

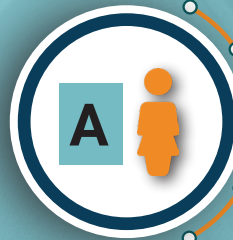
Process for awarding GCSEs, AS and A levels summer 2020

Step 1 - School or college considers and submits centre assessment grade and rank order information

For each student for each subject

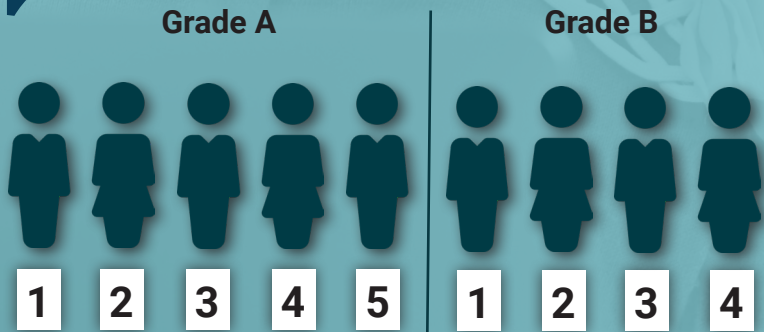
Centre assessment grade based on evidence of performance

For example
A level geography



- Any non-exam assessment work
- Classwork
- Homework
- Mock exams
- Other relevant evidence

Position in rank order of students on that grade



Step 2 - Exam boards standardise grades using statistical model developed with Ofqual

For each subject



Statistical standardisation

What results might the school or college be most likely to achieve given the following?

- previous national results in the subject
- the prior attainment of its students this year compared to previous years
- the school or college results in recent years



Centre assessment grade

A A A A A B B B B

Rank order

1 2 3 4 5 1 2 3 4

If grades are generous, adjust grades down

Calculated grade

A A B B B B B B B

If grades are severe, adjust grades up

Calculated grade

A A A A A A B B B