



Year 11 Provisional Centre Determined Grades 2021

Dear Year 11 pupils, Parents and Carers,

As I'm sure you know Year 11 will be issued with their Provisional Centre Determined Grades (CDGs) on June 17th. These will be for GCSE qualifications delivered by WJEC only. Results for Vocational and BTEC qualifications will be issued to pupils in August for Sport, Hospitality and Catering, Construction, Engineering, ICT, Business, Additional Maths, Motor Vehicles. CoPE and Hairdressing.

For this your child will have the option of attending school to collect their provisional grades or to receive them electronically via email. If they would like them electronically, please can you email their name and date of birth to ybbexams@npt.school. All results will be sent to the pupil's school email address.

Provisional CDGs will be distributed from the Sports Hall where entry will be via the rear doors, where social distancing lines will be clearly visible. Once results have been distributed please exit the building as soon as possible using the designated exits routes. Pupils will be able to collect these from 9:15am – 11:00am.

In order to respect the education of other pupils within the school, we ask for pupils to leave the school site as soon as possible and to not gather at entrance gates or doorways.

We must remind you that if your child has coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms, or if someone in their household has symptoms, they must not attend school to collect results. In this instance we can arrange for the results to be sent electronically.

Appeals

Once in receipt of these provisional grades, if pupils are satisfied that the grade awarded is a true reflection of the effort and commitment displayed throughout years 10 and 11, there is no further action needed.

If a pupil is dissatisfied with the grade received, then they will be able to request a centre review which is stage 1 of the process. WJEC have produced an information booklet, Guidance on Centre Reviews and Appeals which can be accessed [here](#).

This allows them to request a review where they consider an error has been made in the determination of their grade. The focus is on the overall grade not on the marking of individual assessments. There is no expectation for us as a centre to re-mark any assessments used to determine the provisional centre determined grade. This request is an opportunity for us to check that we have not made an error in the determination of the grade. If a centre review is required then you will need to complete the request form,

submitting one form for each subject grade you are appealing against. This also means that if you request a review of 3 of your provisional centre grades then three forms must be submitted, one for each subject.

A review should only be requested where you consider that the error has had a material effect on the accuracy of the grade. The centre review is not an opportunity for you to try and improve grades that have been determined fairly in accordance with our Assessment and Quality Assurance processes. This is merely an opportunity for us to check that we have not made any errors in the determination of the grade. Please be aware that following a centre review grades can go up, down or remain the same.

For you to see how your grades have been determined, you are able to request a copy of the learner decision making record which will enable you to determine whether you consider an error has been made and request a review. You will have until 3pm on Monday June 21st to request this information.

All requests to review the provisional CDGs must be emailed to ybbcdg@npt.school between June 18th and June 25th 2021, accompanied by the centre review and appeals form which can be accessed [here](#). Any requests received after this date will not be accepted by the school. We will aim to inform you of all outcomes of appeals by July 1st 2021.

These have been difficult times for all our pupils and we appreciate the challenges and uncertainty presented to year 11 pupils. Can I wish everyone a safe, healthy and fresh start to their post school endeavours and wish everyone the very best of luck in their future.

The CDG that will be issued by WJEC will be available to pupils on August 12th 2021. These can be collected from the main school Hall from 9am until 11am. These will be their official results and can either be collected in person or emailed to their school email address. If you prefer to have these results emailed, please can you email your child's name and date of birth to ybbexams@npt.school.

In addition to this Qualifications Wales have issued additional advice and guidance for learners and this can be accessed via the links below.

[Letter to learners.](#)

[2021 Qualifications "All you need to know".](#)

May I take this opportunity to thank you for your support over the years and wish all of Year 11 the very best for their future endeavours.

Yours sincerely,



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