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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to you with an update on the GCSE results day process.

The past few months have been anything but 'normal' for this particular year 11 cohort. When the school was first alerted to the Coronavirus lockdown, we were determined to give our Year 11 students some kind of 'final assembly'. Miss Cairns and a large number of other staff worked tirelessly to try and recreate the leavers experience back in the middle of March. Since then, every other aspect of the end of GCSE's has had to be cancelled or postponed. We as a school are very aware of this and are desperately sad for the students. The final part of the journey usually ends with the students collecting their results envelope in the middle of August. However, the current government guidelines still have schools operating under very strict conditions. With this in mind we are offering students the choice of how to receive their results.

Choice 1: Results will be emailed to students in the AM on Thursday 20th August

Choice 2: Results will be available for collection at an allocated time any time from 8am on Thursday 20th August

Students should complete the e-form indicating whether they would like their results sent electronically to their school email address or have the opportunity to come on site and collect their results in person. The link can be found by clicking here (https://tinyurl.com/GCSEresults2020)

The site will be Covid secure and strict rules and processes will be in place to ensure that any student coming on to the site can have the peace of mind that they will be in a safe environment.

I would like to reassure all students that Sixth form and careers advice will be available on the day through an appointment system.

Please could you complete the results choices form by the end of Wednesday 15th July so we can finalise arrangements and communicate these to you before the end of term.

As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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