13th July 2020

Dear Students,

Cc: Parents/Carers,

We are writing to you to update you on the process for the collection of exam results, 2020.

Unfortunately, though it is not what we had hoped we would be able to do, we will be moving to a system of delivering your exam results to you electronically this year. Due to the current government guidelines relating to Covid-19, the restrictions have considerably hindered our ability to be able to carry out the normal face to face distribution of exam results. We are deeply saddened by this, as we place enormous value on being there with you all when you receive your results, whether that be to celebrate with you, or support you if you have not achieved the results you were hoping for.

However, we will be in touch with each and every one of you, via the parent/carer’s phone number that we hold on your student record, on results day to talk to you about your results and your next steps. We will make telephone appointments available with our Sixth Form team for those of you needing support with your Sixth Form or university applications. We will support you in booking an appointment with our independent careers advisor, Mrs Brazier. Importantly, we will also make our well-being team available to you, should you need to talk through anything other than Sixth Form or careers. Regrettably, we will not be able to share your results with you over the phone.

***How do I get my results?***

Your results will be shared with you via email on the morning of your results day (13th August for A Level and other post-16 qualifications, 20th August for GCSE and other Level 2 qualifications). You will need to access your school gmail account in order to receive these results. This may include a formal offer from the Sixth Form Team, which you will need to digitally accept or decline, if applicable. We encourage you to check your school email account now to make sure you can access it, where you will also see a copy of this letter, either via a web browser on your computer, or via the gmail app.

***What if I have no way to access my results on a computer or a mobile smart phone?***

Please send a written request to us, at the school, providing a self, stamped addressed envelope. We will post your results out to you on results day in the envelope you have provided us with. The timeframe for receiving these will depend on royal mail delivery times.

Address:

Postal Exam Results ℅ Exams Office

Ormiston Rivers Academy

Southminster Road

Burnham-on-Crouch

Essex CM08QB

***I have forgotten my log in details for my school google account.***

Please email Mr Crawford on mcrawford@ormistonriversacademy.co.uk for support in accessing your school google account.

***I have further questions about the process that was used by the academy and the government in determining my results:***

We have produced a detailed series of documents, including frequently asked questions that will help you to understand how your grades were calculated, with references to appeals and resits. Further information regarding resit opportunities will be shared with you on results days. The information on our website includes the process carried out by the academy and a range of published documents from the Department for Education explaining their expectations and the statistical standardisation process.

**LINK TO WEBPAGE**

We look forward to speaking to you all on results days, and wish you every success for your futures, wherever they may take you.

Warm regards,

Ms S Carroll

Assistant Principal