



10 February 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to make sure you are aware that a national contingency day, for GCSE and GCE A level exams, has been set for the summer 2020 exams by the Joint Council for Qualifications. This contingency date has been arranged should sustained national or local disruption arise during the summer 2020 examination series.

The date that has been set aside as the contingency day is **Wednesday 24 June 2020**. We are unable to predict whether or not students will be required to sit an exam on this date, however, it is clear that this date will be used, should any exam need to be rearranged by any of the national exam boards.

Students will receive their final exam timetables in the spring term, the contingency exam date will not show on students' individual timetables, but does apply to all students.

Students, therefore, should not be arranging holidays that will mean that they are unavailable to take an examination on and up to the 24 June.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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