

PRESS RELEASE

Bohunt Wokingham celebrates record GCSE examination results

Students at Bohunt Wokingham, which is part of Bohunt Education Trust (BET), are celebrating today after receiving their GCSE results, enabling them to embark on the next stage of their education journey. Examination outcomes improved from 2022, bucking the national trend and saw a 5% rise at 'Basics 5', a 3% rise at 'Basics 4' and included an impressive 28% of grades at grade 7 and above.

Staff and students have joined together to mark the achievements of the 2023 cohort, who have shown great commitment, determination and hard work over the last few years to secure such strong results, as the school has become fully established.

Achievements were celebrated across the school, with some of the standout individual highlights including:

- Rhys U - Six grade 9s, two grade 8s and one grade 7
- George J - Five grade 9s and four grade 8s
- Aidan F - Five grade 9s, four grade 8s and one grade 7
- Phoebe N - Five grade 9s, three grade 8s and one grade 6
- Hannah M - Five grade 9s and three grade 8s

A significant number of students made exceptional progress during their time at the school but a special mention is given to Olesia L who joined us last year as a refugee from Ukraine and gained 3 grade 9s, 2 grade 8s, 2 grade 7s. What an achievement!

Examination results in Drama, DT, Geography, Maths, Religious Studies, Triple Science and PE were particularly strong.

Today's results reflect our commitment to BET's ethos of 'enjoy, respect, achieve', which underpins the culture and outcomes of all its schools. This includes delivering unparalleled educational opportunities and highly effective teaching to nurture and develop students into becoming "game-changers".

Together, the Trust and the School aim to support young people to flourish throughout their school journeys and then on into later life, with educational, enrichment and pastoral support both inside and outside the classroom.

Ben Godber, Headteacher at Bohunt Wokingham, said:

"We are extremely proud of our students and their hugely deserved achievements. They have worked incredibly hard throughout their time with us, and it's brilliant to be celebrating with them today as they set a new bar for future year groups to emulate."

"As I say farewell to the Bohunt Wokingham community I would like to thank all our students, their families, our staff and the wider school community for their ongoing support and I am delighted that the students' fantastic results this year show how far we have come since we opened 7 years ago."

"We wish our students the best of success as they progress on to the next stage of their education and whilst we are sad that it cannot be here with us, we are thrilled that they are able to move forward on the back of such impressive achievements."



Neil Strowger, Trust Leader at Bohunt Education Trust, said:



"I am immensely proud of our 2023 cohort's efforts and achievements. These students have remained positive despite significant disruption to their studies during their years at secondary school. Their resilience, determination and hard work has resulted in so many securing the results they aspired to, allowing them to pursue their desired next steps and I wish them all the very best for their future."