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Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Y11 Examinations

The government has cancelled exams this summer and I Know you will be concerned and anxious as to how grades and marks will be awarded.

Currently we have very limited information on this from the Government, other than we will be moving to a system of Teacher Assessed Grades. I wanted to reassure you that we will be working very hard to ensure that learners receive the grades they deserve and that a robust process will be put in place to ensure there is a fair and consistent approach to this.

Therefore, for all Year 11 learners it is vitally important they engage with all of the remote learning that is set. They will need to stay on top of coursework assignments and classwork to ensure that they are fully up to date with all work that has been set and that teachers have as much evidence at their disposal when grades are allocated. If families need support with regards to access to IT equipment please get in touch with your child's Year Manager and this can be arranged for you.

Our Careers Advice Service still continues for learners to access. Megan Grimley, our Careers Advisor will be in touch with learners who haven't yet had a 'one to one' appointment and you can contact her via her email address grimleym@kepier.com .

I thank you in advance for your support and if you would like to discuss things further please do contact staff in school who can offer support through this challenging time.

Yours sincerely

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