



Spalding High School

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Dear Year 11 Parents/Carers and Students

As we come to the end of a summer term that has been so incredibly different to what we had all expected and where the cancellation of exams and the new process may have caused some uncertainty and worry, I would like to reassure you that we are committed to helping our external applicants progress onto a post -16 course that is right for you. I would like to share with you the support that will be on offer to you in the days following results day on 20th August.

When you receive your results on 20th August, please email a copy to Hazel.French@spaldinghigh.lincs.sch.uk as soon as possible so that we can begin to process your data. Please also include a convenient contact telephone number in that email as everyone will receive a phone call from a member of our school staff during the afternoon of the 20th or morning of 21st to discuss your application further and ensure that enrolment is complete before you join us on 3rd September.

Should your GCSE final grade for a subject not meet the entry requirement for progression onto a chosen A Level course, it would be useful to know your Centre Assessed Grade so that we can help you make an informed choice about your next steps. If your school has not provided this information, please contact them to request it.

Should you wish to change course from your initial application you should discuss this when you receive a call from school staff. This will be possible providing you meet the entry requirements for your new subject choice and your subject choices fit into the option blocks already set. To check the entry requirements, please see the prospectus on the Sixth Form area of the school website by following the link: <https://www.spaldinghigh.lincs.sch.uk/media/Spalding%20Prospectus%202020%20-%20Web.pdf>. The option blocks on the attached sheet show what will fit into our school timetable, each of your subjects should be in a different block. Some subjects appear in more than one option block. When changing subject, please consider the options carefully. The prospectus and bridging tasks will be useful sources of information to ensure that your new choice is right for you.

On the 3rd August the Careers and Enterprise Company have put together a national event to showcase the range of support for young people aged 16 and 18 through transition processes. The following link can be used to register for the event: <https://learnliveuk.com/the-careers-enterprise-company-my-choices/>. I would encourage you to have a look and consider registering for this event, for advice and support on managing your next steps and future careers.

I hope that you all have a restful summer break and I look forward to seeing you on 3rd September when I can welcome you officially as a student of Spalding High School for the start of your Sixth Form studies.

Your Sincerely

Mrs F Haunch
Head of Sixth Form



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Spalding High School 2020 A Level option blocks

<u>BLOCK A</u>	<u>BLOCK B</u>	<u>BLOCK C</u>	<u>BLOCK D</u>	<u>BLOCK E</u>
Chemistry	Art	Biology	Biology	Biology
Drama	Business	Business	Criminology	Core Maths
Design Technology	Chemistry	English Literature	German	English Language
Geography	Core Maths	Maths	Psychology	Music
Law	Further Maths	Maths	Physical education	Psychology
Psychology	History	Sociology	Physics	
Photography	Religious Studies			
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