Queen Elizabeth High School **Press Release** Date 12<sup>th</sup> August 2021 GCSE/Level 2 Examination Results



## 2021 – In an Olympic year QEH gives a gold medal performance!

On this our GCSE and Level 2 Results Day we would like to take this opportunity to thank our whole community for their support during the pandemic. The last two years have been quite exceptional and has asked a lot of our learners and staff. However community spirit and teamwork has paid off and we are absolutely thrilled with the level of achievement attained by our Year 11 pupils this year – well done!



## We are delighted to be here to celebrate with our students this morning as they receive their results and to support them as they embark on their future pathways.

This year in particular reflects more than ever our school motto; Ymlaen Gyda'n Gilydd/ Moving Forward Together as our staff have worked exceptionally hard to support our learners through difficult times and to award them the outcomes they deserve. Our focus continues to be one of developing every individuals' potential.

- Our top ten pupils once again achieved spectacular outcomes achieving 136 A\*-A grades between them Outstanding!
- Almost 25% of pupils were awarded were 5 or more A\*-A grades
- 86% of pupils were awarded 5 or more A\*-C grades or equivalent
- A fantastic Wider Points Score of **541.39** and Capped 9 Points Score of 414
- No pupils left without a recognised qualification
- 21 subjects had 100% pass rates

There were some gold medal performances from:

Lila Davies	11J	12.5A*			LIBF	
Sophie Spragg	11J	7.5A* 5A			LIBF	
Bianca Ilinca	11A	11.5A*			LIBF	
Fatma Ahmed	11J	10.5A* 1A			LIBF	
Charlie Barnwell	11C	10.5A* 1A			LIBF	
Frances Skalvoll	11E	9A* 3.5A			LIBF	
Elin Cridland	11E	11A* 2A	0.5B		LIBF	
Thomas Jones	11E	9.5A* 3A			LIBF	
Tara Shafei	11Q	8.5A* 3A			LIBF	
Chloe Wilds	11Q	7.5A* 4A			LIBF	
Eva Malarska	11M	6A* 4.5A		Dist*	LIBF	2P
Daniel Thomas	11C	8.5A* 2A		Dist*	LIBF	
Stephenie Tsui	11C	8.5A* 1A		Dist*	LIBF	
Nia Bullen	11Q	9.5A* 3A			LIBF	
Daniel Bond	11C	9.5A* 1A	1B		LIBF	
Arnav Patil	11C	8.5A* 2A	1B		LIBF	
Isla Spark	11E	6A* 4.5A	1B		LIBF	
Lydia Pearson	<b>11C</b>	4.5A* 6A	1B		LIBF	
Andrei Ilinca	11J	3A* 6A	1.5B		LIBF	
Maria McQueen	11J	2.5A* 8A	1B		LIBF	

\*\*All above pupils completed a half course 0.5 GCSE in RS and have all completed the LIBF Diploma in Financial Studies\*\*



Mr Gareth Roberts , assistant Headteacher, Lila Davies 11J and Mr Dave Williams, Headteacher.

Dave Williams, Headteacher commented; "The last two years have presented many challenges to our staff and pupils. I have nothing but admiration for the resilience displayed by our learners and the efforts they have made to remain engaged with their teachers and learning throughout this pandemic. I am immensely proud of our pupils and what they have achieved. It is lovely to see so many of them with us today celebrating their successes with the teachers who have supported them".



## Andre Ilinca 11J with Mr Dave Williams, Headteacher

Mrs Nadine Thomas, Deputy Headteacher said; "I am incredibly proud of the hard work the students have put in over the past five years and during the upheaval caused by the disruption over the past 18 months. Their success is combined with the continued support from dedicated staff, parents, carers and governors. I look forward to welcoming students back to our Sixth form and wish them all good luck in the future."



Ruby Gravelle 11Q, Mrs Lisa Jones, Assistant Headteacher and Emily Garcia-Cooke 11Q



Nia Bullen 11Q with Mum and Headteacher Mr Dave Williams

## Dylan Jones 11C with Mum

Sophie Davies, Head Girl said "It's been difficult this year due to the pandemic but the 'second to none' support I have received from my teachers has allowed me to take on the challenges of moving on to the exciting next stage of my future. The close support from the staff at the school has resulted in me doing really well in my A - levels and progressing on to Hartpury University to study Physiotherapy. I would like to say a huge thank you to all the staff at QEHS for making my time at the school so very special and memorable."

Ben Davies, Head Boy said "The COVID-19 pandemic has created many challenges to students over the last year, but the overwhelming support the teachers have provided us with has allowed me to thrive and achieve the best I possibly could. The exceptional guidance the teachers have given us all has allowed me to go on to study Law at my first-choice university, Cardiff. On behalf of all the students here I'd like to give a massive thank you to all the staff at QEHS for their unwavering support and helping to make my time at QE High a brilliant experience."