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Bloxwich Academy

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Dear Parent/Carer

Pearson Set Assignments from Monday 13th January 2025

At Bloxwich Academy, we believe in working in partnership with parents to ensure pupils are able to be self-motivated to achieve their potential. In Year 10, pupils studying a BTEC qualification will achieve 30% of their final grade by completing a controlled assessment in the Spring Term. Pupils are assessed by 'timed tasks' known as Pearson Set Assignments (PSA), whereby they are required to complete an assignment set by the exam board in an allotted time.

Year 10 pupils will be commencing the Pearson Set Assignments from **Monday 13th January**. Pupils have completed the taught content and have been provided with the guidance on the standard of work required. Pupils are only able to complete the assessment under controlled conditions in the classroom. **It is therefore very important that all pupils attend every lesson, on time to complete their exam assignment tasks.** As the PSA time is monitored, all pupils are expected to complete these tasks in silence, just like an external exam.

We would welcome your support and encouragement with regards attendance, as failure to attend these lessons will have a detrimental impact on their final grade.

If you have any questions or feel there is something we could do further to support your child, please don't hesitate to contact the school at postbox@bloxwichacademy.co.uk.

Yours sincerely

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