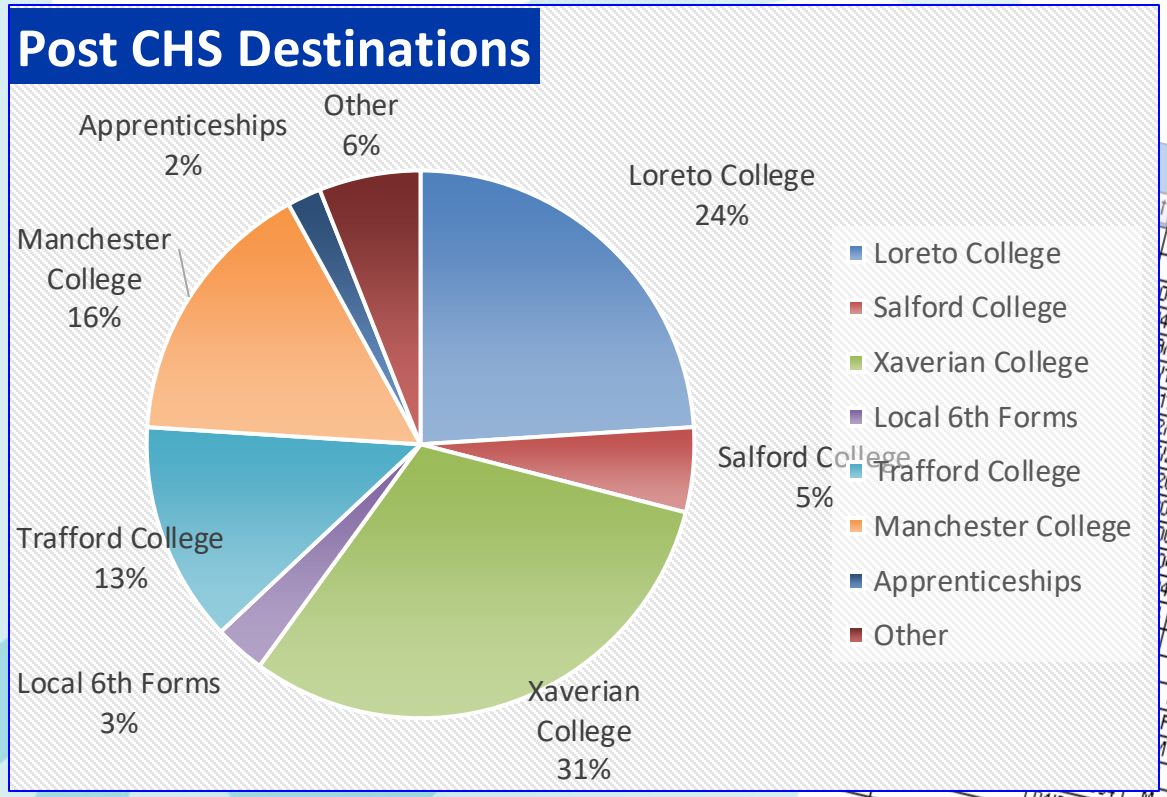
Blended routes
A levels and Vocational

Where to next ?



Class of 2026 – Where are they now?

Post CHS Destinations



Date_Of_Birth	Gender	Organisation	Start_Date	Qualification	
06/07/2004	F	Xaverian College	01/09/2020	Entry Level 3	
16/02/2004	M	Xaverian College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
06/03/2004	F	Xaverian College	01/09/2020	NVQ Level 3	
4/09/2003	M	Trafford College	01/09/2020	NVQ Level 2	
3/12/2003	F	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
10/2003	M	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
1/2003	M	Trinity CofE High School	01/09/2020	A Levels	
/2003	F	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
/2004	M	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
2003	M	The Manchester College - Northenden Campus	01/09/2020	Diploma Foundation	
004	F	Xaverian College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
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4	F	Loreto College	05/10/2020	A Levels	
4	M	The Manchester College - Northenden Campus	01/09/2020	NVQ Level 3	
	F	The Manchester College - Shena Simon	01/09/2020	Diploma Foundation	
	F	Loreto College	30/10/2020	A Levels	
	M	OUT OF AREA Living in Oldham	01/09/2020	NVQ Level 3	
	F	Salford City College - Eccles Campus	16/09/2020	BTEC National Diploma	
	F	Salford City College - City Campus	01/09/2020	A Levels	
	M	Xaverian College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
04/09/2003	M	Growth Company	07/09/2020	APPRENTICESHIP Level 1	
15/11/2003	M	Trafford College	01/09/2020	Diploma Advanced	
27/01/2004	M	Xaverian College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
15/06/2004	M	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
22/06/2004	F	Trafford College	01/09/2020	Diploma Higher	
02/12/2003	F	Trinity CofE High School	01/09/2020	A Levels	
29/03/2004	M	The Manchester College - Nicholls Campus	01/09/2020	Diploma Advanced	
12/02/2004	F	The Manchester College - Nicholls Campus	01/09/2020	NVQ Level 2	
01/01/2004	M	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	
17/11/2003	M	Loreto College	01/09/2020	A Levels	

Where to next ?

- TMC – The Manchester College
- Connell College
- Trafford College
- Xaverian College
- Loreto College
- Cheadle and Marple College
- Salford City College
- Stockport College (Trafford)
- Ashton College, Oldham College, Bury College, Bolton College, Tameside College

- Whalley Range HS
- William Hulme HS
- Trinity HS
- Parrs Wood HS
- Altrincham College
- St Bedes
- Stockport Grammar
- Didsbury High School

Open Days are important!
Get on the websites
BOOK IN



TIMELINE:

30th November – Mock Results morning

30th November – Release 'predicted grades'

Launch online application process – apply to 3 minimum

Colleges / 6th Forms will contact us

'Validate' grades

Share school reference
Attendance and Punctuality data
Effort / Application grade

College Entry Mock Exams

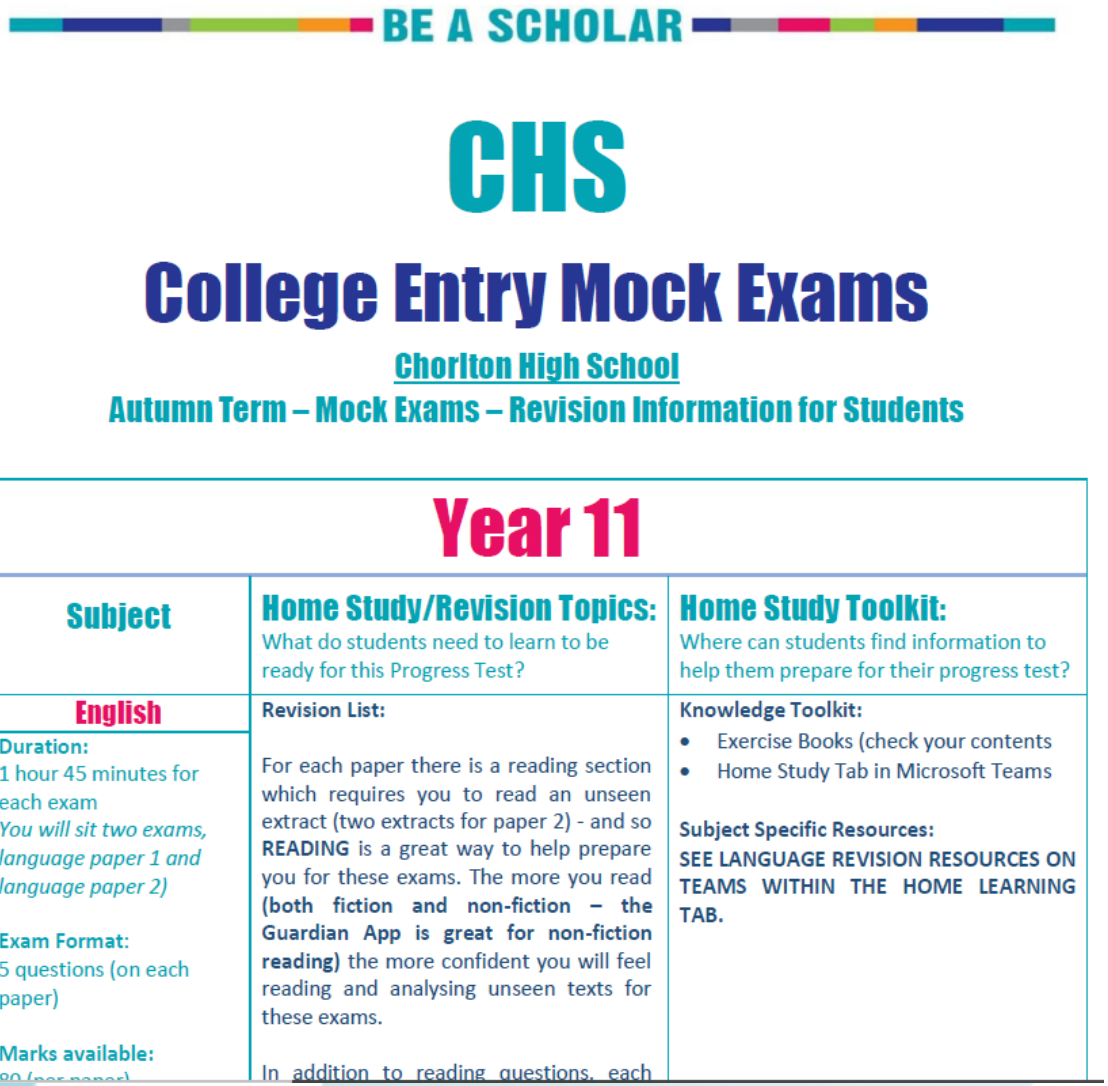
Start: **Monday 2nd November**
Finish: **Friday 13th November**

Students will sit assessments in all GCSE subjects and some BTECs

- THERE IS NO STUDY LEAVE
- We will prioritise Access Arrangements
- Exam Hall experience

- Allows our staff to assess performance and ensure that any personalised support packages are put in place
- Gives students a realistic understanding of the demands / practice exam techniques
- Feedback fortnight – Student understanding of areas to focus upon
- Mock Exam Results morning 30th November

Revision Habits – CEME



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College Entry Mock Exams

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Autumn Term – Mock Exams – Revision Information for Students

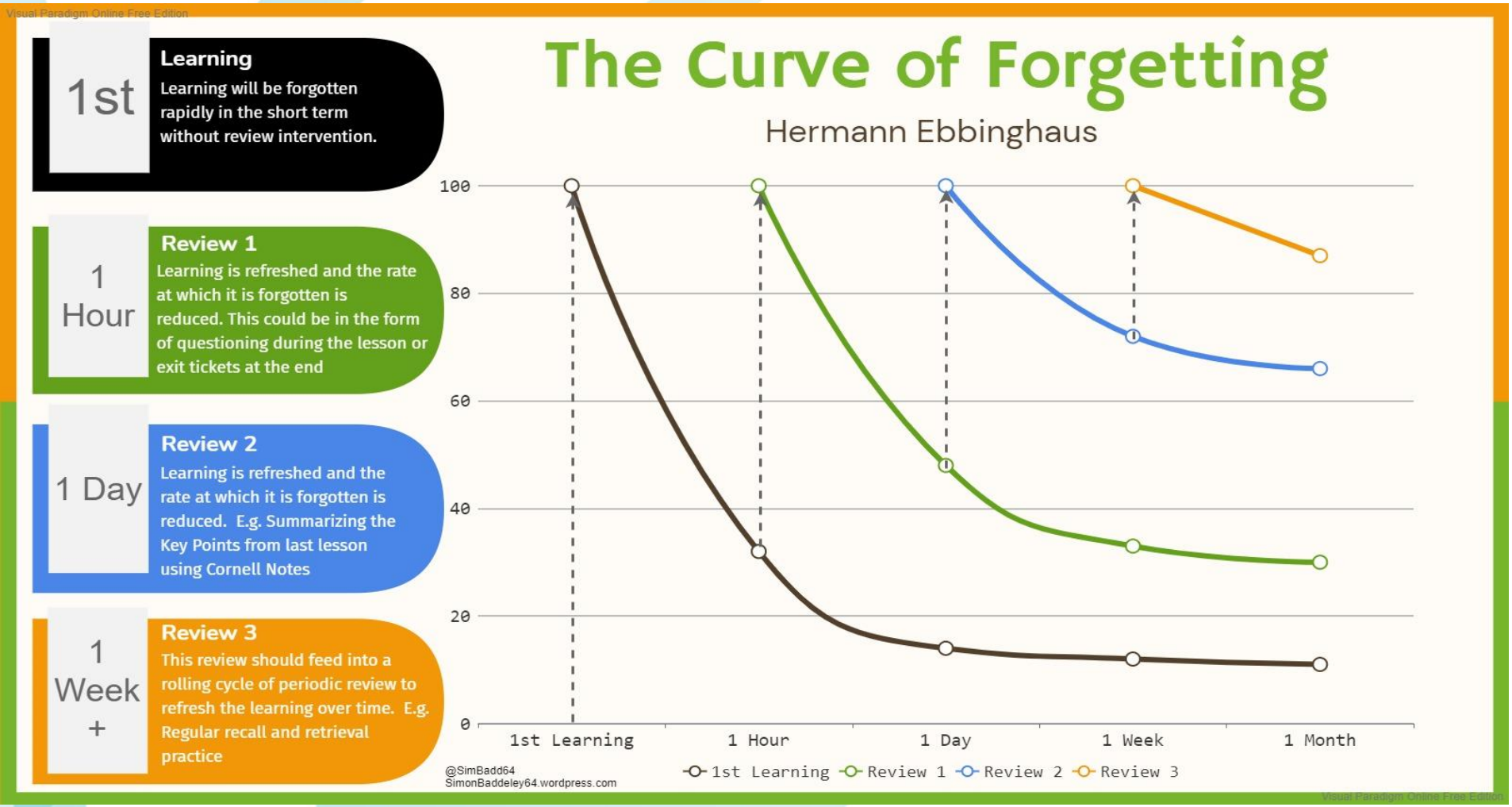
Year 11

Subject	Home Study/Revision Topics: What do students need to learn to be ready for this Progress Test?	Home Study Toolkit: Where can students find information to help them prepare for their progress test?
English **Duration:** 1 hour 45 minutes for each exam *You will sit two exams, language paper 1 and language paper 2)* **Exam Format:** 5 questions (on each paper) **Marks available:** 80 (per paper)	**Revision List:** For each paper there is a reading section which requires you to read an unseen extract (two extracts for paper 2) - and so **READING** is a great way to help prepare you for these exams. The more you read **(both fiction and non-fiction – the Guardian App is great for non-fiction reading)** the more confident you will feel reading and analysing unseen texts for these exams. In addition to reading questions, each	**Knowledge Toolkit:** • Exercise Books (check your contents • Home Study Tab in Microsoft Teams **Subject Specific Resources:** SEE LANGUAGE REVISION RESOURCES ON TEAMS WITHIN THE HOME LEARNING TAB.

- Prioritise topics
- Highlight areas to focus on (weaknesses)
- Tick off strengths
- Speak to expert teachers
- Active revision- Self TESTING, past papers, exam questions, cover & check, knowledge dumps

Revision – why it matters

We are Securing Future Aspirations **Year 11**



Revision timetable

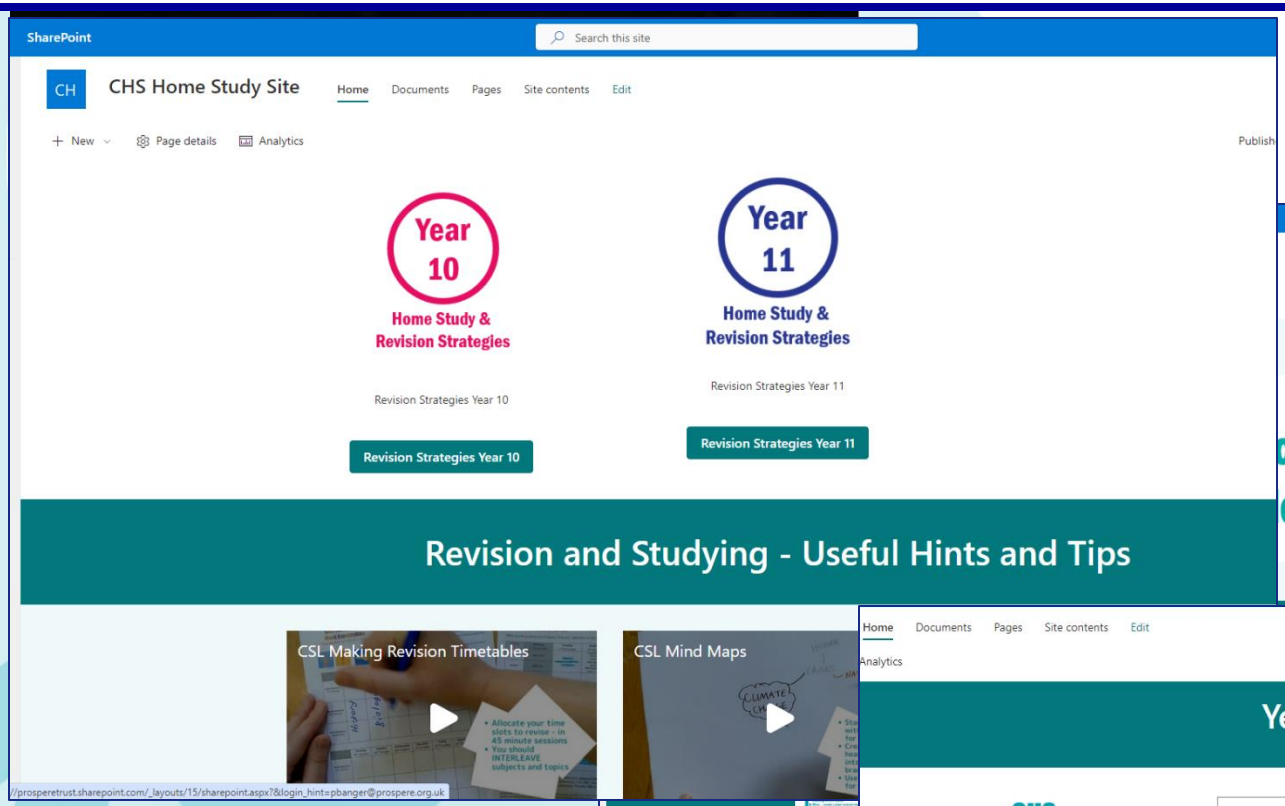
Week beginning: **CEME:**

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Before School	Subject					
	Topic					
After School	Subject					
	Topic					
Home Study Session 1	Subject					WELLBEING EVENING
	Topic					
Home Study Session 2	Subject					
	Topic					
Home Study Session 3	Subject					
	Topic					

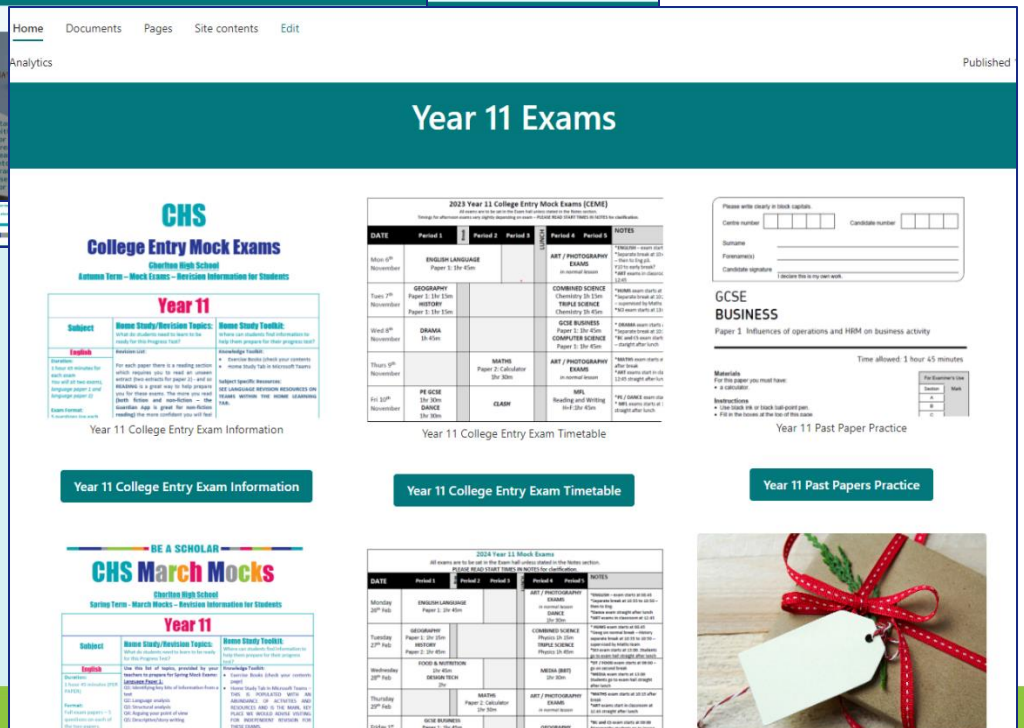
Deep Revision

	SATURDAY
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2	
3	
	SUNDAY
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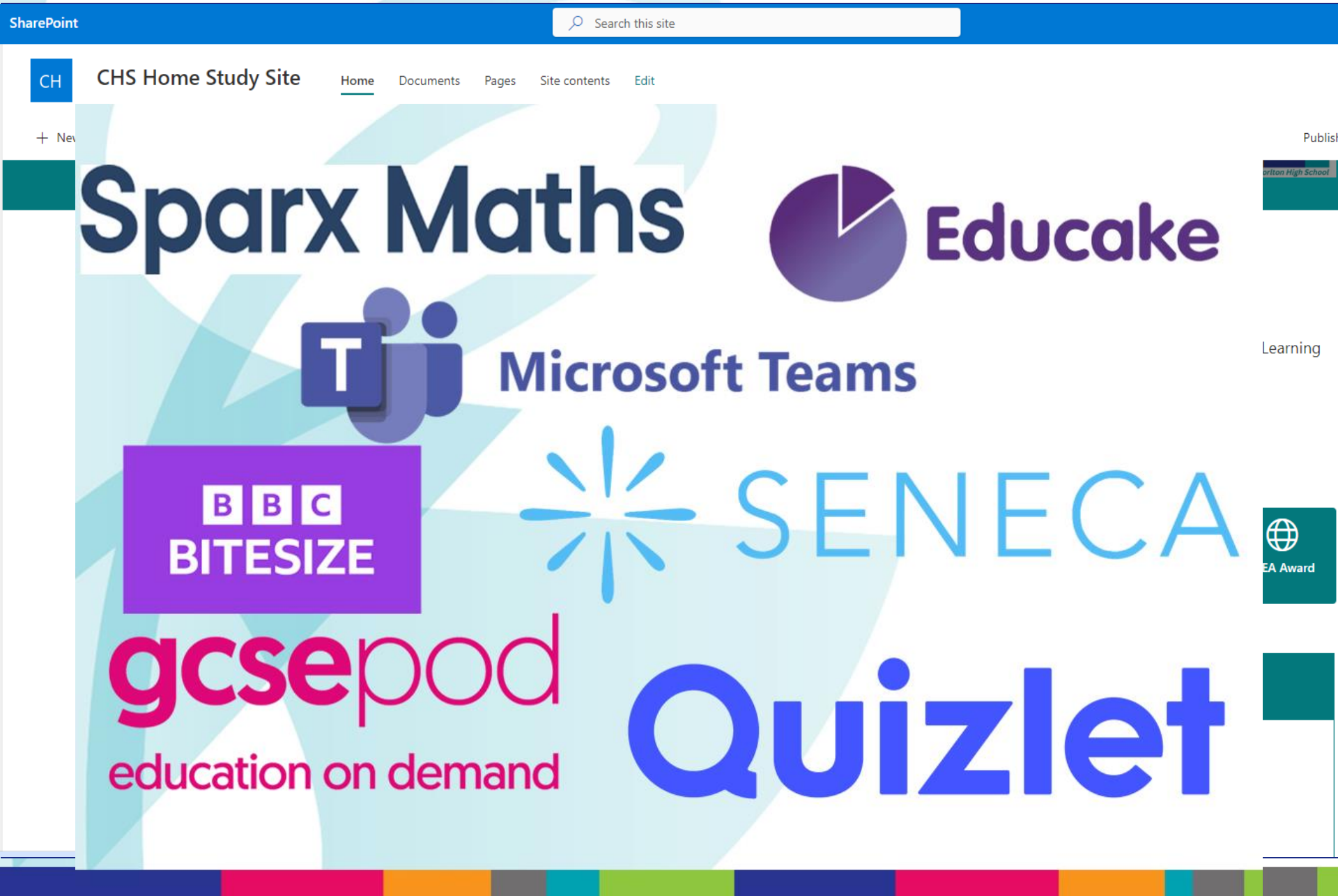
Revision Support







Revision Resources

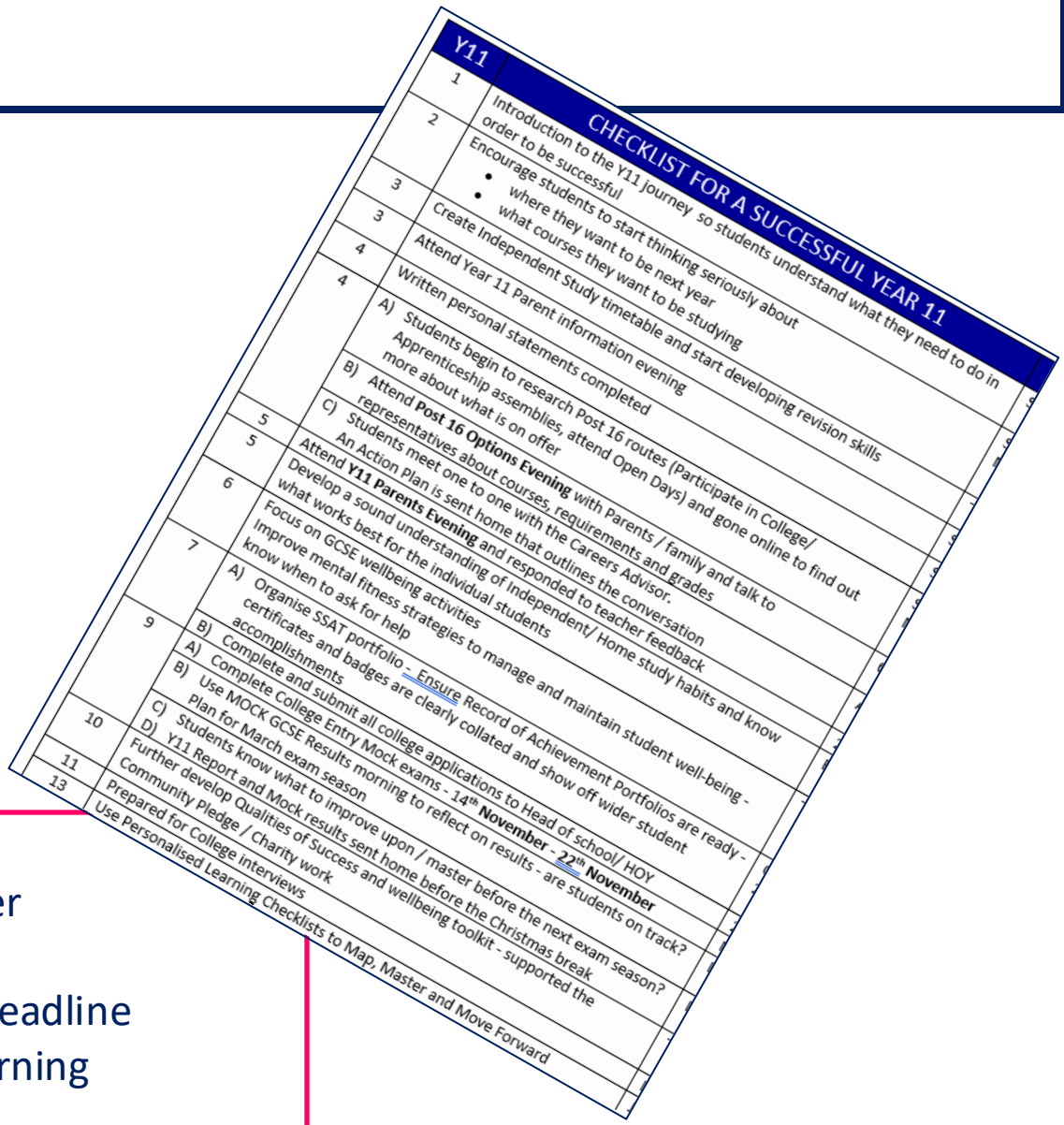


Achievement Team

- ISP coaching – Achievement team
- Workshops to TEACH students how to revise!
- Breakfast revision sessions before GCSE exams.
- Work with class teachers to help support students.
- Motivational events / Careers events
- Assist with College Application process
- Drive Wellbeing and relaxation activities
- Encourage students to use the ‘Habits of successful students at CHS’
- Esteeming experiences to reward continued effort
- Virtual Work Experience

Key dates

Y11 Parents Evening
Thursday 4th December
4pm – 6.30pm



Key dates this Term:

College assemblies in school – October

3rd - 17th November: CEMEs

19th November: College Application Deadline

1st December: Mock GCSE Results Morning

2nd December: Reports home

4th December: – Parents Evening

1st July 2026: Y11 Prom