

Leaving Certificate 2020 Results on 7th September 2020

Dear Leaving Cert 2020 Students,

Results day is almost here! We wish each and every one of you the very best for tomorrow and for the future.

Please see the following information, including extracts from DES Guidelines for schools.

Key Dates

The following grid outlines the key dates associated with the 2020 Calculated Grades process.

7 th September at 9.00 am	Results of the Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme and Leaving Certificate Applied Calculated Grades will issue.
7 th September	UCAS offers received by students
11 th September	Deadline for return of Forms A, B, C and D, reconciliation sheet (where applicable) and school sign-off form to the Calculated Grades Executive Office.
11 th September	CAO first round offers
14 th September	Students can access their estimated percentage mark and calculated mark through the student portal.
14 th September	Appeals application process open to students through the student portal from 9.00 a.m.
16 th September	Appeals application process closes at 5.00 p.m.
23 rd September	CAO round 2 offers

If you wish to make contact with our Guidance Counsellors and other members of the support team we will be happy to support you over the phone. Call us on 071 9631208 and we will direct your call to Mr. Reynolds, Ms. Hanly or Ms. Hargaden Ward. Conversations with students are intended "to support wellbeing and to discuss future education and career options, but there should be no discussions about school estimated marks submitted as part of the calculated grades process" (quotation from Department guidance document). Any questions or queries in this regard should be directed to the Calculated Grades helpline/email.

In line with public health advice and the school's visitor policy, any appointment to visit the school will have to be made in advance with Ms. Duffy.

In line with public health advice, gathering large groups of students in one venue is not recommended at this time.

The Leaving Certificate student helpline which is provided by the National Parents Council post-primary will be available from 7th September for students to reach a guidance counsellor with any queries that they may have.

The wellbeing of the students who receive the calculated grades will be supported through a number of additional measures.

- a. The Leaving Certificate student helpline, at 1800 265 165, which is provided by the National Parents Council post-primary will be available from 11.00 am on 7th September for students to reach a guidance counsellor with any queries that they may have. This helpline will operate until after the CAO first round offers and is staffed by qualified guidance counsellors. Further details can be found at <https://www.npcpp.ie/leaving-cert-helpline/>
- b. HSE/HSE-funded service providers will be available to support students through the provision of e-mental health services. <https://www2.hse.ie/wellbeing/mental-health/covid-19/minding-your-mental-health-during-the-coronavirus-outbreak.html>
- c. Wellbeing resources developed by the National Educational Psychological Service are available at www.gov.ie/leavingcert
- d. CGEO helpline will be available at 1800 111135 or 1800 111136 from 9.00 am to 4.00 pm from Monday 7th September to Wednesday 16th September. Outside of these hours queries may be e-mailed to lcsupport2020@education.gov.ie. Please note this helpline is provided for queries relating to the Calculated Grades results only and cannot provide advice on any other matters.
- e. Information available from the Central Applications Office (CAO) at www.cao.ie at www.cao.ie

PRINT OFF A HARD COPY OF YOUR RESULTS!! Please remember to print off a hard copy of your results from the Portal, as the school will not receive a copy of your results in that format. File the document carefully as we will not have a copy of results for the class of 2020 should you need it into the future!

On behalf of all the Staff of Mohill Community College, we wish you only the very best now and in the future. Our year has not ended as we would have wished, but within the strangeness of it all we look for the positives, and hope that lessons in resilience will stand us in good stead into the future.

Stay safe and well, and we look forward to hearing of your success now and in the future.

Ms. Duffy, Ms. Callinan and Staff.

