



UCAS Predicted Grades - Review Request Form 2026-27

Dear Year 13 Students,

It was lovely to see you back in school this week and to welcome you properly to the start of Year 13. As outlined in my assembly on Tuesday, the UCAS Predicted Grade Review Form is now live. If you have misplaced my email with the link, you can find it in the UCAS folder in the Sixth Form Students SharePoint. I am copying parents/carers into this letter so that they are also aware of the process and guidance you have been given.

To be clear, this form is only for students who are questioning one or more of their UCAS predicted grades. If you are happy with your predictions, there is nothing you need to do.

Before completing the form, please consider your UCAS prediction alongside your Year 12 summer grade card, particularly your Likely To Achieve (LTA) grade, examination result and overall academic trajectory. A predicted grade is an evidence-based professional judgement, not a promise, target or ceiling. Our experienced teachers err on the generous side where evidence allows, to keep appropriate doors open, but predictions must remain realistic: over-inflation can lead to university offers that may ultimately be difficult to meet.

If robust evidence from assessed work, including work completed early in Year 13, suggests your prediction underestimates what you are likely to achieve, the review process is there for you. A course requiring a higher grade is not, by itself, evidence for an uplift.

The form is deliberately detailed to ensure you consider your academic evidence, LTA and university choices carefully. It must be completed by the student, with a separate form for each subject. We respectfully ask students and parents/carers not to lobby teachers or Heads of Department; the form is the fairest and only route for a student-requested review.

The deadline is **Monday 5th October**. We aim to communicate outcomes within 10 working days, so please be patient while each request is considered carefully.

Finally, remember that predictions aren't results. Whatever your predictions say now, Year 13 is your opportunity to keep developing and demonstrate what you can achieve. The grades that ultimately matter are the ones you earn next summer.

I hope you've had a positive first week back and wish you every success for the year ahead.

Kind regards,

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