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Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to share with you the JCQ Guidance for students, parents and guardians: GCSEs and AS/A Levels in England Summer 21 guidance.

The JCQ document informs you of the timeline we are all working towards, how students will be assessed, what happens after a teacher has determined a teacher assessed grade (TAG), results day dates and the appeals process\*.

All schools and colleges have been asked to submit a Centre Policy which will be reviewed by awarding organisations. Our Centre Policy will be available for you to view on our website as soon as it has been agreed by the awarding body.

Each student will receive a student assessment record with personalised information regarding the range of evidence we will be using to inform the overall TAG in each subject in the next couple of weeks. This will also include any grades collected so far. A further electronic copy of this document will be sent home.

There will be an opportunity at this time to inform us of any concerns they or you may have about the evidence, if you think that performance in any of these pieces has been affected by illness or personal circumstances. The process to inform us about special circumstances will be clearly communicated with this student assessment record document.

Yours sincerely

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Carol Hubbard Deputy Headteacher

\*The appeals process is under consultation until 5th May 2021, please follow the link to find out more. We will update the appeals process on our website once consultation has been completed and the final document is with schools.

Ofqual are seeking views on the proposed guidance only