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Dear Parents and Carers

Re: Update on arrangements for GCSEs, AS and A levels, Skills Challenge Certificate

This afternoon, Philip Blaker, Chief Executive of Qualifications Wales, sent schools a guidance document about the requirements for producing Centre Determined Grades in summer 2021. It gives centres an overview of how they should make decisions and what types of evidence could be used.

This guidance can be found by following this <u>link</u>. This is the first version and Qualifications Wales recognise that it does not answer all your questions as parents/carers or all of our questions as a school. Qualifications Wales will continue to work with other organisations and provide regular updates to this guidance. We are hoping for the next update from the week commencing 22 February.

Please follow this <u>link</u> for the letter from Qualifications Wales to learners regarding the guidance. This letter will also be emailed to your child's school email account.

As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at school jmorgan@sjhs.newport.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

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