**Information for candidates**

The following information explains what may happen following an appeal.

If your school or centre submits a request for an appeal of the original moderation decision after your result has been issued, there are three possible outcomes:

* Your original achievement is lowered, so your final award may be lower than the original award you received.
* Your original achievement is confirmed as correct, so there is no change to your result.
* Your original achievement is improved, so your final result may be higher than the original result you received.

In order to proceed with the appeal, you must sign the form below. This tells the head of your school or centre that you have understood what the outcome might be, and that you give your consent to the appeal being submitted.

**Candidate consent form**

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| Centre number | Centre name |
| Candidate number | Candidate name |

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| Details of the appeal |

I give my consent to the head of my school or centre to submit an appeal for the qualification listed above. In giving consent I understand that the final result awarded to me following the appeal, may be lower than, higher than, or the same as the result which was originally awarded.

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| Signed (candidate) | Date |

This form should be retained on the centre’s files for at least six months following the outcome of the appeal.