

A LEVEL RESULTS: THE WAY FORWARD - 2023

For those of you progressing to Higher Education: -

- 1. If you have met the demands of your firm (UCAS) offer you will receive confirmation of the place in Track. Fairly quickly, your university will be in touch. Do nothing. Wait for the confirmation and then react to it.
- 2. If you have just missed the demands of your firm choice but the university is still considering you it will show in Track. You unfortunately just have to wait, but if necessary, you can phone the institution on results day (THURSDAY) to find out timescales.
- 3. If you do not have a place at your firm choice (either by route 1. or route 2. above), but have met the demands of your insurance offer, wait for the confirmation and react to it.
- 4. If you have missed the demands of both your offers, you will be in Clearing. Clearing places are advertised even before results day, but no one can be accepted until mid afternoon on results day. Take your time looking, contact universities and find out if they will take you.
- 5. **DO NOT ACCEPT A COURSE JUST TO GAIN A HIGHER EDUCATION PLACE**. Do your research. Places will remain on offer well beyond Thursday afternoon! The UCAS site will carry Clearing vacancies from the day of the results, as will websites of the universities themselves. There are always a lot of options and you should take time to decide.
- 6. If at any point you wish to give up your offer and take something else in clearing, you can using Track. **REMEMBER ONCE YOU GIVE IT UP YOU CANNOT GET IT BACK!**

For any of you: -

Please remember that we are happy to continue to help you. If you are looking to apply for apprenticeships, work placements, internships, gap years or for university in 2023 or beyond, we will still be here. Emails work from all over the world! We would far rather work with you than receive a request for a reference out of the blue. It actually makes it easier for us and we can write a better reference.

We will be available to discuss any issues as below.

THURSDAY 17 AUGUST	9:00 - 15.30	By Appointment APO/WRO
MONDAY 21 AUGUST	8.30 - 15.30	By Appointment APO/WRO
THURSDAY 24 AUGUST (GCSE prioritised)	9:00 - 15.30	By Appointment WRO
FRIDAY 25 AUGUST (GCSE prioritised)	9.00 - 12.30	By Appointment WRO

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