

Extended Project Qualification Marks 2025-26

Dear Year 13 Students and Parents/Carers,

We would like to inform you about the release of your centre assessed marks for the Extended Project Qualification (EPQ), and to explain the process for requesting a review should you have any concerns.

1. Your EPQ Mark

You will receive your provisional EPQ mark on Friday 12th September attached to an email. Please note that this mark is subject to moderation by AQA and may change as a result of that process.

2. Requesting a Review

Please be assured that the work has been carefully marked by experienced staff in line with the exam board's criteria and internal standardisation procedures. However, if you believe that an error has been made in the marking, you have the right to request a review of the centre-assessed mark. To do so, you must:

- Submit your request in writing by completing a review request form, available from our school website.
- Include your name, candidate number, and a brief explanation outlining why you believe a review is appropriate (e.g., incorrect application of mark scheme or overlooked evidence).

The deadline for submitting a request is **9:00am on Wednesday 17th September.** Requests received after this deadline cannot be considered.

For further information and the review request forms please see our school policy on Centre Assessed Marking.

3. What Happens Next

If a review is requested:

- Your work will be reviewed by a teacher from another centre who was not involved in the original marking and who is familiar
 with the assessment criteria.
- The reviewer will consider whether the mark awarded was accurate based on the AQA mark scheme. You will be informed of the outcome in writing before marks are submitted to AQA.

Please be aware that following a review, your mark may go up, down, or remain the same.

4. After the Review

Once the internal review process is complete, all marks will be submitted to AQA, who may adjust them during moderation. The final grade will be released by email in **January 2026.** The results you receive will reflect any changes made by the exam board at that stage.

If you have any questions about the process or would like advice before requesting a review, please speak to me directly.

Well done on completing your EPQ - it is a significant achievement, and we hope you are proud of the work you have produced.

Wishing you the very best for the year ahead. Yours faithfully,

Miss Gray

EPQ Coordinator

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