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MAKING IT THROUGH!

We have finally come to the end of a term that has been like no other. Some figures for you – our SQA students between them have taken part in 196 different assessments this term – ranging across every subject. We've had practical performances, portfolios, multiple choice tests, speaking test and some longer

assessments as well. Our staff have prepared students, come up with assessments, provided feedback, marked what students have produced, and have discussed and moderated with colleagues on a local, regional and national level. At the end we are proud of what they have achieved – continuing our picture of improving results over every level during the last six years. I'd like to say well done to everyone for working so hard, persevering, and coming up trumps when needed. It's been an awesome effort!





Our full results of our Sports days can be found overleaf. Thank you to everyone who took part and all those who set up the events.



We are not expecting changes, but results sent out on Monday will be confirmed on August 10^{th} . Please sign up using the 'My SQA' App to receive them electronically –a certificate will be sent to your house. The Appeals service is open from Friday 25th June as per the attached flyer.



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Time to say goodbye... and hello!

The end of a year is often full of comings and goings. We are saying goodbye to a number of members of staff. Mr Borthwick is retiring to seek a peaceful life hunting and fishing – he's even bought a boat! Hopefully it will be big enough for a giant gnome or two! We are also saying goodbye to Mrs Hodgkins who is off to the states to study – we will miss her warmth even as she is sunning herself in California! We said goodbye also to Mrs Hill who has taken a Business post at Berwickshire High School – she (and her cakes) will be much missed. We thank Mr Mackenzie, Mr Wallace and Mr Swanson in English, PE and Science/Maths for their contributions to the school in their probationary year, and wish them well. Our thanks also to Ms Wooton who has been teaching in our Additional Needs department.

Of course, many of our young people are leaving to achive so many different things. For example, here is a picture of Ying Chen, achieving top marks in Higher Textiles and



Fashion, who has secured a place at Lasalle College of Arts in Signapore to study Creative Fashion. We wish her, and all of our leavers, well in their chosen path.

It was great to finally be able to see our new P7 pupils in school – and for them to meet staff, have a look round and be able to cast eyes on our First Year Friends. It was great to see them visibly relax as the day went on and we look forward to seeing them smart and eager in August.



Check out these two Sways about keeping your mind healthy this Summer – <u>Presentation 1</u>, and <u>Presentation 2</u>. Thanks to Mrs Walker for putting these together for us. There are two new websites offering online help called **Togetherall** and **Kooth**. You can sign up for these in an anonymous way and gain access tro support.



There are brilliant opportunities for Music Instruction at school – <u>click here!</u> If interested please speak to Mr Sanderson and he will put you in touch with our Instrumental Staff. This is great for everyone, but especially new starts and our new S1 pupils for August!

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RESULTS OF THE 2021 ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIP



<u>S1 - Boys</u> Winner = Aaron Sim (1E2) Second = Paddy Forsyth (1E1)

<u>S1 – Girls</u> Winner = Evie Gray (1E2) Second = Caitlin Jamieson (1E2)

<u>S2 – Boys</u> Joint Winners = Luke Elliot and Thomas Mark (2E2)

<u>S2 – Girls</u> Winner = Ava Burgon (2T1) Joint Second = Katie Aitchison (2E1) and LylaKay Dunn (2E2)

<u>S3 – Boys</u> Winner = Reuben Bewsey (3T1) Second = Finlay Valentine (3T2)

<u>S3 – Girls</u> Winner = Sierra Frank (3T2) Second = Mia Prescott-Clements (3T2)

<u>S4 – Boys</u> Winner = Stuart Weeks Second = Ben Robertson

<u>S4 – Girls</u> Winner = Ellie Duffy Second = Isabella Renton

<u>Seniors – Boys</u> Winner = Jonathon Hoffman (S6) Second = Oliver Mace (S5)