

Hawarden High School Press Release: Thursday 16 August 2018

Subject: Year 13 Advanced Level Results

Simon Budgen, Headteacher of Hawarden High School is delighted to report the high levels of success achieved by the Year 13 students in their A Level examinations this year. Mr. Budgen stated "There has been a ten percent improvement on last year's headline Level 3 Threshold figures with a very pleasing proportion of higher level grades also being awarded; over half of all grades were A*, A or B and three quarters of grades achieved at A*-C". It is also pleasing to see the results of the AS examinations with one in ten students of the Year 12 cohort achieving at least three A grades – something which bodes well for next year.

Mr. Budgen congratulated all of the students, recognising the hard work that has been invested in order to achieve the results. A number of students were singled out for particular mention (see list below) but all students and their teachers should be praised for the outstanding efforts.

Headline Stats

- Over 350 examination papers were sat
- 66 A* and A grades were awarded
- Over half of all grades received were A*, A or B
- The school's overall pass rate this year is 98%

Notable Successes

- Adam Brooke-Jones achieved 3 A* grades and an A grade and will read Mathematics at University of Leeds
- Madeleine Dibble, our Deputy Head girl, achieved 3 A* grades and an A grade. She now goes on to read History and Economics at Oxford University
- Liam Evans achieved 2A* grades and an A grade and goes on to read Mechanical Engineering at University of Leeds
- Danielle Povey achieved 2A* grades and an A and B grade. She goes on to read Mathematics at the University of Birmingham
- Louie McIver, our Deputy Head Boy, achieved 2 A* grades, an A and B grade and is going to University of Cambridge to read Music
- Rebecca Chase achieved an A* grade and 3 A grades and goes on to read Early Years Education at South Devon College
- Courtney Bell achieved an A* grade in addition to 2 further A grades and will commence her studies in English Literature at University of Manchester
- Courtney Roberts achieved an A* grade, an A and 2 B grades and will read Business Management at University of Liverpool
- Charlotte Meikle achieved 3 A grades and a B grade and will study Physiotherapy at Cardiff University