

## CONFIDENTIAL MATERIALS PROCEDURE DORIN PARK SCHOOL

(Exams/Assessments Suite)

**REVIEWED:** Senior Leadership Team

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This document is reviewed annually to ensure compliance with current regulations

## **Receipt of confidential materials**

- Envelopes and boxes containing confidential materials are signed for
- A log is kept at reception, recording the delivery of confidential materials
- Each awarding body's deliveries and the number of boxes received is logged
- Confidential materials are delivered only to those authorised by the head of centre
  - o For our centre, the authorised members of staff are:
    - The Exams Officer
    - Jane Rowlinson

## General instructions for storage of confidential materials

- Examination materials will be stored securely at all times
- Examination materials will only be accessed in accordance with the awarding body's specific instructions
- Only persons authorised by the head of centre and the exams officer are allowed access to the centre's secure storage facility
  - Those authorised/with keys to the centre's secure storage facility are:
    - The Exams Officer
    - Jane Rowlinson
- Our centre will maintain the confidentiality of candidate responses and candidate details
- Our centre will ensure that all timed assignments are stored securely both before and after examination sessions

## **Checking question paper packets**

The Exams Officer will check question paper packets in the presence of Jane Rowlinson.

On receipt, checking of question paper packets and examination materials will occur and a log of this check will be kept. This will happen in our centre's secure room. The awarding body will be informed immediately if there are any problems/discrepancies. The materials will remain in our centre's secure storage facility until the day of the examination.

If it is not possible to check question paper packets immediately upon receipt, they will be locked away in our centre's secure storage facility until the Exams Officer is available to make the necessary checks in the presence of Jane Rowlinson.