








the National Parent Forum of Scotland

NPFS Parent & Carer Information for 2023 Exam Results

NPFS work in partnership with organisations and agencies involved in different elements of education and have put this information sheet together for parents and carers to help them understand what support is available after their young person has received their SQA 2023 exam results.

	What will happen on the day of the results?
	On the 8 th of August the official SQA Exam 2023 Results will be published. Result Certificates should arrive by post on the 8 th of August. If your child has signed up for MySQA they will receive their results by text on the 8 th of August and a results certificate will also be posted to them.
	The SQA Appeals Service is a free service that can be used if your child has concerns about the grades of any of their results. Further information about the SQA Appeals service can be found Appeals - SQA or you can call them on 0345 279 1000. Appeals should be submitted urgently and by the dates detailed on their website.

	Will there be support available for advice and guidance?
	School or College – Your child’s school or college will be able to provide advice about potential changes to future subject choices. Contact them immediately to ensure that any concerns are dealt with quickly.
	Skills Development Scotland (SDS) – The SDS 2023 results helpline 0808 100 8000 will be staffed by more than 30 expert careers advisers. It will be open on 8 th – 11 th August and will offer advice about post school options including UK Colleges and Universities. There will also be information about Confirmation (final decision about conditional offers at university) and Clearing (what courses are still available at university), all Apprenticeship Opportunities, Jobs, Volunteering and staying on at school. You can speak to a career’s advisor, at your nearest centre .
	Further details can be found by visiting the My World of Work SDS Website My World of Work

British Sign Language – BSL users can use the Contact Scotland App . This App allows users to sign with an <u>interpreter who will make any phone calls for you.</u>
Wellbeing Support is available from - How do I improve my mood after my exams? - BBC Bitesize

Further information SQA provides a service to return non-examination material submitted to them or coursework due to be assessed for the 2023 examination diet. The following information will assist you when requesting SQA to return non-examination materials submitted to them for assessment. Find out more here: https://bit.ly/3PXT709
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NPFS hope that you find this information document helpful and thank you for taking the time to read it.

If you have any questions or would like any further information, please contact us at office@npfs.org.uk