

July 2020

Dear Parent/Carer & Student

GCSE Results Day

I hope this letter finds you all well. I am writing to you with information about this year's GCSE results day. At the time of writing, we still do not have definitive advice from the Government regarding results days. As a school, we have planned the GCSE results day to be an in-school event, welcoming students into school. The day has been planned with staggered times so fewer students will be in the building at any one time for social distancing. If, when government guidance on results days is released, our plan is not possible, I will write to you again with a revised plan.

Key points

- GCSE results will be available for students to collect on Thursday 20 August 2020 from 9am.
- Students who have completed GCSE qualifications can collect their results from the Main Hall in the main school building from 9am until 12:20pm. Students should arrive at their allotted time (see table opposite), to the main entrance doors. We ask that only students come on to the school site during this time. We will operate a one-way system in school, and we ask that all students socially distance whilst on site. There will be staff available to support this on the day.
- There will be some students who will not be able to attend results day for a variety of reasons. Therefore, to alleviate any pressure to attend, we will be emailing results to each student's email address at 2pm on Thursday 20 August. In addition, any student who does not pick up their results will have their results slip sent in the post on Thursday.

As we do not have students' email addresses, please provide this [here](#) by Monday 13 July. For those students who are returning to school in September, can you also include their mobile phone number as we use these to send messages to students.

Appeals and Re-sits

Last week, Ofqual released information regarding the process around exam appeals and resit opportunities. The main headline is that there will be a full re-sit exam series this autumn,

Year 11 (GCSE) Results Collection Times 20 Aug	
Time slot	Surname
09:00	A - Barn
09:10	Barr - Brig
09:20	Brit - Ca
09:30	Ch - Co
09:40	Cor - De
09:50	Do - Fe
10:00	Fi - Gr
10:10	Gu - Her
10:20	Hes - I
10:30	J - Lam
10:40	Lan - Marsh
10:50	Marst - Mon
11:00	Moo - O
11:10	P - Poa
11:20	Pow - Rob
11:30	Rus - Si
11:40	Sm - St
11:50	Su - Turnb
12:00	Turne - We
12:10	Wh - Z

with Ofqual aiming for GCSEs to be held in November. Additionally, they have provided an outline of the appeals process, but more detail is needed. We will share more information when we are in a position to do so. For now, below is the link to the Ofqual release.

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/ofqual-publishes-more-details-on-appeals-and-confirms-autumn-exam-arrangements>

Yours faithfully

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