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Dear Students of Year 11, 12 and 13,

**Further details about examinations**

I write to provide you with further details about the process that has been devised to replace public examinations this year. We have had information from the examination boards concerning the arrangements and whilst there are slight differences in the nuances of the process depending on qualification type and examination board, the basic process is the same.

We have been asked to provide a grade which we believe you would have achieved had you completed your course. We have also been asked to provide an order of students by performance within each grade which will be used to standardise judgements. To do this we have looked at all the evidence we have, such as assignment results, classwork, homework, mock examination results and coursework. We are using this information to project a grade that we believe you would have achieved in the summer. Please note you will not just receive the result of your mock examinations.

The final step in the process will involve the examination boards standardising our results against other schools in order to make sure our judgements are fair. Therefore we will not know your final result until results days. For this reason we have been asked to keep all the data we share with exam boards confidential, so please do not ask your teacher to give you this information.

Examination boards have confirmed that results will be distributed on the previously publicised days in August so there is no change to this, these dates have been publicised on our website. After you have received your results there will be a robust appeal process if you are unhappy with what you have been awarded by the exam board. There will also be options to re-sit the examinations. The exact process of these options has not been shared with us at this time, but we will let you know as soon as we receive confirmation.

Please do not be worried by the process and be assured we are working on your behalf to make sure your results are representative of all you have achieved at Ramsey Grammar School. Please look after yourself and stay safe during these uncertain times.

Yours sincerely

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