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Our Ref:  
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To All Secondary Pupils

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Dear Pupil,

### **Provisional Results for National 5, Higher and Advanced Higher Qualifications**

As we approach the end of term, it is important that you have confirmation of the provisional results that will be submitted to the SQA by your school on the 25 June. These results have been determined by teachers and school staff and have been based on the best assessment evidence available to them. Please be assured that moderation processes involving all schools and the SQA have been put in place to ensure that results are fair and equitable across schools in Dumfries and Galloway and, more widely, with schools across Scotland.

The SQA has stated that it will not change the provisional results submitted unless there is an unexpected administrative error.

Certificates will be issued by the SQA on the 10 August. Please sign up for [mysqa.org.uk](http://mysqa.org.uk) if you wish to receive results by text or email. The SQA has also published advice about the appeals process for this session and this is available on the SQA website.

If you need help to consider your next steps, your school will be able to offer advice and support as usual. This will include signposting supports available from Skills Development Scotland and Employability and Skills.

I hope that you can now look forward to some rest and relaxation in the summer break after what has been a challenging time since your return to school. For those of you who are leaving school I wish you every success for the future.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Jim Brown', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

**Jim Brown**  
**Head of Education (Quality & Curriculum) and Chief Education Officer**