



# Sherburn High School

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Dear parents, carers and students,

## **Record Breaking Examination Results!**

One of the highlights of my summer were the results days for Year 13 and Year 11, with both year groups breaking all previous school records!

**Year 13 students** left having achieved the following:

- 64% of Year 13 students left Sherburn High School with 3 A levels graded at A\* - B
- 100% of A level Chemistry, Physics, Media and Photography students achieved A\* - B
- 70% of A level Geography students achieved A\* - B
- 94% of A level maths students achieved A\* - B

And the list of outstanding outcomes in subjects goes on!

These brilliant results meant 80% of applicants got into their first-choice university including Newcastle, LSC, Warwick and Durham. LSC and Durham.

We also have students who were successful in obtaining highly competitive apprenticeships in sectors such as accounting, National Rail project management and computing. And of course, some young people entering the world of work or taking a gap year before starting their studies.

**Year 11 students** also did incredibly well with early indications from FFT Aspire for Progress 8 giving us a Progress 8 score of +0.57, which is truly incredible. The table below further demonstrates our students' fantastic achievement.

	2024 school	2024 national
<b>Progress 8 score</b>	+0.57 FFT Aspire	0.00
<b>Attainment 8 score</b>	5.2	4.7
<b>Strong pass (9-5) Eng and Maths</b>	60%	47%
<b>Standard Pass (9-4) Eng and Maths</b>	74%	67%

## **Has your child struggled with the return to school?**

Whilst we hope that everyone felt happy and excited about returning to school, we know that for some young people the return is tricky.

The Wellbeing in Mind Team invite all families where this is the case to a free webinar on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September. (See the poster attached for details).

In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Head of Year for support and guidance.

## **Rewarding our students!**

Last year's student survey highlighted that students felt the rewards system was not good enough. In our drive to constantly improve, I am pleased to attach our new rewards overview and can't wait to celebrate our students' "Ambition, Respect and Community" contributions.

## **PE Extra-Curricular Timetable**

An easy way to get those Community rewards is to join a sports club – see attached for this term's programme.

## **And finally...**

For those students in Years 11 and 7, this is your advance warning that next Friday, is school photograph day. I'm sure everyone will look their best, but wanted you to have enough time to practice those smiles!

As always thank you for your support, I look forward to a very successful 2024-25!

Kind regards,

Miriam Oakley  
Headteacher