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Dear Parents, Carers and Students,


As you may be aware OFQUAL and the Department of Education have begun to release information regarding the outcome of the consultation regarding the awarding of GCSE's and Vocational Qualifications for 2021.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the parents, carers and students who took the time to read and respond to the consultation.
















As the outcomes of the consultation process have only been made available to schools and colleges today, I am sure you can understand that we need some time to process the information before we are able to provide a completely clear picture of how grades will be assessed and subsequently to our Year 11 students.

Should you wish to read the press release issued today this can be seen [here](#). The full outcome of the consultation can be found [here](#). An infographic summarising the outcomes of the consultation can be seen below:

How GCSEs, AS and A levels will be awarded in summer 2021



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Working out your grade	Evidence	Results and appeals
 Graded by teacher judgement	 Mocks, tests and work already done can be used as evidence	 Results days AS and A level 10 August GCSE 12 August
 Not graded by an algorithm	 Non-exam assessment should continue	 If you're unhappy with your grade, you can appeal it. First step is to submit an appeal to your school or college.
 School and college assessments can continue	 Non-exam assessments can be used as evidence even if incomplete	You can find out more details from your school, college or exam board, or by visiting the Ofqual website  www.gov.uk/ofqual
 You'll only be assessed on what you've been taught	 Art & design grade based only on your portfolio	
 Your teacher will tell you what evidence is used to grade you	 Teachers can use question banks provided by exam boards if they want to	
 Private candidates to work with a school, college or exam centre to provide evidence for them to be graded	 Results will be based on completed and future work, so keep doing your best	

We will, of course, provide further information on the grading, awarding and appeals processes as soon as we are able to do so.

Yours sincerely

Mr P Swatton

Principal