



19th March 2020

Dear Parent,

Re: Public exams summer 2020

We heard, as you did yesterday afternoon, that public exams this summer have been 'cancelled'. We know no more than you do what this means. We have no more information or 'inside knowledge' than what was shared at the briefing yesterday. We will let you and our students know as soon as we do.

It is clear that students will be accredited, however, for the courses they have studied so that they can go on to further study, apprenticeships and other training. How this will be managed has not been shared at all. I would assume schools will have to provide some assessment of each students' work in each subject. It may be we are asked to run exams internally (all of the exams have already been written) or judge prior work. All will depend on how long schools are closed for and the systems government ask us to employ.

Please do not worry. We will establish a fair and representative way to ensure students are not disadvantaged and we will share information with you as it comes to us.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rob Corbett'.

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