



A-Level Results Day - Thursday 13th August 2026

Dear Parents/Carers and Students,

We're really looking forward to celebrating your achievements with you on Results Day! You'll receive your results via email (sent to your BHS account) at **08:15**. Please be aware that occasional internet or technical issues may cause slight delays. If you've applied to university, UCAS Track usually updates shortly after 08:00, letting you know whether your place has been confirmed.

You're also very welcome to come into school to collect your results in person between **08:15 and 09:45** in the Main Hall — we always love seeing you! Students and their parents/carers are welcome. Opening your results with friends can be a special moment. The envelope includes a detailed breakdown of marks from exam boards (more than the email), and staff will be on hand to support you, especially if you have any questions or concerns.

Here are some helpful ways students can prepare for A-Level Results Day:

Before Results Day

- Know your login details - make sure you can access your BHS email and UCAS Track account.
- Understand your offers - review your firm and insurance university offers and their conditions.
- Have a Plan B - research Clearing options just in case, and note down any courses or universities you're interested in.
- Talk it through- discuss possible outcomes with a parent or carer so you feel supported whatever happens.

On Results Day

- Make sure you're available on results day, because universities can't speak to anyone else about your application details unless you give them nominated access to speak on your behalf.
- Have your phone/laptop charged.
- There will be a designated room open in school as a quiet space for students needing support with Clearing; look out for the signs or ask a member of staff which room is assigned.
- Stay calm - whether your results are what you hoped for or not, support is available.

If Things Don't Go to Plan

- Speak to staff - Senior Leadership Team members and some teaching staff will be available at school to help.
- Use UCAS Clearing - if needed, you can apply for other courses through Clearing.
- Don't panic - many students find great opportunities even if their results aren't what they expected.

What is clearing?

Clearing is a UCAS process that helps students find a university place if:

- They didn't meet the conditions of their firm or insurance offers.
- They've **changed their mind** about what or where they want to study.

- They've **done better than expected** and want to explore other options.

How it works on Results Day:

- Check UCAS Track - if you're not placed at your firm or insurance choice, your status may show you're eligible for Clearing.
- Get your Clearing number - this will appear in your UCAS account.
- Search for courses - use the UCAS website to find available courses that interest you.
- Contact Universities directly - call admissions teams to discuss your options and see if they'll offer you a place.
- Add your choice - once you've received an email offer, you can add the course in UCAS to confirm it.

The Sixth Form Team have put together this useful [Guide to Clearing](#) which goes into much more detail.

The UCAS link below offers advice to all students in order to help them be prepared for Results Day.

<https://www.ucas.com/applying/after-you-apply/clearing-and-results-day/results-day>

Other Options

If things don't go to plan, there are always other options you could consider.

- Look at [Apprenticeships](#).
- Take a [Gap Year](#).

Grade Queries and Review Requests

If you have any queries about your grades, or if your place at university depends on a particular grade, and you have not achieved this grade, then you will need to liaise with Mrs Cunningham, our Examinations Officer, who will be available in school on the day. Review requests can be submitted until 23rd September.

Applying to University after a Gap Year

If you're planning to apply for university entry in September 2027 and would like the school to provide a reference, please email the Sixth Form Team at sixthform@beaconsfieldhigh.school by 31st October 2026. We'll then send you the UCAS buzzword to link your application to the school. As with all applications, we aim to submit these before the Christmas break.

Exam Re-Sits

If you're considering re-sitting an exam in 2027, you're welcome to do so through our centre. Please contact our Exams Officer, Mrs Cunningham, at cuninnigham-l@beaconsfieldhigh.school by 30th November 2026 re-sit costs must be covered by the student. Please note that we may not be able to offer re-sits in all subjects.

Communication

We'll send an email the week before results day with all the key details—please make sure to read it so you're fully informed. If you're having **trouble logging into your school Office 365 account**, let us know as soon as possible so we can help **before** we break up for the summer holiday. Your school email and account will be deactivated on 30th September 2026. If you have any files saved in OneDrive, please make sure to back them up before this date.

Class of 2026 Yearbook

Copies of the yearbook can be purchased online for £23.17 using this link:

<https://allyearbooks.co.uk/buy/24863>.

Please make sure to **place your order by Friday 10th July**. We are aiming for the yearbooks to arrive in school in time for A-Level Results Day.

We look forward to seeing those of you who choose to collect results in person and wish all students the very best of luck.

We wish you and your family a lovely, safe and happy summer.

Yours faithfully,

Sixth Form Team and Exams Team