



Year 8 Assessment and Parental Contact Schedule

Autumn Term

<u>Key Dates</u>	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Parental Contact</u>
14 th September	Begin form time revision strategies.	
28 th September - 9 th October	Students will be set revision style homework.	
12 th - 23 rd October	Y8 Whole School Assessment Fortnight.	

20 th - 27 th November		Written Reports to Parents
8 th December		Form Tutor Intervention Meetings (invite only)
15 th December		Form Tutor Intervention Meetings (invite only)

Spring Term

<u>Key Dates</u>	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Parental Contact</u>
19 th January		Parents Evening

23 rd March		Form Tutor Parents' Evening
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Summer Term

<u>Key Dates</u>	<u>Assessment</u>	<u>Parental Contact</u>
12 th April	Begin form time revision strategies.	
26 th April - 7 th May	Students will be set revision style homework.	
10 th - 21 st May	Y8 Whole School Assessment Fortnight.	

18 th - 25 th June		Short Reports issued.
6 th July		Form Tutor Intervention Meetings (invite only)

Your child will also receive in class departmental assessments in order to judge progress in a particular topic in order for responsive teaching to take place. This is in the style of reteach, consolidate and extend. A reteach task requires a lot of teacher input whereas an extend is designed to stretch and challenge.

Your child will receive regular homework as per homework timetable. Homework is such an integrated part of the learning here at Balfour. Homework will challenge students to apply themselves independently, help prepare for future learning, recapping previous learning and a great way for us to build effective learners when it comes to revision.