27th April 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

It is always a sad time of year when our students are approaching the end of their time with us, but we are also incredibly proud of all they have achieved both personally and academically, during their time with us.

We are presenting all our leavers with a Park School hoodie and hope that they will have fond memories of their time with us.

We will continue to teach our leavers until Friday 25th June 2021, completing GCSE programmes of study and/ or Functional Skills qualifications, supporting college applications and visits, promoting wellbeing activities and social interaction, as well as developing any skills needed to access the next stage of their learning journey.

Our teachers are currently collecting evidence which they can submit to exam boards for the determination of GCSE grades this year.

I am sending you a copy of the JCQ guidance for students, parents and guardians for GCSEs Summer 2021.

It includes information on how GCSE grades will be determined and how to appeal if you believe an error has been made.

I am also sending you a copy of our Centre Policy for the 2021 GCSE exams which has been submitted to the JCQ in line with Government guidelines.

Teachers are not allowed to disclose to students or parents the final teacher assessed grades submitted to the exam boards before the results are issued.

Those leavers who have completed GCSE programmes of study will be able to collect their results from Roscow Fold on Thursday 12th August 2021 between 9.30am -11.30am.

Our Connexions worker, Sula Roberts, will be available to provide any support needed by students.

Her contact number is 07789031921.

If you have any questions or queries regarding any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Many thanks

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