

### Ashby School GCSE Results Day

We are delighted with the successes achieved by students collecting their GCSE results this year. These achievements fully reflect our core values of Respect, Responsibility and Resilience in our students and staff, and we are very proud of them all.

For the second year running our average GCSE grades have improved. Over 70% of students achieved Grade 4 or above in both English and Maths, with almost half of our students attaining Grade 5 or higher in these core subjects.

Headteacher, Dr Jude Mellor commented:

"We are incredibly proud of our students for their fantastic achievements this year. This year group started their secondary schooling under post-lockdown conditions and have shown real resilience to overcome this challenge. We wish them every success in their next steps and are delighted that so many of them are returning to Ashby Sixth Form to continue their studies."

A few of our students reflected on their achievements with us:



Sam Wilson, who was our highest achieving Student, was delighted to open his results and see that he had achieved 9's in all nine of his GCSE's. He said this "I am really super happy and very proud of how I did. I was not expecting all 9's. I am going to be staying on at Ashby Sixth Form to do my A Levels in Biology, Maths and Chemistry. I am going to Nottingham with my friends to celebrate later".



Shanita Sparrow exceeded her expectations and said "It is a really rewarding feeling, working so hard and it has paid off. I am really happy with my results. I was just going to be happy with 6's across the board but it is amazing to have received 9's, 8's and a 7. I will be staying at Ashby Sixth Form to study Biology, Psychology and Food Nutrition. I am going to Nottingham to celebrate with my friends."



Charlie Norton received 9's and 8's and said "I was happy if I received 7's and above in everything so I am really happy. I am going to be studying Computing, Maths, Further Maths and Physics".

We are now looking forward to building on this success in the coming academic year to continue to provide a high-quality education for all of our students.

