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Dear Student and Parent/Carer(s)

Welcome to Year 11 and the final stages of your time here at Penryn College, the next few months will require hard work and resilience, but we look forward to seeing you on results day full of pride with what you have achieved.

Below is some information about the examinations, coursework elements, support and expectations which may be useful as we move towards the end of KS4. If there are any questions about the course or if you have any concerns about any part of the process please contact me at cmitchell@penryn-college.cornwall.sch.uk or call the college and leave a message for me to get back to you.

Course title: Creative Media Production

This course is 100% coursework with three components of assessed work:

Component	Brief description	Assessment	Deadline
1	Exploring Media Products- students have completed this component.	30% of overall grade	COMPLETED
2	Developing Media Production Skills* resubmission is for students to independently improve work, there can be no teacher support with this.	30% of overall grade	7 th October Resubmission 4 th November
3	Creating Media Products- In January, students will be issued a brief from the exam board. This brief will consist of activities that students will complete in supervised hours throughout March-May.	40% of overall grade	MAY 2023 TBC when the brief is released

The deadlines have to be met in order to meet the assessment requirements set by Pearson and allow for staff to mark each element and for students and parents to be able to keep track of their progress, please support students in fulfilling these dates.

Mock exam:

Students will sit a November mock for Component 3. The brief for Component 3 will be released to students on Monday 10th October and consists of three activities.

Activity 1- Ideas log

Activity 2- Pre-production

Activity 3- Media Product

Students will work independently to respond to the Component 3 brief mock and the real brief set by Pearson in January and will also be encouraged to create a moving image product for their response to Component 3, as they have all studied and created moving image products for their response to Component 1 and Component 2. Students will prepare



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their assets for the exam during their lessons from Monday 10th October until their mock exam which will be confirmed when the November mock timetable is released. It is important that students understand that they must create their assets (record footage, source sound and any other content for their final product) before they arrive to their mock exam.

Support sessions for Creative Media Production, will be running on Thursday afterschool for the whole of this year and other sessions on Wednesday afterschool are bookable by arrangement with myself. Your support with the attendance of these sessions is appreciated.

Yours faithfully

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