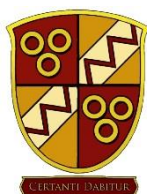


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Dear Parents and Carers

Summer Exams 2021

As you may be aware, the Government has not yet made a decision on when the final GCSE and A Level examinations will take place for Year 11 and Year 13 pupils during this academic year 2020/21. Therefore, I strongly advise you to wait until there is final confirmation before making any arrangements or bookings for next year's summer holidays. If pupils are not present for their public examinations, this will result in them not receiving a grade.

This academic year we will be holding Pre-Public Exams (Mocks) and in-school assessments at numerous points throughout each term. These will be absolutely crucial for all Year 11 and 13 pupils, as we don't know what the future holds with regard to Covid19; the mock grades and in-school assessments could possibly be used in the event that pupils are unable to sit final exams, as was the case this summer.

We very much want this year to be one of academic success for all our pupils, so please support us by ensuring they attend on time every single day.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Bush
Principal