



All staff at OAO hope that all our Y11 students continue to be safe and well, at home with their families. We wanted to take the opportunity to give you some Year 11 updates to lend some reassurance during this unsettling time.

All Y11 students should have received their mock grades in the post. Please note these are not the student's final grades but a reflection of working at grades in March. Final GCSE grades will not be shared until we have a formal results day in the summer, which we will share more information on this when we know more from the government and Ofqual guidance.

We continue to be in contact with colleges. We have provided on our website some guidance from colleges on independent study suggestions, along with a number of Pixl Transition materials that students can be using to better prepare themselves for Post-16 study. Additionally we know colleges are doing their best to contact our students to update them on their college places. If your child has not had their place confirmed, we would encourage you to contact their chosen college. Should you have any other concerns please contact Mr Farrand ([a.farrand@oasisoldham.org](mailto:a.farrand@oasisoldham.org)) or Miss Hussain ([f.hussain@oasisoldham.org](mailto:f.hussain@oasisoldham.org)).

Whilst we know that students will be disappointed with the closure of our school meaning that many of the end of Year 11 celebrations are postponed, we want to make clear that they are just that, postponed, we do not want our students to miss out. We will make certain that we rebook a Prom date, organise a special leavers assembly and that students will have the opportunity to buy our traditional leavers hoody. These will be arranged at a time that is safe to do so and we will update you when the time arises to make these plans.

Our staff are certainly missing our students greatly, we hope this is reflected in our staff video. If you haven't had a chance to see, it can be found on Youtube, a link of which can be found on our social media platforms.

Whilst online learning has ceased for Year 11, all teaching staff are still available on email should students have any individual questions that need answering, please do not hesitate to contact, they will be happy to help.

Kind Regards

**Miss C Higgins**