

October 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

At the recent Tutor Evening, some enquiries were made about when ability setting might be taking place for Year 7 in English, Maths and Science. Obviously, it has not been the most straightforward start to the academic year with so much Covid-related student absence and this has had an impact on assessment.

This is the plan going forward:

- Science will be moving to a broad banding system from Monday 11th October. This means that sets 1 and 2 will be comparable with each other and sets 3 and 4 comparable with each other.
- Maths will be moving to sets 1-4 in each half year group from Monday November 1st.
- English will be moving to sets 1-4 in each half year group from January 2022.

Please rest assured that setting is regularly reviewed and that students can be moved up or down depending on their progress and needs.

Please get in touch if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours faithfully



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