



18th July 2022

Results day 2022

Dear Year 11 Students, Parents and Carers,

We hope you and your families are well. We wanted to write to let you know about the plans for GCSE results day on Thursday 25 August.

Celebration

To help celebrate our students collecting their GCSE results, we will have an ice cream van and a Kudos coffee shop pop-up stand on site to provide complementary refreshments to students. There will also be a photographer present to record this momentous occasion. Members of the Senior Leadership Team will be on hand to help with the results process and to answer any questions.

Collection of results

We are inviting students to collect their results from 09:00am – 11:00am on Thursday 25 August. Results will be available to collect on the Main Playground, with students then able to enjoy ice creams, hot drinks and photographs once they have collected their results.

Due to the building works that are still taking place on site, we are asking that all students enter the school site via the main entrance, past reception, rather than the old bus bay next to the playground. Please see the plan on the next page. Students will **arrive at the playground via the main staff car park by the library** (all other entrances to the playground will be cordoned off). Students will make their way to the playground and will form a queue at the appropriate results table according to surname. Students will need to sign for their results and then leave the results zone to open their eagerly awaited envelopes, collect a hot drink and an ice cream.

In the event of wet weather, students will need to queue to collect their results from the dance gym (by the exams noticeboard) and we will use the entrance past the staffroom to go into the dance gym, collect results from the appropriate table and then exit via the fire exit doors onto the playground.

If you are unable to collect your exam results in person, **students** (not parents acting on their behalf) need to email our exams officer Mr Ryan-Culver on p.ryan-culver@testbourne.school and we will be able to email results directly to a personal email account or post them out. If you have recently moved house, please update the school office to ensure any postal results go to the correct address.

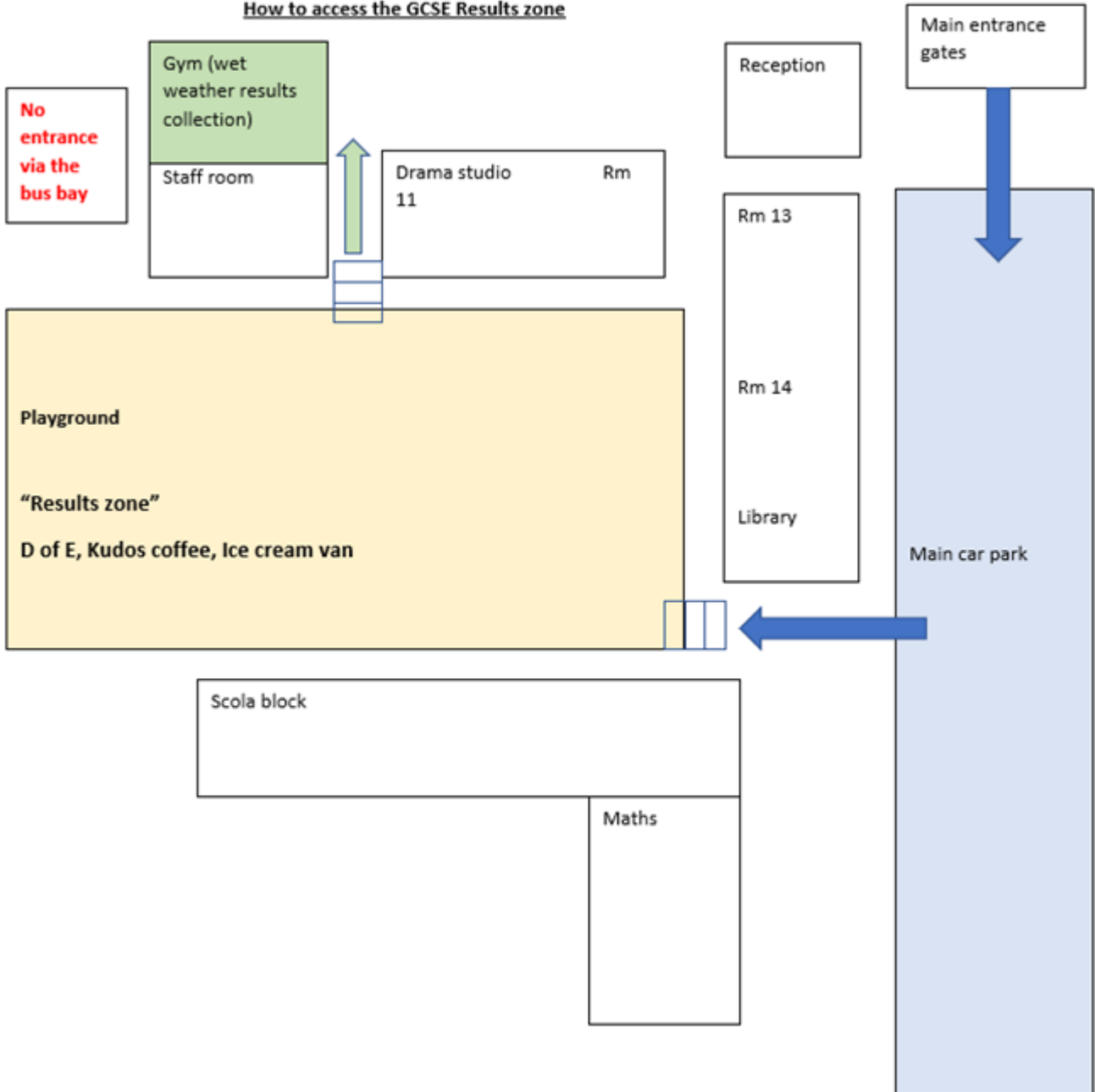
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How to access the GCSE Results zone



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Parents and carers

We appreciate that GCSE results day is a special day for families. Parents and carers are welcome to join their child on the playground while they open their results envelope. Please note that in the event of wet weather, we would ask parents to remain outside (or under the covered walkway) while their child picks up their results envelope from the dance gym.

Parents and carers are welcome to purchase an ice cream or coffee from the van and coffee stand. Please note that complementary ice creams and hot drinks are reserved for students.

Who can I talk to about my results?

In the first instance, we would encourage you to come and talk to a member of the Senior Leadership Team on results day where we will be on hand to support you.

We would strongly advise that students also take time to reflect and review their results away from school. For students who find their grades do not meet the entry criteria for their Post 16 place, we would encourage you to telephone the provider as soon as possible. Post 16 providers are aware that circumstances this year are different to normal and will be happy to advise you.

Exam results webinar for parents & carers

The National Careers Service is running a webinar for parents and carers of students who are collecting exam results this August. If you would like more information and advice on how to support your child with results day and Post-16 choices, click on the following link to register for one of the NCS regional events: [Exams 101 - NCS Webinar](#).

We look forward to celebrating with our Year 11s on the 25 August.

Yours faithfully,

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