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VIA EMAIL

Dear Parents/Carers

YEAR 11 ASSESSMENTS

In the last two weeks, your child's Year 11 teachers have been busy sharing the programme of assessments that will form their Teacher Assessed Grades (TAGs) this year.

We know that there will understandably be some anxiety and trepidation about the form these exams are going to take and so their subject teachers and I have worked closely with your child over the last week to inform them of this. In short, your child will answer assessments that will allow us to provide evidence to exam boards when asked to justify the grade we award your child.

You will likely still have many questions regarding the process and concerns such as what happens if your child wishes to appeal their examination result, and so I thought information would be better coming from the exam boards themselves on what the national arrangements are. Please see the website provided by Pearson Edexcel, who award many of our subject grades. Although Pearson are not the exam board for all subjects, other exam boards will follow the information given on the link as well. The link also enables you to sign up to news regarding the 2021 examinations, which I would recommend you do so that you remain informed of what is happening in this ever-changing situation. You will also see on the link that Ofgual have confirmed the date of the results day for 2021 to be the 12th August. Unless national plans change in the meantime, this is the day we will be releasing your child's results and more information will come to you from the school nearer the time on how this will be managed.

Please see here for the link: <u>Support for students</u>, <u>parents and carers | Pearson qualifications</u>

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to email me at s.nash@tnha.org.uk











