

## **A level Results 2024: Press Release – 15 August 2024.**

Students at The Burgate Sixth Form have returned to the college today to receive their results envelopes and celebrate their hard work and academic success. Results were in line with 2023, and students performed very well in the second season of exams since the pandemic. Over 80% of students gained their first-choice university place and others will be starting degree apprenticeships. There are also students starting a range of training courses in the workplace and apprenticeships with the qualifications they have gained.

Headteacher David Pover said, “I am delighted that our students have achieved results that enable them to fulfil their future aspirations. Moreover, that they really enjoyed their time at The Burgate Sixth Form, developing as confident and engaging young people. Congratulations to them and thanks to all those who have supported their educational journey. I wish them all the very best as they take their next bold steps in life.”

Head of Sixth Form Helen Costello was equally pleased: “We are delighted with our students’ performance again this year. Their hard work and perseverance have opened doors for their future choices, and we are excited about all their next steps including university placements, degree apprenticeships, employment and gap years. We feel privileged to have been part of their journey. We are like one big family in our Burgate Sixth Form and, whilst we are sad to say goodbye, we look forward to hearing about their many adventures.”

Bowe Wills achieved A\*A A B and is going to the University of Bath to study Physics and Maths. She is “really happy” with her results and will undoubtedly build on her success at The Burgate.

Thomas Florence is “stunned and delighted” to have achieved A\* A\* A\* A and is looking forward to reading Aeronautics and Astronautics at the University of Southampton.

Torey Boss achieved A A B B and is heading off to the University of Bath to study International Business Management. She is “thrilled with her results” and credits her success to hard work and the “supportive” culture in the sixth form.

Matthew Gillett achieved A\* A\* A A and is “very happy” with his results. He will be reading Mathematics at the University of Bath.

Benjamin Meekings achieved A\* A A A and feels “optimistic for the future” as he heads off to the University of Bath to study Physics with Theoretical Physics.

Lewis Fishlock was awarded A A Distinction\* and was “proud” and thankful to “everyone who had helped” him throughout his time at The Burgate. Lewis is looking forward to studying International Development at the University of Sussex.

Reece Garnett achieved A\* A B and has opted to do a gap year whilst he explores the opportunities that are now available to him with his superb results.

Harry Palmer received A A A and is “excited to get into the working world” as he begins a degree apprenticeship in Financial Services at J.P. Morgan.

We are immensely proud of all our students and wish them all the best for the future whether they are going to university, starting apprenticeships, entering the job market or taking a gap year. Regardless of the path they take, we hope they continue to live by The Burgate School and Sixth Form motto of “Learning for Life” and enjoy the challenges ahead.