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Dear parents

AWARDING GRADES THIS SUMMER

Since the announcement on Wednesday that examinations in May and June this year are cancelled, we have been waiting for information about how students will be awarded grades for the qualifications they have entered for.

There has been some further information. There will be a process for awarding grades based on the assessment information we have, and the professional judgement of teachers.

This will apply to all GCSEs, AS Levels, A Levels and other qualifications (therefore to <u>all</u> Year 10 to 13 students due to take exams this summer).

There will be an appeals process. There is also a plan to allow students to choose to take examinations at a later point if they wish to improve on the grade awarded.

Sixth Forms, colleges and universities will make sure that applicants are not disadvantaged in securing a place for the next stage of their studies.

Please be assured that we will work to ensure all students are awarded the credit they deserve.

Matthew Evans Headteacher

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