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Principal: Mrs Rachel Kitley 19<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Dear parent/carer,

As we draw towards the end of this academic year and closer to A level results day, I wanted to express my admiration for our Year 13 students regarding their continued resilience and dedication to studies during the past two years. They are a credit to our sixth form and will forever remain a beacon of determination and optimism.

A level results day is Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> August and the sixth form team will be on hand to assist with university placement confirmation and careers advice required. I am sure that many students are looking forward to attending the sixth form to collect their results and celebrate a momentous rite of passage. The building will be open from 8:30am for collection of results and the sixth form team will be available to support as required. If you are unable to collect your results in person on the day, please contact infor@cowesec.org asap to make arrangements to receive them.

University placing and Clearing will go live at 8am via the UCAS HUB on 17<sup>th</sup> August. Here students will be able to see whether they have met the conditions of their university offer. Further information about Clearing is available on the UCAS website https://www.ucas.com/ and the sixth form team will be on hand to support.

Island Futures

Apprenticeship and employment applications will be supported by sixth form team and our dedicated independent careers partners Island Futures who will be available to contact via Skills & Participation telephone for advice and guidance. Contact 01983 823888 or email: island.futures@iow.gov.uk

It would be incredibly helpful for future generations of sixth form students to learn from the experiences and benefit from the wisdom of previous students. Please join our alumni programme to inspire the sixth form students of the future to follow their dreams and aspirations. Contact Mrs Cody for further details: Scody@cowesec.org

A level Certificates arrive before the end of the Autumn Term and are available for collection before being posted home in January. The certificates are difficult and expensive to replace so it is vital that we have accurate address and contact details for students that would like their certificates posted. Please contact <u>admin@cowesec.org</u> to confirm your contact details if you would like your certificates posted to you.

I look forward to seeing all year 13 students on 17<sup>th</sup> August to celebrate success and offer information, advice and guidance to ensure a smooth transition to a bright and prosperous future.

David Sanchez-Brown

Assistant Principal Head of Sixth Form and Careers