

24<sup>th</sup> August 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to our families to update you on our recent A-level and BTEC examination results for 2022. First, it is important to acknowledge that this was the first time that our Year 13 students had sat public examinations. I raise this point because sitting public examinations is a challenging experience in many ways, certainly made more challenging as our 2021-22 cohort did not take public examinations in Year 11 due to the pandemic. Therefore, I truly believe this cohort of students deserve much praise and recognition for their achievements this year.

Our first set of A-level and BTEC external examination results in 2019 were disappointing. A key reason for me joining the academy two years ago was to ensure excellence is delivered across all phases, especially in Year 13. Without doubt, the most important set of students' examinations results and destinations are those achieved at the end of their INA journey, when they officially leave us as adults. I am incredibly proud of the hard work of staff, leaders and our Year 13 students. There has been considerable change in the Sixth Form at INA over the last 18 months, with more to come, as we strive to improve further. Our 2022 examinations results for A-level and BTEC and destinations have significantly improved from those achieved in 2019.

This year, our students leave us to some fantastic destinations, where I know they will make a difference and contribute to wider society; we have students taking up places to do Engineering at universities like Manchester and Birmingham, students who are taking up places at some of the most competitive universities in London in LSE, King's College London and UCL and we have students heading out to begin apprenticeships at major companies such as UBS, Google and Accenture. I am sure, like me, the whole community will be incredibly proud of our Year 13 students, what they have achieved and what they will go on to achieve in their futures. These are our headline examination results for 2022 compared to 2019.

Headline Measure	2019	2022
Cohort size	94	112
Students with an accepted place at a Russell Group university (provisional)	27%	41%
Students with an accepted place at a Top Third university (provisional)	38%	57%
Three A Levels at A*-B	23%	46%
Three A Levels at A*-C	46%	78%
Average Points Score per Entry	32.1	39.9
Average Grade (A Level)	C	B
AAB in 2 facilitating subjects	14%	17%
Average UCAS points per student	101.5	129.9
% A*-A of total grades	21%	37%
% A*-B of total grades	46%	68%
% A*-C of total grades	67%	86%

\*Note data is provisional until national data is released.



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Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Morgan Haines', written over a thin horizontal line.

Morgan Haines  
Principal