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Dear students, parents and carers,

### **GCSE and A Level Assessments in 2022**

Many of you will have seen in the media the announcement of plans to manage the GCSE and A Level assessments in 2022 to take into account the disruption created by COVID.

The final decisions have been presented in this publication:

#### [Proposed changes to the assessment of GCSEs, AS and A levels in 2022](#)

As a school, we are currently exploring what this means for the curriculum at Weald, and what changes we may need to make to schemes of work. Reassuringly, there seems to be an acknowledgement of the need for some mitigations, although we are still awaiting the full details of how these will be implemented in some subjects.

I am sure you will have questions about what impact this will have in curriculum areas, but we do not yet have all of those answers, so we will write to you again with more details when we are able to. In the meantime, do look at the publication which sets out the broad principles for the year ahead.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support.

Yours sincerely,



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