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Dear Parent/ Carer,

Teacher Assessed Grades 2021

As you are aware, this year examination subjects are being assigned grades through a process of Teacher Assessed Grades. Teachers have used a portfolio of assessment evidence to make a judgement about the best fit grade for each student based on grade descriptors provided by the Joint Centre for Qualifications: [insert grade descriptor link](#).

Teacher Assessed Grades have been internally and externally moderated prior to submission to examining bodies and may be subject to further moderation by the examining bodies. Final grades will be released to students and parents on:

- **10th August – A-Level**

If you do not agree with the grade that you have been awarded, you are entitled to appeal this grade. Please refer to our Exams 2021 Appeals Policy which can be found on our school website. If you think you may wish to appeal your grade, please contact Ms Clark (sclark@spires.anthemtrust.uk) who can talk you through this process.

To submit an appeal, you should use the request form found at Appendix A of our Exams 2021 Appeals Policy on the school website. Or you can request a copy of this form from Ms Clark (sclark@spires.anthemtrust.uk). **Please be aware that, as outlined in our Exams 2021 Appeal Policy, an appeal may result in the grade staying the same, or going up or down.**

Key dates for priority appeals

A priority appeal is only for students applying to higher education who did not attain their firm choice (i.e. the offer they accepted as their first choice) and wish to appeal an A level or other Level 3 qualification result.

10 August to 16 August 2021	Window for students to request a stage one centre review
10 August to 20 August 2021	Centres (the school) conduct centre reviews
10 August to 23 August 2021	Centres (the school) submit appeals to awarding organisations

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Key dates for non-priority appeals

From result day to 3 September 2021	Window for students to request a stage one centre review
From result day to 10 September 2021	Centres (the school) conduct centre reviews
From result day to 17 September 2021	Centres (the school) submit appeals to awarding organisations

Yours sincerely

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