

July 2020

Dear Students and Parents

Results Days 2020

I hope you and your families are well and keeping safe while the lockdown slowly eases. Hopefully you have had a chance to see our farewell video [here](#), and we are planning an opportunity to say a fitting *goodbye* to those of you not returning in September, later in the autumn, but more details will follow after the summer.

As you know, schools were asked to provide exam boards with information about GCSE grades, which they are now analysing and carrying out statistical moderation on, They will then assign your final grades (those who were studying IB subjects will already have received your results as they follow a slightly different process). Our next step will be to support you when these results are published in the summer, whatever the outcome may be.

This year, in line with Government guidance, we will not be asking you to come into school to collect your results. Instead, results will be published via *Edulink* at 8am and sent to your school email on the following days:

- Thursday 13 August – KS5 (Y12 and above)
- Thursday 20 August – KS4 (Y10 and Y11)

It is, therefore, vital that you can access your school email and know your password. If you know now that this will be an issue (e.g. you cannot remember your password) then please contact reception by phone, stating the issue so we can find the best way to support you.

Advice and Guidance

On results day, a number of staff will be available to offer advice and support you with any issues that arise. You will be able to email us at:

- exams@ntc.kent.sch.uk – For queries with results (e.g. missing subjects)
- technical@ntc.kent.sch.uk – For help in accessing your results
- careers@ntc.kent.sch.uk – Broader support about your next steps
- sixthform@ntc.kent.sch.uk – To contact our Sixth Form team about returning to NTC

You can also call us on the normal school number, plus you will be able to book appointments via *Edulink* if you wish to come onsite and meet with one of us to discuss further. All these details will be published on our website in the week leading up to results day so please do check back on the main page from Monday 10 August. We plan to contact you each, individually, by phone, on the days after results have been released, to ensure your future plans are secure. Please don't be surprised by the call, it's so we can ensure you have all the support you need!

NTC Sixth Form

For those of you in Y11 and Y13 planning to return to us in September, you will be receiving information regarding your enrolment in September over the next week.

If you have been rethinking your future and want to discuss with us if our Sixth Form would be the right place for you, then please do contact us via sixthform@ntc.kent.sch.uk. We would be more than happy to help.

We also have some courses available for those of you completing Y13, where your original plans may not be working out due to COVID. If you want to study for an extra year, while we support you with secure alternatives, then do get in touch.

Return of School Laptops

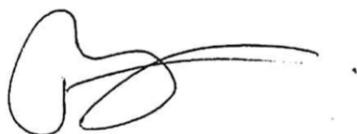
If you are completing Y11 or Y13 and are **not returning to us in September**, you do need to return your school laptop and charger to us (along with any other school resources you have) before the summer. These devices will be repurposed for other students next year.

Please bring the laptop and charger to main reception, between 10am and 12 noon Monday to Thursday next week (13th to 16th July) for it to be signed off by a member of staff.

Failure to return your school device will result in the school having to invoice you for the cost of this in September, so that we can replace it. This forms part of the agreement you signed when you received this device.

I wish you all a peaceful and safe summer, and look forward to speaking with some of you in the near future.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jon Morgan', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jon Morgan
Deputy Headteacher