

Brigshaw High School Celebrates Students' Achievements with BEST RESULTS EVER in first exams since 2019.

Staff and students are celebrating at Brigshaw High School with the first set of exam results in three years following the Covid pandemic. The school is delighted and very proud that students' hard work, efforts and resilience have been rewarded.

- 55% of students achieved a grade 5 or above in English & Maths (up from 41% in 2019 and higher than 2021)
- 75% of students achieved a grade 4 or above in English & Maths (up from 67% in 2019 and higher than 2021)
- 99 Grade 9s were awarded at GCSE and 5 D*s awarded at level 2 BTEC
- 72% achieved 5 or more passes at 4+ including English and Maths (up from 67% in 2019 and higher than 2021)

2 students each hold an impressive set of ten grade 9s.

Other top performers achieved:

- 9 Grade 9s and 1 Grade 8
- 7 Grade 9s, 2 Grade 8s, 1 Grade 5
- 5 Grade 9s, 1 Grade 8s, 3 Grade 7s
- 4 Grade 9s, 4 Grade 8s, 1 Grade 7
- 4 Grade 9s, 4 Grade 8s, 1 Grade 7 and 1 Grade 6
- 4 Grade 9s, 3 Grade 8s, 2 Grade 7s and 1 Grade 5
- 4 Grade 9s, 3 Grade 8s, 1 Grade 7, 1 Grade 6, 1 Grade 5

<u>James Brookes, Deputy Head Teacher, praised students and staff for their commitment and</u> dedication;

"I am incredibly proud of what Brigshaw's students have achieved with the school's best ever results. They have risen to every challenge they have faced, through Covid and beyond, with maturity, tenacity and good humour. Staff in school have worked relentlessly with our students, both within and beyond lessons, to support them in achieving the very best they can. We are delighted that lots of our Year 11 students plan to stay at Brigshaw to complete A Levels in what looks to be our biggest cohort yet in the Sixth Form."

Aidan Sadgrove, CEO of the Brigshaw Learning Partnership MAT said:

"This year has been a challenging time in schools, and it's so heartening to see the results of all the effort on the part of our staff and students. We know that one of the most effective forms of 'recovery' from the past two years is a great teacher and great support staff, working in a culture of love, structure and high expectations. The team at Brigshaw High School and across our trust have worked tirelessly to support children back into school this year.

Our opportunity as a Trust is for a 'cradle to career' provision for our children, one that affords them choices and opportunities in later life. Results like this are a key milestone on that journey."