WIRRAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL FOR BOYS

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WGSB6 - The GCSE Class of 2025

Dear student,

I hope that you are enjoying a well-deserved rest after your GCSE examinations.

I would now like to provide some detail regarding arrangements for results day and acceptance and confirmation of your place at WGSB6 in September.

We very much hope that you will choose to continue your WGSB journey by joining WGSB6 in September; the following is a reminder of the terms of the conditional offer made to you via letter in autumn 2024.

Priority for entry is given to existing students in the school. Each year the school welcomes a number of students from other schools. Places are offered after a visit to the school by a prospective student and their parent/carer and meeting with the Sixth Form Team. There is no limit upon entry provided admissions do not prejudice efficient education.

As a guide, students typically enter the Sixth Form with a minimum of 6 GCSE grades at 9-5, or their equivalent, including English and Mathematics. Our prime concern is for students to embark on courses that are appropriate for their ability. A grade 6 or 7 is considered a solid starting point to continue a subject to A level. All requests for admission to sixth form are considered on an individual basis.

Results Day Arrangements.

The following details our results day procedures; this includes our WGSB6 enrolment procedure.

On Thursday 21st August you are invited to arrive at school between **08:00am-10:00am** via the main school gate. Please make your way to the DT block where you will collect your results from a member of the Examinations Team. Parents / Carers are very welcome to join us but are politely requested to park off site and walk in where possible.

After receipt of your results, it is essential that all students have a 1:1 meeting with a member of staff and / or wider pastoral team who will be able to offer support and guidance as well as discuss A Level options.

Students will be allocated a 1:1 meeting with a named colleague as follows. This information will also be displayed in poster format in the DT block on results day; please do not leave the DT block until you have had your meeting.

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Your 1:1 meeting will be the opportunity for you to discuss your GCSE outcomes and to confirm your A-level subject preferences.

Any students not intending to return to WGSB6 will need to verify onward destination details as well as personal contact details.

Any students not returning to WGSB6 and requiring further advice regarding their next steps should speak to Mrs Wilson who will be able to offer further guidance as required.

Any student or parent with additional questions or concerns will be able to speak to myself following their 1:1 discussion(s).

Please note, if your results do not fulfil our admissions criteria, we will discuss the details of this on results day, but it may be that we are unable to offer you a place.

If you are unable to collect your examination results in person, please ensure you have completed the Results Collection Proforma which is available from Mr C Hughes; this is also available on our school website: <a href="https://example.com/here

If you require access to scripts to inform requests for remarks, this must be addressed urgently and by **Tuesday 26th August at** the latest. All requests have a cost implication, and fees must be paid by the student by the deadline provided by Mr C Hughes.

Appeals regarding grades and requests for re-marks will need to be discussed with Mr C Hughes as soon as possible, ideally on results day and no later than **Monday 8**th **September.**

For those successful in gaining a place at WGSB6:

On **Wednesday 3rd September 2025**, we will be holding an induction event 'Preparing for WGSB6' which will provide an opportunity to find out more about sixth form life as well as offering you guidance on making the transition from GCSE to A-level study.

On this day, students are expected to arrive via the atrium or student entrance for 8:55am and make their way to the Y12 WGSB6 area opposite the staffroom. The school day will finish at 3:40pm as usual.

In addition to three A-level subjects, a number of students may also be invited to study for the AQA Extended Project Qualification. This is a valuable qualification and can result in lower offers being made from universities; it is also a significant opportunity to develop independent study skills and pursue an academic interest which complements A-level study. More details about this will be shared in the autumn term.

If you have any further questions or concerns then please do not hesitate to contact your Head of Year, Mr O'Connell via ihall@wirralgrammarboys.com. Specific concerns about admissions procedures should directed via WGSBAdmissions@wirralgrammarboys.com.

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We look forward to celebrating your results with you on Thursday 21st August!

Mrs L Ahern

Assistant Headteacher/Head of Sixth Form