

Friday 17 May 2024

Dear Parents and Guardians,

## **GCSE Mathematics Calculators**

The IGCSE specification (which we teach from L5 to U5) allows students to use more advanced calculators than in the past. The ClassWiz FX-991CW advanced scientific calculator is a numeric calculator with all the functionality required by Ofqual. The better the calculator, the more verification tools you have to check your answers in exams. This calculator enables solving of quadratics, inequalities and simultaneous equations. I recommend purchasing this calculator in L4 so that there is plenty of time to become familiar with the functionality.

The calculator can be engraved with your child's name (£1.45 extra)  
We are offering the ClassWiz calculators at a price of £25 which is a special price for schools. If you would like to purchase one of these calculators, please complete the [Microsoft form](#) below by **Friday 28 June 2024**.

Yours faithfully,  
Mrs I Barrett Walsh  
**Head of Mathematics**

