



## HIGH STANDARDS, HIGH ASPIRATIONS, HIGH EXPECTATIONS

17<sup>th</sup> July 2020

Dear Year 11 Students, Parent and Carers

I am pleased to be able to write to you now with more information about plans for Year 11 Results Day on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August**.

As public health restrictions remain in place, we have devised an approach to Results Day, in line with current guidance, that will offer students the opportunity and experience of coming on site to collect their results safely and be congratulated by staff on their achievements.

Therefore, GCSE results can be collected by student on the morning of 20<sup>th</sup> August 2020 from **9am to 12pm** in the Assembly Hall. The only entry point into school that morning will be the main Snowdon Road entrance, at the top of the drive that leads into the car park. A queuing system that maintains social distancing guidelines will be in operation. Students will be directed to enter the Assembly Hall, no more than 5 at a time, to collect their results. Hand sanitiser will be available on entry and exit from the Hall.

As is always the case, results cannot be relayed via telephone. If students are unable to collect their results personally on the day and would like someone else to collect them on their behalf, we will require written authorisation from the student in order to issue their results envelope to a named person, that clearly states their relationship to the student. Written authorisation can be brought in on the day or submitted beforehand by email to our BMA Exams Officer: [Mandie.Armstrong@clf.uk](mailto:Mandie.Armstrong@clf.uk) If it is not possible for the student or an authorised person to collect GCSE results on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August, the results envelope will be posted home.

As you know, the way in which GCSE qualifications have been awarded this year has changed in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. In summary, traditional GCSE examinations were replaced by a centre assessment grading process, followed by external quality assurance and national standardisation, commissioned by The Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation (Ofqual). So, like other results days, final grades awarded are unknown to the school until official release in August. Should you be dissatisfied with grades awarded, information about sitting GCSE examinations during next academic year and the appeals process will be provided on Results Day.

If you have any questions or queries in relation to any of the above, the best way to lodge these is via the academy help desk: [info@bristolmet.net](mailto:info@bristolmet.net). However, as school is now officially closed for the summer, we will endeavour to respond as soon as possible.

In the meantime, we hope you are and will continue to enjoy the summer – we're very much looking forward to seeing you and celebrating on Results Day!

All the best and take care

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