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Dear Parent/Carer

BTEC Level 1 / 2 Health and Social Care: Controlled Assessments
Year 10 health and social care groups

We hope you and your family are well at this time.

We are writing to inform you that your child will be completing controlled assessments during this half term

These controlled assessments contribute towards 30% of your child's overall grade and will take place during their usual BTEC Health and Social Care lessons. Students have been planning and preparing their notes, to support them with these assessments and all these tasks are mandatory.

This series of assessments are for Component 1: Human lifespan development. This involves four tasks that must be completed.

The assignments will take approximately 6 supervised hours to complete. This is divided into approximately:

- 1-5 hour to complete Task 1
- 1.5 hour to complete Task 2
- 1 hour to complete Task 3
- 2 hours to complete Task 4

During the assessment, your child will not have access to the internet or revision guides. However, students are permitted to use their class notes that they have prepared for each of the tasks. Students will be provided with additional materials to support with preparation for these assessments.

We would appreciate your full support in ensuring your child is in attendance for the specified assessments and that they are readily prepared with the suitable resources to complete the assessment.

If there are any barriers to your child completing these assessments, please do get in touch so we can put support in place.

Yours faithfully



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