



A Level Press Release – Thursday 13 August 2026

Students celebrate strong A Level results at John Masefield Sixth Form

Students at John Masefield Sixth Form are celebrating a strong set of A Level results, with many achieving excellent grades and preparing to take their next steps into university, apprenticeships or employment.

Some of our highest performing students include:

- Jack Sharpe – A*A*A*
- Chloe Chapman – A*A*A
- Hannah Lumb – A*AAA
- Layla Crickett – A*AA
- Jack Woolsey – AAA

Overall, 12% of all A Level grades achieved were A*, while more than a quarter of all grades were A* or A, which highlights the high level of achievement across the cohort.

There were particularly strong performances in a range of subjects:

- Fine Art – 40% of students achieved A*, with 60% achieving A* or A
- Photography – 25% of students achieved A*
- Mathematics – 60% of students achieved A* or A
- Chemistry – 50% of students achieved A* or A
- IT – 67% of students achieved a Distinction*
- Geography – 75% of students achieved grade B or above

Ami Phillips, Head of Sixth Form, said:

“We are incredibly proud of all our students and the results they have achieved. These grades are a reflection of their hard work, determination and resilience, alongside the commitment of our staff and the support of their families.

It is particularly pleasing to see such strong performances across such a broad range of subjects. We are delighted that our students can now move forward into the next stage of their education, training and careers with confidence. We wish every one of them the very best for the exciting opportunities that lie ahead.”

Photo one: Chloe Chapman & Ffion Evans

Photo two: Layla Crickett

Photo three: Nuo Han Lin, Hannah Lumb & Jack Woolsey