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Dear Parents/Guardians

Outstanding A Level Results: A Proud Moment for Arden

We are thrilled to announce the exceptional performance of our A Level students this year. We are delighted with the results, which reflect the dedication, resilience, and hard work of both students and staff. With an average grade of a B across 505 exam entries, this year's cohort has truly excelled, achieving the best examined results in the school's history outside of the COVID-affected cohorts.

The results this year have surpassed last year's excellent outcomes, with significant improvements across all key measures.

- 12.8% of grades were awarded at A*
- 40% at A*-A
- 68.5% at A*-B

These outstanding figures highlight the continued academic excellence at Arden and set a new benchmark for future cohorts.

These results are a testament to the high standards of teaching and the supportive learning environment at our school. Our dedicated teachers have played an instrumental role in guiding students through their A Level journey, ensuring that they were fully prepared to meet the challenges of their exams.

As is always the case, the close partnership between staff, students and their families has been a cornerstone of this success, providing the support, stability and encouragement needed to achieve such remarkable outcomes. We also wish to express our gratitude to the parents and guardians whose support has been invaluable throughout this process. Their encouragement has been crucial in helping our students reach their full potential.

We extend heartfelt congratulations to all our A Level students. These achievements are not merely the product of exam papers; they represent countless hours of commitment, perseverance, and intellectual growth. Every student should take immense pride in their success, which reflects their hard work and determination to excel.

Of particular note are the grades of the following students who all secured at least 3 A* grades:

- Olivia Sheard, Alex Rose, Daniel McGinn, Matthew Swales and Will Chapman.



The following students all achieved at least a staggering 3 A's at A Level:

 William Sutton, Harrison Sargeant, Zoe Taylor, Joshua Rafnson-Hall, Violet Lethbridge, Ibby Garba-Sani, Nathan Davie, Olivia Cannell, Caden Taylor, Liv Farragher, Izzy Raisbeck, Lucas Marcroft, Nikita Bhat, Adam Batts, Bella Heselden-Hamer, Izzy Cullen, Alyssa Kakoullis, Troy Yu, Finley Nevitt, Katie Minal, Grace Dunn, Oscar Cayless Buckle, Anna Bambrook, Khalifah Ali, Daniel Sutherland, Priya Gill, Gethin Cox and Tom Eden.

As we celebrate these extraordinary results, we look forward to building on this success in the years to come. Arden remains committed to providing an outstanding education that empowers our students to achieve their aspirations. Congratulations once again to all involved—you have made the entire school community incredibly proud.

Yours faithfully

Mr D Warwood Associate Headteacher