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Dear Parent/Carer

AS Level Results Day - Tuesday 10 August 2021

I hope this letter finds you and your family well. Please read this letter carefully; it details the processes in place this year for the distribution of AS Core Maths and EPQ results in August.

All examination results are embargoed up until 8.30am on results day. All students who have completed an AS Core Maths or EPQ qualification will be sent their result electronically at 8.30am on 10 August 2021. The email address used will be their individual Sixth Form account only. We encourage all Sixth Form students to check their accounts regularly so hopefully passwords and logins are well known. I'd suggest at least one 'login test run' in front of you! If however your child can not login to their Sixth Form account please contact IT Support via itsupport@alderbrook.solihull.sch.uk

Students will be given their official statement of results on their return to school in September.

JCQ have announced that the examination grade appeal process this summer will be limited only to those who meet strict criteria. Please read carefully our 'Processes and Appeals for Summer **Assessments** 2021 information, which can be found here: https://www.alderbrookschool.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/Appeals-letter-Summer-21.pdf As stated it is important to note that an appeal may result in a grade staying the same, going up or *unlike in 2020*, going down. If a student puts in an appeal and their grade is lowered, they will receive the lower mark. We are confident that our processes have been rigorous and fair, and so would encourage caution if you proceed with any appeal. Students do have the option to sit an A Level exam in October 2021 if they feel they can improve on their Teacher Assessed Grade(s). Via this option the student will receive whichever grade is higher – the TAG or the re-sit – and do not face the grade being irreversibly lowered.

I hope you find the information contained in this letter clear and straightforward. However, as always, please do get in touch via enquiries@alderbrooksixthform.org ahead of Tuesday 20 July if you have a query.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Anna CJ Allen Assistant Headteacher: Director of Sixth Form

