

Wednesday 2nd October 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

The outcome of SQA appeals will be shared with centres later this week. Last session, only a very small percentage of appeals placed were successful. I would envisage a similar percentage to be successful this session. The appeals process has changed significantly in recent years, with SQA now conducting a marking check of pupil exam papers to determine any required change to grades.

Can I remind you of the following:

- because this is a robust process that included a marking review of their SQA-marked assessments, the outcome is final and there is no further means to appeal.
- in line with the marking process for August results, SQA cannot provide individual feedback on appeals outcomes.

If your young person has been successful, I will communicate this with each young person and their parents/carers by the end of this week. If you do not hear from me, please assume that your young person has been unsuccessful in their appeal.

Kind regards,

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Mr D Lowrie (S6 Year Head/SQA Coordinator)