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Dear Pupils and Parents / Carers,

As the most unusual academic year draws to a close, I would like to inform you all of the way in which GCSE results day will run on Thursday the 20<sup>th</sup> of August. Under normal circumstances, GCSE results day is one of my favourite days of the year; a time when we get to celebrate the culmination of 5 years hard work. Unfortunately, things will be very different this year.

Pupils will be split in to three groups and will be allocated a one-hour time slot for the collection of results. You can arrive at any time within that hour, but not before or after. The school will only be accessible via Yew Street and cars should park in the staff car park. Only pupils will be permitted to exit the car and should go immediately to the main entrance. It is incredibly important that pupils observe social distancing measures at all times. Upon entry to the foyer, pupils will be handed an envelope by a member of the Senior Leadership Team and then exit the building via the fire escape next to the Main Hall. Pupils will then need to return immediately to their car and leave the school site. The groups have been determined by your **surname** and are as follows:

Andriola – Hughes	-	8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
Isaac – O’Leary	-	9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
Paske – Williams	-	10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

There will not be the usual opportunities to take photos, share your experience with friends and laugh, and sometimes cry, with your teachers. I am incredibly sad that this is another rite of passage you have lost as a result of this pandemic. On behalf of all of the staff at Afon Tâf, I would like to wish you all the very best both for GCSE results day and whatever the future holds for you. It has been an absolute privilege to have you as a part of #TeamTâf!

Yours sincerely,

**Mr S Baber**  
**Deputy Head Teacher**