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Dear Parent/Carer

A Level and GCSE Examinations Summer 2019- Contingency Day Wednesday, 26th June 2019

The summer exams may seem some time away but I wish to share some information with you to avoid any issues next summer. For the first time, a contingency exam day has been arranged by the exam boards and added to the exam timetable.

This date has been set aside as the contingency day, Wednesday 26th June. This means that all students should be available to sit any rescheduled exams up to and including Wednesday 26th June 2019.

Therefore, please ensure holidays for students sitting any GCSE or A level exams this summer are booked for after 26th June 2019.

According to the Joint Council for Qualifications, the contingency day has been arranged for 'GCSE and/or GCE examinations, should sustained national or local disruption arise during June 2019 examination series'. Hopefully there will be no such disruption and no need to reschedule any exams, but it would be terrible if any student missed an exam because plans had been made prior to the contingency day.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher