

11<sup>th</sup> October 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

### Changes to the Assessment – Years 7 to 10

In response to the Workload Advisory Group report 'Making Data Work', Corby Technical School have revised and reduced our data assessment points across the academic year.

You will be used to receiving five reports per year. This approach limited the opportunity for staff to gain more in-depth knowledge of student progress information through extended learning aims. This method also created significant extra workload for staff. The vast majority of schools will have now moved to this type of model. The reporting cycle for the following year groups is shown below.

Year group	Assessment point 1	Assessment point 2
<b>Year 7</b>	Term 3, Week 3	Term 5, Week 8
<b>Year 8</b>	Term 3, Week 3	Term 5, Week 8
<b>Year 9</b>	Term 3, Week 3	Term 5, Week 8
<b>Year 10</b>	Term 2, Week 7	Term 5, Week 4

Progress evenings are listed below and also link in with the first assessment point so that you have the opportunity to discuss your child's progress with school staff.

Dates for parent/carer progress evenings are shown below:

Year 7 – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Year 8 – Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Year 9 – Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Year 10 – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or queries please contact Mrs Arnold at [larnold@corbytechnicalschool.org](mailto:larnold@corbytechnicalschool.org).

Yours sincerely,



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