

JRA/AC

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Dear Parent/Carer

At Central Academy interim reports are available to parents three times a year, with a final summative report at the end of the academic year. Interim reports are available through Insight this week. A text message will be sent home when they are available. If you have not yet logged onto Insight, please contact the Academy reception.

For each subject an age-related, working towards GCSE grade from 1 to 9 has been collected. The table below is included as a comparison between the new 9 – 1 grades and the old A\*- G, which you might be more familiar with.

**How the new grades compare with the old ones**

Old grades	New grades
A*	9
	8
A	7
B	6
	5 STRONG PASS
C	4 STANDARD PASS
D	3
E	
F	2
G	1
U	U

Source: Ofqual

BBC

Age-related grades are an indication of progress towards GCSE outcomes; e.g. if a student is working at a grade 5 now and they continue to make the same progress, they should achieve this grade at the end of Year 11.

All students have been assigned target grades, based on their Key Stage 2 (end of primary school) outcomes, which will be on their report.

Students' effort and attitude to learning grades are also reported; those who have excellent attitudes to learning will be rewarded for this.

If you would like to speak to a member of staff regarding your son/daughter's progress, then please contact their form tutor in the first instance.

Yours faithfully



**Miss Rae**  
**Assistant Principal**