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Dear Parents/Carers of Year 11

Sadly, it has been confirmed by the government that the year 11 GCSE exams for May and June have been cancelled due to the outbreak of the Coronavirus. As of today, we are still awaiting further guidance from the government on how students will be awarded grades this summer.

Therefore, my advice to all Year 11 students is to keep studying their GCSE subjects through the work that is being set on Google Classroom, just in case there is an Autumn Assessment Period. Any coursework that can be completed at home should also be worked on as this may be used to inform grade predictions. Please ensure any PPE exam papers and coursework assignments are retained in case we need to call on them to support teacher predictions.

It is very sad that our young people may have been denied the opportunity to sit their exams but all their hard work, learning, knowledge and skill development will last forever. We are now working with the post 16 colleges to ensure work is provided over the coming months to fully prepare them for the next stage in their education and training.

If you or your child is concerned about their chosen destination next year, our careers advisor, Steve Leach is happy to support you with post 16 advice and college applications. He is contactable on the email: [LeachS@bca.warrington.ac.uk](mailto:LeachS@bca.warrington.ac.uk)

I know some of you have been concerned about whether the students will get to say goodbye properly. As soon as we know we are able to open again, a Leavers' assembly will be arranged and all students will be invited back to the academy to ensure they get the send-off they deserve. Likewise, we have temporarily postponed the prom but hope to be able to run it during the autumn term. There is a year 11 page on google classroom (please encourage them to add themselves to this using the code **2gmuq3m**) that will keep the students updated with key information and we will continue to update yourselves via the website.

Finally, may I take this opportunity to thank you for all the support you have shown your child and the academy this year. The class of 2020 are greatly thought of by all the staff at BCA and have left such a lasting impression on our whole school community. I will ensure that you are kept updated with any developments as soon as we hear any further guidance but if you do wish to contact the year 11 team directly, please email us on [AskYear11@bca.warrington.ac.uk](mailto:AskYear11@bca.warrington.ac.uk)

Yours faithfully.

Sarah Mullen  
Vice Principal



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