

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

What happens if I am not happy with my results?

If the results achieved are not what was hoped for, Ofqual have stated that "students who feel that their grades from the summer do not reflect their ability will have the opportunity to take exams in the autumn series or summer 2021. If they choose to do this, students will be able to use the higher of the two grades for future progression".

What happens if I do not collect my results on Results Day?

Please note that, if a student is unable to collect their results on the day, and wish for their results to be released to another person, this must be confirmed in writing prior to Results Day. Any students in this position should email Mrs Clayton – claytond@dartonacademy.org.uk

Can I re-sit my GCSEs?

We are hopeful that the majority of you will be pleased with the grades that you are awarded. However, we also understand that some of you may be disappointed and believe that you could have achieved higher grades if you had sat your examinations. The Government have confirmed that a full set of GCSE examinations will be available to students in the autumn. These will take place in November 2020. If you believe that you will want to sit any of these examinations, you must make sure that we have up to date contact details for you. We will be confirming these on results day. Please register your interest to resit by emailing claytond2@dartonacademy.org.uk with the subject(s) you are considering re-sitting by 12:00pm on Friday 4th September.

Can I appeal my results?

The Government have also updated their guidance on the appeals process for 2020 results. It states that "appeals should be allowed where a Centre (school) believes it has made an error when submitting its information; or similarly, if the Centre believes an exam board made a mistake when calculating, assigning or communicating a grade". Please be assured that we will check all grades carefully against the grades that were submitted.