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## RE: Assessment Week – Internal Assessment Results

Dear parent(s) and carer(s)

We are writing to inform you that from tomorrow morning you will be able to view your son/daughter's results from the internal assessments sat last month.

These will be available to view as a 'report' on their Go 4 Schools page. (scroll down to the bottom of their page)

Your son/daughter has recently attended an assembly when we discussed the release of these results.

For each A Level subject, you will be able to view a percentage mark, which is the mean average of any January assessments undertaken in that subject. We have also taken the decision to provide you/your child with the 'cohort average' percentage as a point of comparison.

It is important that you bear the following in mind:

- We are at about 25% of the way through the A Level courses – we would not expect students to be working at the highest levels at this interim stage on the course.
- In most subjects, less than 20% of the A level content will have been assessed. This is due to the fact that the examinations were completed after only 4 months of A Level teaching.
- We need to be realistic about attainment, with almost 16 months of the A Level course to go.
- In a number of subjects, a significant proportion of the final A Level grade may be determined by Non-Exam Assessment (NEA) – for example Drama, Art, Music– please note that % reported now are only based on the examined element of courses.
- We are not yet in a position to provide you with an A Level grade (A to E) for assessed work; these are designed to be awarded at the end of the two-year linear course; not to provide interim updates on small elements of assessment. Please note, however, that in July – once the main Year 12 internal examinations have been completed, we will provide you with an indicative A Level grade for each A Level.

Understandably there will be mixed emotions for students with the outcomes of these results; for so many they are affirmation of all the hard work they have invested since September; whereas for others there will be disappointment. For many students these exams serve as an all-important 'reality check' in terms of how difficult A Levels actually are and the amount of work required.

The 6<sup>th</sup> Form pastoral team will now be analysing the examination results and we will be in contact with parent(s)/carer(s) where we have significant concerns across multiple subjects.

We hope that the information provided on Go4Schools tomorrow will prove useful prior to next week's Beyond 18 Day in school.

A reminder that we would like to invite you into school, this coming Monday at 6:30pm for our Beyond 18 Information Evening in the School Theatre – please [click here](#) for the detailed letter sent last month.



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A reminder that the formal Year 12 Subject Consultation Evening – when you can chat to your son/daughter's teachers takes place at the end of the year, following the end of year examinations.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in contact.

Yours faithfully

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