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Dear Parent/ Guardian,

Year 10 Edexcel Award Examinations

I am writing to inform you that your daughter/son/ward will be sitting an Edexcel Mathematics Award examination in May this year. The Edexcel Mathematics Awards are a suite of stand-alone qualifications designed to help pupils develop and demonstrate proficiency in different areas of mathematics and prepare for GCSE Mathematics.

Pupils in set 1 and set 2 will be sitting the Algebra Level 2 or Level 3 Award on Wednesday 10th May. Pupils in set 3 will be sitting the Number and Measure Level 1 or Level 2 Award on Tuesday 9th May. All pupils have been preparing for these exams in class and will be set papers to complete over the Easter holidays. Please note that results from these exams will be given to pupils when they come back in September and not when GCSE results are issued in August.

Those pupils sitting Algebra Level 3 will be awarded 3 UCAS points if they pass the exam. If your daughter/son/ward is sitting the Number and Measure Level 1 Award then they will be entered for the Number and Measure Level 2 Award in January 2024.

This is a great opportunity for pupils to experience an external examination in mathematics and to show their aptitude in the subject. By preparing for the exams and revising thoroughly, I am confident that this will be a very useful build up to their GCSE exams next year.

Yours sincerely,

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