



community school
and sixth form

8 December 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 7 Assessment Information

What is your child learning at The Weald?

Find each subject's curriculum [here](#) and every subject's Knowledge Organisers [here](#)

I am writing ahead of the Year 7 assessments, which will take place in the fortnight beginning 12 January 2026. These assessments will take place in class and your child will be informed by their teachers when this assessment will take place.

These assessments will check learning from across Key Stage 3 so far and will allow your child to demonstrate the progress they are making in the curriculum. We will share the results of these assessments (in the form of a percentage) in their next tracking report. You will have the opportunity to discuss these assessments, alongside how to prepare for the next set of assessments (which take place in May), with your child's teachers at Parents' and Carers' Evening on Wednesday 15 and Thursday 16 April 2026.

Below is a summary of the topic/s your child will be assessed on for each subject. Your child's teachers will be setting them revision (**RED Review**) as their ONLY homework in the 4 weeks leading up to the assessment to support their preparation.

I hope you find this helpful in supporting your child. Please do not hesitate to email me if you have any further questions hgardner@theweald.org.uk

Yours faithfully,

Mrs H Gardner

Head of Year 7

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12 January 2026 - 23 January 2026

Suggested revision timings (30 mins a week per subject KS3/60 mins a week per subject KS4)

Click here to go to our website for [how to review effectively \(RED Review\)](#) and [RED Revision Strategies](#)

Subject	Topic/s	Revision Material
English	<p>Reading Assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Short questions on word classes, subject terminology, and reading comprehension - Longer question based on an extract from 'Wild Boy' exploring Wild Boy's character <p>Writing Assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Writing a story opening with a given title 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Wild Boy' by Rob Lloyd Jones • 'Wild Boy' Knowledge Organiser • KS3 English Knowledge Organiser - click on the blue links for quizlets • Creative Writing Knowledge Organiser
Maths	<p>Please see the relevant revision list. These will be shared with your child on Google Classroom.</p> <p>Year 7 SA1 Revision List Main Year 7 SA1 Revision List Support</p>	<p>Use independent learning on Sparx. Type in the topic codes from the revision list and attempt questions.</p>
Science	<p>➢ Nature of Matter ➢ Energy Transfers ➢ Life on Earth ➢ Forces</p> <p>These are the first 4 topics which students have covered in their science lessons before Christmas.</p> <p>Students will be given access to this PLC on their Google Classroom to enable them to identify the topics they feel least confident with and help target their revision: Y7 Test 1 PLC</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nature of Matter Knowledge Organiser • Energy Stores Knowledge Organiser • Life on Earth Knowledge Organiser • Forces Knowledge Organiser <p>In addition, students will have access to this document on their Google Classroom:</p> <p>Year 7 Assessment 1 Revision Resources</p>
Geography	<p>All of Unit 1 - Our Geography Friend or Foe Small part of Unit 2 - Our Human Planet. See google classroom for copy of knowledge organisers (students also have these in their books). Students are provided with an electronic copy of the PLC which they need to update and use to aid their revision.</p>	<p>Knowledge organisers Y7 Unit 1.pdf Y7 Unit 2.pdf</p> <p>Personal Learning checklist (PLC) PLC - Y7 Jan26 revision list</p>

'y	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is History? <i>Chronology, Cause, Consequence, Significance</i> 2. Silk Roads 3. Norman Conquest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Knowledge Organisers in your book (What is History?, Silk Roads & Normans) - Exercise book class work
French	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introducing yourself 2. Describing your age and birthday 3. Physical descriptions (you and family) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge organisers in book and on google classroom • Quizlet links in your quizlet classroom
German	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introducing yourself 2. Describing your age and birthday 3. Personality (you and family) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge organisers • Quizlet links in your quizlet classroom.
Spanish	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introducing yourself 2. Describing your age and birthday 3. Physical descriptions (you and family) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge organisers • Quizlet links in your quizlet classroom.
Computer Science	<p>Unit 1 - Using Computers Safely, Ethically and Responsibly</p> <p>Unit 2 - Understanding Computers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge Organisers on Google Classroom • Unit 1 - Using Computers • Unit 2 - Understanding Computers
Religious Studies	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Creation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In Judaism & Christianity - In Islam - In Sikhism - The big bang theory - The similarities and differences between the different theories. - The different ways they might be interpreted. 2. The History of the Israelites <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Story of Noah - The Story of Abraham - The Story of Moses - How these stories influence believers and what lessons can be learnt from them 	<p>Creation Knowledge Organiser (KS3) History of the Israelites Knowledge Organiser (KS3)</p> <p>Homework Tasks set in the 4 weeks before the assessment.</p>

The following subjects will not be setting an in class assessment during the week commencing 12 January:

- **Technology**
 - These assessments have already been completed due to the carousel rotation system
- **Art, Drama, Music and Physical Education**
 - Tracking for these subjects will be based on cumulative pieces of classwork