

FAO: Parents & Carers of Students in Year 11 at Denton Community College

RE: Class of 2021 Results Day Update

7th July 2021

Dear Parents & Carers

I hope this letter finds you and your loved ones safe and well at this time.

I am writing to share with you how Denton Community College intends to issue GCSE results to your child on Results Day (Thursday 12th August 2021). The procedures for your child to receive their GCSE grades will be similar to those used last year. As a college, we believe that it is important for students to have the opportunity to collect their GCSE results in person, at the college, on the day they are released.

To ensure the safety of all those involved (students & staff) we will be following the Government guidelines available at that time in relation to maintaining a COVID-19 Secure environments. Students may therefore be requested to follow sanitation routines or wear facemasks, if this is the guidance of Public Health guidance at that time.

Students will be given a timeslot to attend college to receive their results. The time they are allocated will be linked to their form tutor group. Students must not arrive before their allotted time and must only arrive at the time assigned to them. Students should consult the times allocated for their forms and arrive at the time indicated. This is not only to ensure social distancing be maintained, but to allow students the opportunity to receive any support and guidance, regarding their next steps with members of staff if required.

Form Group	Time Allocated
11 Adlington	9.30am
11 Bussell	9.45am
11 Coe	10.00am
11 Dench	10.15am
11 Holmes	10.30am
11 Lennon	10.45am
11 Lowry	11.00am
11 McKellen	11.15am
11 Redgrave	11.30am
11 Thompson	11.45am

Students who are unable to attend are allowed to send a representative to collect their results. However, the representative must have signed permission from the student and a form of identification. Any uncollected results will be sent out by first class post at 12.30pm.

Once students have received their results, the first priority remains the securing of their college places, apprenticeships and training options for September 2021. Some staff will be available on the day to support students and Positive Steps Careers Service will provide independent career advice. You can access their services directly on the day or by calling 0800 484 0407 / 0161 621 9292 or emailing tamesidecareers@positive-steps.org.uk.

HEADTEACHER: Mr G Rule

Please note the results awarded by the examination boards are not necessarily the Teacher Assessed Grades (TAGs) submitted by the class teacher. Details of the grading process and further questions in relation to this year's results and the associated appeals process, were communicated with Parents & Carers via letter on **9**th **June 2021** and can be accessed via the link below.

Further clarification regarding the awarding of Teacher Assessed Grades (TAGs)

If students are unhappy with the grades they have received, you may wish to discuss them further with the school, if so please contact me at <u>j.haslam@dentoncommunitycollege.org.uk</u>. In November 2021, there is an opportunity for students to re-sit examinations in their subjects as part of the autumn series.

Finally, I wish you all a happy, safe and relaxing holiday and look forward to sharing your child's achievements with you on **Thursday 12th August 2021**.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Haslam

Deputy Headteacher