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Dear Parent/Guardian of Year 10 pupils,

I hope that you and your families are well? I am looking forward to seeing the children in the next couple of weeks. I would like to thank you for your continued support over what has been an extraordinary year. I am aware that there are concerns regarding the Year 10 pupils and their GCSE results for this year. We have now clarified the position with the WJEC on this.

Pupils in Year 10 who would have sat unit examinations for their GCSE qualifications will have the opportunity to sit these in the summer of Year 11. The assessment requirements for many of the subjects has been reduced to ensure both the credibility of the qualification is maintained and to ensure the pupils are not disadvantaged by the teaching time lost due to Covid 19. There will also be an opportunity for pupils to sit Mathematics, Numeracy and English Language exams in November if it is in the best interests of the pupil to do so.

The school will do everything possible to ensure that pupils will not be disadvantaged by these unique circumstances. This will include after school revision classes, targeted form time with core teachers and mentoring by the Head of Year. By the time they leave Year 11 they will have been given every opportunity to maximise their qualifications and reach their full potential.

There are no examination results for current Year 10 pupils to be collected on Thursday 20th August, instead, pupils will receive subject-specific information from their teachers when they return in September.

It is even more critical this year that we have open channels of communication so I would invite you to contact myself or Mrs Morris, Head of Year Year 11, if you have any worries, no matter how small they may seem.

We will work together to give the pupils a fantastic last year in Cefn Saeson.

Kindest regards

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Head of Upper School

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