



30th March 2023

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

Lower Four Interim Review

Interim Reviews are now available to view on the Parent Portal. Please refer to the College ParentPortal webpage or email portal@ladiescollege.ac.gg if you have any difficulties.

<http://www.ladiescollege.com/information/communication-to-parents#portal>

A copy of the Interim Review guidelines is attached. If you have any matters that you would like to discuss as a result of this review, please contact the subject teacher, form tutor or your daughter's Year Co-ordinator. Where "working towards" has been identified, we will already be looking at measures to be taken in school to address the situation.

Year Co-ordinator update

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing support towards your daughter's time at The Ladies' College. Lower Four have had a busy and demanding academic year so far and I wish them all the best for the Trinity term and that they continue to be happy, healthy, and enjoying their time at The Ladies' College.

The tutor team is your first point of contact with College, so please feel free to email them directly or telephone reception to discuss any pastoral or academic needs.

School Examinations

A timetable with examination arrangements is attached which will allow for revision time and a PE session. The school examinations provide us all with information about your daughter's progress and they want to do their best. Please support them in getting a balance into work/life issues and be mindful of any additional commitments which may add to what can be considered a stressful time. Results will be included in your daughter's final report, issued at the end of the academic year.

Dates for your diary

Start of Trinity Term:

Bank Holiday:	Monday 1 st May
Bank Holiday:	Monday 8 th May
Liberation Day:	Tuesday 9 th May
School Examinations:	11 th – 16 th May
Bank Holiday:	Monday 29 th May
Additional Holiday:	Tuesday 30 th May
INSET:	Wednesday 31 st May

Speech Day: Friday 30th June – Rehearsal AM, followed by Prize Giving at 2pm at Beau Sejour. Further details to follow.
Alternative Curriculum: Monday 3rd, Tuesday 4th and July 5th
End of Term: Friday 7th July – 12:30 p.m. finish

I hope you and your daughter have an enjoyable and restful break over Easter.

Yours sincerely,



Carrie Gribbens
Lower Four Year Co-ordinator
Head of Mathematics



INTERIM GUIDELINES

Academic Year 2022 – 2023

Interim reviews for students will be available for you to access through the Parental Portal (via the app or web site) from today. Interims provide a snapshot of progress that helps students to set targets and understand their progress. This third Interim includes Attainment and Effort, as per previous Interims, along with an indication of the progress made.

Attainment is reported on a five-point scale as below:

Attainment grade	Remove	Other Year groups
High (H)	Consistently recall and apply relevant knowledge and skills within and across the topics of study.	Consistently recall and apply relevant knowledge and skills within and across the topics of study including that from previous years.
Very Good (VG)		
Good (G)	Can mostly recall and apply relevant knowledge and skills within, and <i>often</i> across, the topics of study.	Can mostly recall and apply relevant knowledge and skills within, and <i>often</i> across, the topics of study including that from previous years.
Fair (F)		
Working Towards (WT)	Can recall and apply some relevant knowledge and skills within and across the topics of study but requires significant support in some areas.	Can recall and apply some relevant knowledge and skills within and across the topics of study but requires significant support in some areas.

Effort is reported using the three-point scale of Exceeding Expectations (EE), Meeting Expectations (ME) and Working Towards (WT). Effort includes classwork and homework.

Progress is also reported using the three-point scale of Exceeding Expectations (EE), Meeting Expectations (ME) and Working Towards (WT).

If parents have any concerns with regards to the Interim feedback, please contact your daughter's Tutor in the first instance. Tutors and Year Coordinators do review the Interims and will be in touch as required. For other queries, please contact me hbarnes@ladiescollege.ac.gg

Yours sincerely,

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