

## Royal Grammar School – Post-Results Services 2023 (GCSE)

Please find below details of the Post-Results Services the Exam Boards are offering following the Summer 2023 examination series.

**Before you decide to apply for any Post-Results Service (PRS), you are strongly advised to seek advice from the relevant Subject Leader.** In particular, if you are considering a review of marking you should see where your result stands in relation to the grade boundaries for the subject overall and/or the individual papers. Remember: reviews of marking can result in marks and grades going up or down, so you should NOT apply for a review of marking if your grade is close to a lower grade boundary.

Grade-boundary information will be sent to you on Results Day. Subject Leaders or their deputies will be contactable on Results Day to advise you on reviews of marking.

After you have consulted the relevant Subject Leader(s) you will be able to request any of the PRSs detailed below. You must complete the Post-Results Service Form and submit it to the Examinations Office, with the appropriate payment by the relevant deadline.

### SUMMARY OF POST-RESULTS SERVICES:

Service	Type	Deadline	Exam Board	Cost per Paper
1	<b>Priority Review of Marking</b> Please add an additional £10 per paper if you require a photocopy of the reviewed script.	Tuesday 29 August	Edexcel/Pearson only	£55
2	<b>Priority Access to Script (copy) to decide on the next steps</b>	Tuesday 29 September	AQA Edexcel/Pearson OCR Eduqas	£10
3	<b>Review of Marking</b> Please add an additional £10 per paper if you require a photocopy of the reviewed script.	Tuesday 26 September	AQA Edexcel/Pearson OCR Eduqas	£50
4	<b>Access to Script (original) to support teaching and learning</b>	Tuesday 26 September	AQA Edexcel/Pearson OCR Eduqas	£10
5	<b>Clerical Check</b> Please add an additional £10 per paper if you require a photocopy of the reviewed script.	Tuesday 26 September	AQA Edexcel/Pearson OCR Eduqas	£10

1. **PRIORITY REVIEW OF MARKING:** a priority review of marking will be completed within 15 calendar days of the Exam Board receiving the application.
2. **PRIORITY ACCESS TO SCRIPT (COPY):** a priority script can be used to decide whether to apply for a review of marking.
3. **REVIEW OF MARKING:** a standard review of marking is usually completed within 20 calendar days of the Exam Board receiving the application.
4. **ACCESS TO SCRIPT (ORIGINAL):** you can request a copy of your marked exam paper from the Exam Board to support teaching and learning. If you are considering a review of marking, DO NOT use this service.
5. **CLERICAL CHECK:** the marks on the original script are added up to check that the total is correct, and completed within 10 calendar days.
6. **COPY OF REVIEWED SCRIPT:** this option can be selected when requesting either a priority or standard review of marking

#### **FAQs for GCSE Statements of Results and Post-Results Services**

1. **I am unsure if I should apply for a review of marking. What should I do?**  
Your result information will contain your subject grade and overall mark. First of all, check the GCSE Grade Boundaries document to see how close you are to the grade boundary, then contact the Subject Leader to find out whether you should consider a review of marking.
2. **Why is it not advisable to request a review of marking in two papers of the same GCSE qualification?**  
One review of marking may go up and the other may go down. As a result, the overall grade might not change. Our advice is to request a review of marking for one unit as soon as possible, wait for the result, and then consider the possibility of a review of marking for the second paper.
3. **I have received my script back and I disagree with the marks given. What should I do?**  
Please seek your Subject Leader's advice urgently. He or she will be able to advise on whether to proceed with a review of marking.
4. **What happens to my payment if the grade goes up or down?**  
If the overall grade goes up, the money will be refunded to you.
5. **What should I do if I cannot afford any of the Post-Results Services listed above?**  
Please speak to an Assistant Head.
6. **How do I apply for any PRS?**  
Please fill in the Post Results Service Google form and submit it with the appropriate payment by the relevant deadline.
7. **Can I come to the Exams Office to apply for PRS?**  
The Exam Office will be open until 4.30 pm on Results Day. From Friday, August 25<sup>th</sup> until Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup> the Exams Office will be open from 10 am – 2 pm. The Exams Office re-opens on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September.

**Remember: MARKS CAN GO UP, DOWN OR REMAIN THE SAME**