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Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Cancellation of Vocational Examinations – January Series 2021

Following the government announcements over the last two days, St Joseph's College have decided to cancel the January Examination Series for all Year 12 and 13 vocational students (BTEC, CTEC and VTCT inclusive). This decision has been taken to protect the health and wellbeing of our students, their families and the wider community in light of the on-going pandemic.

We have been in consultation with all of the examination boards and they have confirmed that students will not be disadvantaged as a result of our choice of action.

As it currently stands, there may be an opportunity in the March exam series for students in selected subjects to sit these examinations. However, this is not confirmed as we still await guidance from OfQual regarding assessments and grading. We do not know at this stage how students will be assessed. As such, it is imperative that students remain present in their live lessons and complete all online work.

As further information becomes available, we will disseminate this promptly to ensure all students are fully informed and prepared for any eventuality.

If you have any questions or queries, please contact Mr Cabrera directly (scabrera@sjc.ac).

Yours Sincerely,

Dr Kate Woodburn
Director of Sixth Form