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Dear Families

Reference: Ofqual Update on Exams

I am writing to update you on the information from Ofqual which was released on Friday 3 April 2020 for GCSE, AS and A level students in England. Please click [HERE](#) to access Ofqual's letter to students which details the process and expectations. A much more comprehensive guidance from Ofqual to Teachers, Parents and Carers can be found by clicking [HERE](#). We are still waiting on the specific guidance for BTEC and Vocational qualifications. Ofqual are working urgently to develop an approach and we will update you as soon as we know more.

Subject Teachers, Head of Departments and the Senior Team we will be working together to ensure an accurate and consistent approach to each and every grade. The estimated grade will be based on classwork and homework; student's results in assignments and any PPE exams; any non-exam assessment or coursework done; and general progress during the course. The school will work on the final grade which will be submitted to the exam boards in May.

In line with Ofqual's advice, students should not submit any further work to the school for assessment, only submit work which was done before the school closure.

Please do not request the estimated grade from the school or your teachers as we are unable to give out these grades as set out in Ofqual's guidance.

I know it is difficult but try not to worry about something you have no control over. Continue to study to prepare yourself for next year and have a safe, happy and peaceful Easter break.

Yours faithfully

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