

2022 – A-Level and BTEC Press Statement

Headline figures

516 A-Level entries of which

- 13.4% were at grade A*
- 36.2% were at grades A*-A
- 60.3% were at grades A*-B
- 83.3% were at grades A*-C

69 BTEC entries of which

- 31.9% were at grade Distinction*
- 66.6% were at grades Distinction* and Distinction
- 82.7% were at grades Distinction*, Distinction and Merit

Commentary

Congratulations to the Class of 2022 on responding so impressively to the return of external examinations after two years of Covid changes to assessment arrangements.

The careful planning of teaching by our hard-working staff, the provision of extensive support in response to periods of Covid isolation or absence from school and the determination of our students have combined to produce excellent performance across all subjects.

We are proud of the way that the 'class of 2022' have seized opportunities across our Whole Curriculum.

The powerful knowledge of our Formal Curriculum subjects has inspired our students to embark on an exciting range of degree courses and apprenticeships that will prove invaluable through life's journey.

The Wilmslow Way has helped nurture and develop them as young people of character, whether through their involvement as Peer Mentors, Reading Buddies or as Senior Student Leaders providing insights as to the priorities of this generation and as positive role models to younger students.

On top of this, our Wider Curriculum offers an extensive range of enriching experiences that the class of 2022 have engaged with and contributed strongly to throughout their time in the school. Powerful examples of this during this cohort's time in the sixth form have been memorable events such as the online Wilmslow's Got Talent Competitions, the revival of music ensembles post-Covid (with the student-led Jazz Band being especially prominent) and the return of the full range of competitive and participatory sport where our senior Teams have performed highly in national and local competitions.

Of course, today has a strong focus on what our students are now progressing onto and some of the highlights among the highly competitive courses that the class of 2022 will be taking up from September are:

- Anthropology & Archaeology
- Architecture
- Biomedical Science
- Civil & Structural Engineering
- Computer Science
- Costume for Performance
- Criminology
- Economics
- Electrical & Electronic Engineering
- History
- History & Politics
- Journalism
- Liberal Arts & Science
- Mathematics
- Mechanical Engineering
- Medicine
- Modern Languages

- Politics & International Relations
- Popular Music Performance and Song writing
- Sport & Exercise Science
- Veterinary Medicine

These courses will be studied at prestigious universities such as

- Cambridge
- Oxford
- Imperial London
- King's London
- UCL
- Durham
- Bath
- Birmingham
- Bristol
- Exeter
- Leeds
- Manchester
- Newcastle
- Nottingham
- Sheffield
- York

So today will bring joy and delight to the many young people whose results will meet their hopes and enable them to take the next step onto the courses, apprenticeships or employment opportunities that they have been preparing for.

We share their excitement and congratulate them on these results.

We also thank our young people for all that they have contributed and achieved during their time at Wilmslow and we give them our best wishes for the future.



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