

30<sup>th</sup> April 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to update parents and carers on a number of issues and provide information about the dates of upcoming events.

### **GCSE and A-level Moderation Day**

I am now able to confirm that the Moderation Day for GCSE and A-level grading will be on **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> May**. All students will be required to remain at home on that date and work will be set as per their timetable on Google Classroom. I would also politely request that parents, carers and students refrain from contacting staff on that day. I would again like to thank Governors, Trustees, parents and carers for their support in this matter. The grading process that schools have been asked to undertake this year is a significant one. Hence, it is essential that staff are provided with the capacity to complete this process effectively so that our students receive the grades that they deserve.

### **Year 11 and Year 13 Leaving Dates**

I am pleased to be able to inform parents / carers that the final day of this academic year for all students in **Year 11** will be **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May**. Mrs Bashford-Hynes and Mr Brooks will be writing to all parents / carers of students in Year 11 in the coming weeks to outline the arrangements for that day as well as the plan for the period of time between the end of their formal assessments and the May half term.

The final day for students in **Year 13** will be **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May**. Mrs Harvey and Mrs Coyle are also making plans for the post-assessment period as well as the final day. They will also be sharing these plans in due course.

### **Lateral Flow Devices**

We have now received our latest batch of lateral flow devices, which will be distributed to students on Friday during their tutorial time. It is important that students continue to use the devices as prescribed as this continues to provide a level of mitigation against the spread of the virus. Thank you once again to families for their support.

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**Bank Holiday Weekend**

Finally, I would like to wish all members of the Vyners community a safe and happy bank holiday weekend. I very much look forward to welcoming our students back into school bright and early on Tuesday morning.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gary Mullings', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Gary Mullings**  
**Headteacher**