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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Principal: Ms S Johal

We hope this letter finds you well. As we approach the culmination of your child's GCSE journey, we would like to provide you with important details regarding the upcoming GCSE Results Day on Thursday, 22nd August.

Results Collection:

Pupils can collect their GCSE results between 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM. To ensure a smooth process, students must bring a valid photo ID with them.

Alternative Arrangements:

If your child is unable to collect their results in person, we offer the option to have the results posted or emailed. For this, a signed letter from both the student and a parent/guardian is required. Please ensure this letter is submitted to Student Reception by 1st August if you prefer this method.

Support and Guidance:

We understand that results day can be a stressful time for students. To support our pupils, careers advisors will be available on the day to provide guidance, especially for those who may not have achieved the grades needed for their chosen courses. Additionally, we have arranged a quiet room for students who prefer to open their results in a private, tranquil space.

We will be encouraging all students to have a conversation about their sixth form, college or apprenticeship choices with someone in school on results morning. These discussions can provide valuable insights and help clarify their options as they make this important decision about their post 16 pathway. After they have had this conversation, we will ask them to confirm their contact details with us. This will allow us to stay connected and continue offering support throughout their decision-making process and beyond. Whether they need additional information, have questions, or simply want to discuss their thoughts further, we are here to help. By keeping their contact information up to date, we can ensure they receive timely advice and resources tailored to their individual needs as they navigate this exciting transition.

Access to Scripts:

We would like to access your child's exam scripts. This allows us to review the papers before sending them for any potential remarks and to use them for educational purposes in the future. Your consent is invaluable in helping us improve our teaching methods and better support future students. Please ensure the separate consent form is signed and returned.

On behalf of the exams team at Orchard Mead Academy, we would like to thank you for your support and to congratulate your child on their focus and determination during of their exams. They did so well! Should you have any questions or require further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

C. Harley

Mrs. C. Harley
Assistant Principal