

## The Willink School: Press Release GCSE Results 2024 – Thursday 22 August

**Vision:** “The Willink ensured that all students flourish and achieve their full academic and personal potential. They are confident, respectful and resilient global citizens with the knowledge and skills to be successful in 21st Century.”

**Mission:** Future global changemakers



**Values:**

**The Willink School is pleased to announce the following GCSE examination results:**

Total Number of Students	189
Attainment 8	50.32
Percentage achieving grades 9-4 in English & Mathematics	77
Percentage achieving grades 9-5 in English & Mathematics	56
Percentage EBacc entry (English, Maths, Science, Language, History or Geography)	89
Percentage Standard English Baccalaureate (Grade 4+)	41
Ebacc average points score	4.84
Percentage achieving grades 4+ in English and Mathematics, plus grades 4+ in 3 other GCSE subjects	68
Percentage achieving grades 9-7 as percentage of entries	21
Percentage achieving grades 9-5 in English	67
Percentage achieving grades 9-5 in Mathematics	63

**The following students achieved at least seven GCSE grades 9-7:**

Toby A	Glenn G	Howard L	Jeffrey S
Ann C	Tilly H	Thomas L	Ella T
Charlie C	Oliver H	Finn M	Lucy T
Beth C	Lilia H	Ewan M	Thomas W
Caitlin D	Sophie J	Thomas M	Molly Y
Emma D	Rueben K	Adam N	
Owen E	Thomas L	Lauren S	

**Nicolle Browning (Head, The Willink School) said:**

“The Willink is delighted to announce this year’s GCSE and Level 2 results. We send our congratulations to our many students who have worked so hard, engaged with all aspects of school life to achieved qualifications and skills rendering them successful contributors to global society. These results represent individual effort and dedication but they also worked impressively

well as a community of students who supported one another and sought the support from a fantastic team of staff. This is especially important given the national challenges and disruption to education that this cohort of students faced. We are thrilled to see that their determination, ambition and resilience has resulted in this success.

Their achievements extend beyond the academic. All students completed work experience placements, mock interviews, careers workshops, completed Curriculum Vitae in preparation for the world of work. We also celebrate their many other achievements including the large number of students who achieved Duke of Edinburgh Award, engagement with regional and national competitions and voluntary work.

We wish all of our Year 11 Class of 2024 every success in their future endeavours and are delighted to be welcoming the majority of our students to The Willink Sixth Form from September.

I extend my thanks to our supportive parent community and to all staff for their commitment to providing exceptional subject expertise, academic and personal guidance which has played such a pivotal role in securing successful futures for our students.”

### **Student Responses:**

Thomas who achieved ten GCSE at Grade 9 said, *“I’m a bit speechless. I’m obviously delighted!”* He will be continuing his studies at The Willink Sixth Form.

Kirill joined the school from Ukraine at the start of his GCSE courses and achieved eleven GCSEs including three at Grade 6, one Grade 7, one Grade 9, two Grade 5m three Grade 4 and one Grade 3. *“I can’t believe it. I am so happy. I did not think that I would still be here to sit exams and now I am looking forward to studying A Levels at The Willink Sixth Form.”*

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