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Dear Student,

Exam Results Days – August 2019

For the vast majority of you, exams are over and you have the summer to look forward to. Hopefully the weather will improve! We know that this is a stressful time for you all and on behalf of the invigilation team, I would like to congratulate you on your excellent conduct.

The dates when your results will be available are as follows:

Thursday 15 August - A Level

Thursday 22 August - GCSE

You will be able to collect these at 9.30am, from the Jubilee Hall.

If you are unable to come in person, you can arrange for someone to collect your results. However, they must have a note from you, authorising them to do so. We will not give your results to anyone without your written permission. If you are going to be away and you wish to receive your results by post, please let me have a stamped addressed envelope, before 24 July 2019.

When you have received your results there will be members of staff available on the morning to help you with any subject specific queries you may have. Additionally, on both days, there will staff there to help and advise you with your next steps, should you need it.

Results Reviews & Post-results

In early September, each subject area within School will analyse the results. It may then be possible that your subject teacher(s) deem it appropriate to apply for a 'review of marking' of some of your exam paper(s), and/or would like to use your exam paper(s) in the classroom to help with teaching and learning. **Both of these things can only be done with your consent.**

If this is the case, before 14 September 2019, you will receive a form from either your subject teacher or the Curriculum Leader for that subject.

You **must** be aware that, so far as concerns 'reviews of marking', there are three possible outcomes:

- Your original mark is lowered, so your final grade may be lower than the original grade you received.
- Your original mark is confirmed as correct, so there is no change to your grade.
- Your original mark is raised, so your final grade may be higher than the original grade you received.

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You must sign, date & return the form, as a matter of urgency, by **17 September**. This confirms that you understand what the outcome might be and that you give your consent for the review of results to be made and/or you consent for a copy of your script(s) to be accessed.

Should you wish to apply for a review yourself, there is a cost implication. You should discuss the matter with your subject teacher in the first instance, being aware of the three possible outcomes. Information on costs are available by emailing me at the address shown below.

The Buckingham School Sixth Form

Year 11 students, please be aware that you can still submit an application for the Sixth Form. We will be holding a 'Taster Day' on 1 July 2019. Should you be interested in attending this, you can obtain an option choice form from Claire Hubner, Sixth Form Administrator, by emailing her at chubner@buckinghamschool.org.

We are also going to be holding an Open House on **Friday 23 August from 10am until 2pm** in the Jubilee Hall and warmly invite all Year 11 students, both from The Buckingham School and from other schools, to come in and see us to talk about their GCSE results and their plans for the next two years of their education.

We will have members of our Sixth Form staff and our Senior Leadership Team available for you to talk to and plenty of complementary refreshments for you to enjoy while you're with us. We appreciate that this is an exciting but also slightly daunting time for you so do please feel free to come and see us, we'll be delighted to see you.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me via email at cwattam@buckinghamschool.org.

I look forward to seeing you in August!

Yours faithfully,



Mrs C Wattam
Exams Officer

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