



**Scalby School**  
*'being the best we can be'*

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to invite you and your child to our Y11 Parents' Evening on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January. This Parents' Evening is on our school site and in our calendar to allow you the opportunity to meet with your child's subject teachers and discuss their progress at Scalby. It is essential that you do everything possible to attend this evening.

Your child is currently working towards their GCSEs which are now only a few months away. This parents evening will give you information about their trial exam performance, as well as giving you information on what they need to be doing from now until the examinations begin in order to be successful. **Your child has already completed 50% of their Y11. When we return on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January, they have 14 school weeks left before their GCSE exams begin. I cannot stress the importance of your child attending every one of those 70 school days left. If your child has less than 95% attendance over these next 70 days, their GCSE grades will dramatically decrease. This is the final push in their education journey so far and we need you to support us, and your child in order to give them increased life chances when they leave us.** It is vital that you attend this evening to find out what your child needs to do over the next 14 weeks. On the reverse of this letter, you will find the dates for trial exams in January and March. These are the final trial exams before the real GCSEs start on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2025.

At these meetings, you will have an opportunity to receive feedback on the progress your child is making in their individual subjects. It also an opportunity for you to ask questions too. Please do bear in mind the time with each member of staff is limited to 6 minutes. Timings are very strict to allow as many people as possible to see all the teachers they would like to, with each parent able to book a maximum of 8 appointments. Some of our teaching staff teach more than one Y11 class therefore meetings are allocated on a first come, first served basis.

The school booking system can be found using this link, <https://scalbyschool.schoolcloud.co.uk/>, where you will be able to book and view appointments. To log in, just enter your details and that of your child. The system will be live for booking on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January at 17:00 and close on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 17:00.

On the evening, you and your son/daughter should arrive on the school site in good time ready for your meetings. We will provide you with a map showing the location of the teachers for your appointments.

Of course, contact with teachers at Scalby is never limited to parents' evenings; you are always welcome to call or email your child's teachers at any time should you require an update on their progress. **Our final GCSE preparation evening will be on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> March. Please keep this evening free as this will be our last opportunity to give you and your child support before their GCSEs.**

Yours sincerely,

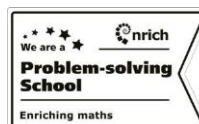
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## Y11 trial exam dates – January and March 2025.

### January 2025 *Sports Hall*

TE Yr 11	Psychology	1h 45m	Tue 7 Jan	TE Yr 11	Hospitality & Catering #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	Business	1h 45m	Thur 9 Jan	TE Yr 11	PE #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	Design & Technology	2h	Fri 10 Jan	TE Yr 11	Music #	1h 30m
<b>Some Yr 10 &amp; 11</b>	Intermediate Maths Challenge	1h	Wed 29 Jan			

### March 2025 *Sports Hall*

TE Yr 11	Science - Biology	1h 15m 1h 45m	Mon 3 Mar	TE Yr 11	Mathematics 1 #	1h 30m
			Tues 4 Mar			
TE Yr 11	English Language C1	1h 45m	Wed 5 Mar	TE Yr 11	Computing #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	Science - Physics	1h 15m 1h 45m	Thur 6 Mar	TE Yr 11	Mathematics 2 #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	Science - Chemistry	1h 15m 1h 45m	Fri 7 Mar			
TE Yr 11	English Literature C1	2h	Mon 10 Mar	TE Yr 11	Geography 1 #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	History 2	1h 50m	Tue 11 Mar	TE Yr 11	Mathematics 3 #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	English Language C2	2h	Wed 12 Mar	TE Yr 11	History 1 #	1h 20m
TE Yr 11	French Writing	1h 1h 15m	Thur 13 Mar	TE Yr 11	Geography 2 #	1h 30m
TE Yr 11	English Literature C2	2h 30m	Fri 14 Mar			