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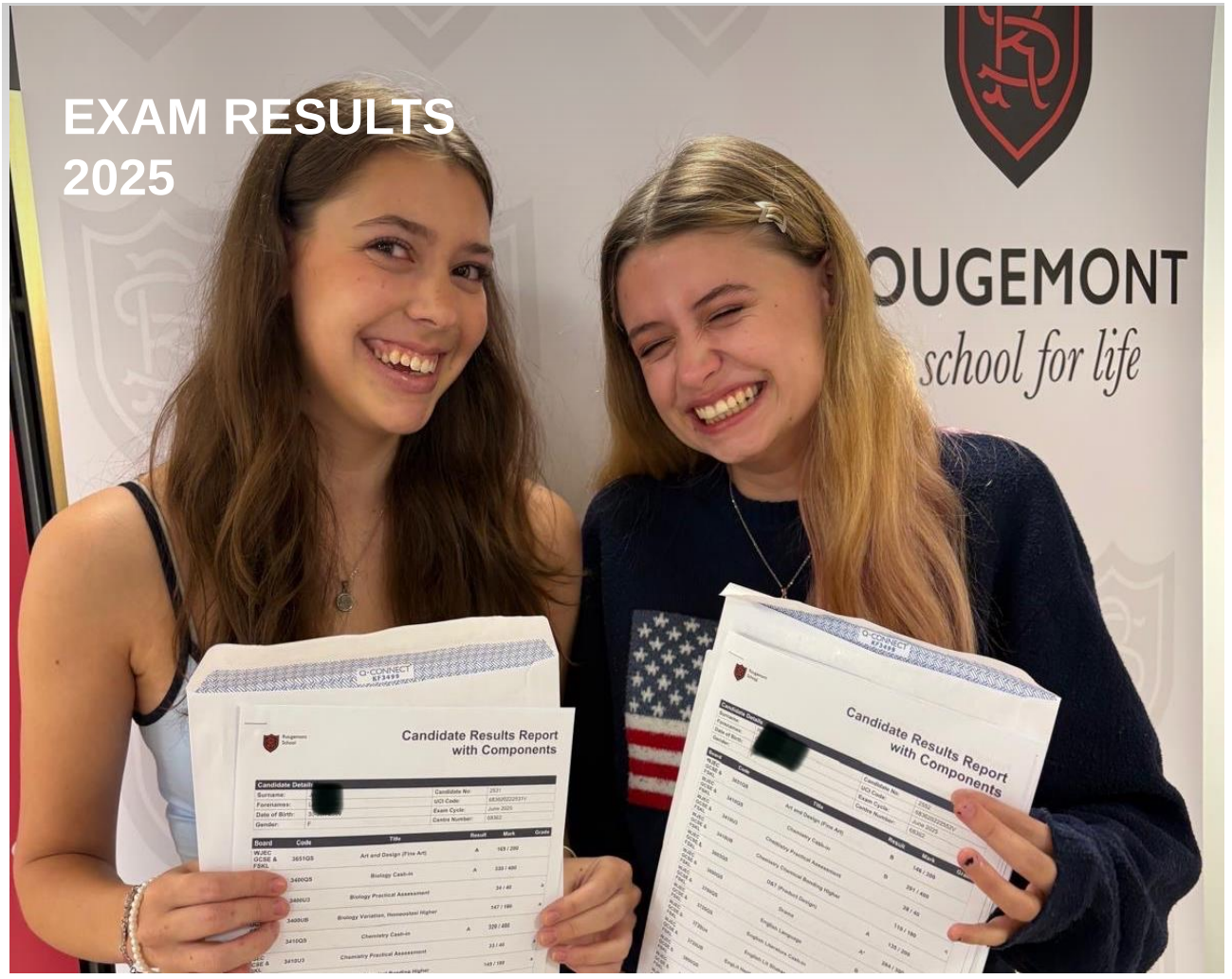


A LEVEL SUCCESS

Celebrating the best results in SE Wales, once again!

GCSE EXCELLENCE

An outstanding year for GCSEs at Rougemont

FUTURE PATHWAYS

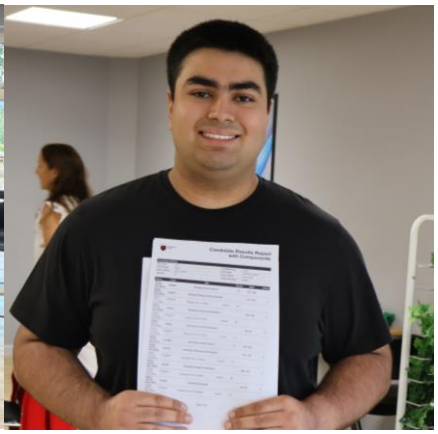
The journey continues…

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to a brand new year!

A LEVEL SUCCESS

Once again, we are delighted to share that Rougemont has achieved the best A Level results in South East Wales.



Our Year 13 graduates celebrated an outstanding set of results this summer and look forward to a very bright future!

We are proud to share that, once again, our pupils have truly excelled and have produced the best results in South East Wales. This is testament to their hard work and dedication, together with the support and guidance from our wonderful teaching staff who go above and beyond for all our pupils.

Headlines

A*/A – 50.4%
A*/B – 80.3%

They leave us as confident, capable, and compassionate individuals, ready to make their mark on the world.

The grades they now hold will open many doors in their future but *who* they are will allow them to walk through those doors, to flourish, fully equipped as the curious, confident and independent leaders of tomorrow.

WHAT'S NEXT FOR 'YEAR 14'?

Our leavers now look to life 'beyond the gates'.

From the California coast to the bright lights of London, to the skies of the RAF and beyond, our leavers are embarking on some incredible journeys as they bid their school years goodbye.

Kiki fulfils her life's dream to study in the USA to read Criminal Justice at San Diego State University. Bronwen now plans for a future in the RAF whilst Jemima takes a Gap Year before applying to Drama School. These exciting pathways illustrate the rich variety of our pupils' talents and passions.

Hiba and Olivia achieved outstanding results to read Medicine at Cardiff and Nottingham respectively. Rajvir joins Olivia in Nottingham to study Medicine, too after achieving 3 A*.

Engineering has, once again, been a very popular choice for our pupils with Business, Finance and Banking featuring in this year's pathways. The Creative and Performing Arts gain some super Rougemont talent as Rafe and Anieri will both study Music at Royal Holloway and King's College London, respectively. Ione and Isobel head to the University of the Arts London to study Fashion PR and Communications, and Hair and Make-up for Stage and Film.

APPRENTICESHIP BOUND

TOM SHARES HIS NEXT ADVENTURE…

I will be starting a degree level apprenticeship with Transport for London on September 8th . This means that I will be working full time alongside studying towards a Business Management degree and will be student debt free.

Degree apprentices are an amazing pathway for people who prefer hands- on learning and want to get straight into the workplace. I get asked a lot about where I found all the apprenticeship opportunities and I used the website (https://higherin.com/) to find all companies offering these roles. I started applying this time last year and companies will be rolling out opportunities up until late June.

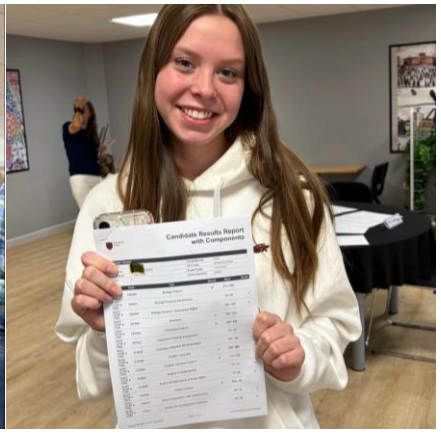
My top tips:
1. Apply, apply and apply! I faced many rejections and this is normal.
2. Formulate a strong CV
3. Get work experience in your desired field

THE JOURNEY CONTINUES…

As well as Gap Years and Apprenticeships, many of our pupils have chosen to continue their education at university. Take a look at the list of our Leaver Destinations.

GCSE EXCELLENCE 2025

Another set of outstanding well deserved results for our Year 11 graduates.



This has been an extraordinary summer for our pupils as their hard work has culminated in a set of outstanding GCSE results, once again.

A*/A – 52%
A*/B – 82%
A*/C – 98%

We are incredibly proud of all our pupils who have achieved their very best. It's a proud moment to witness our pupils and parents celebrating some fabulous results!

"I am thrilled for all our pupils who are receiving their GCSE results. The standard of grades is exemplary with each individual realising their true potential. My heartfelt thanks to our fantastic teaching staff who go above and beyond every year to support and guide our pupils to be the very best they can."– Mrs Pritchard

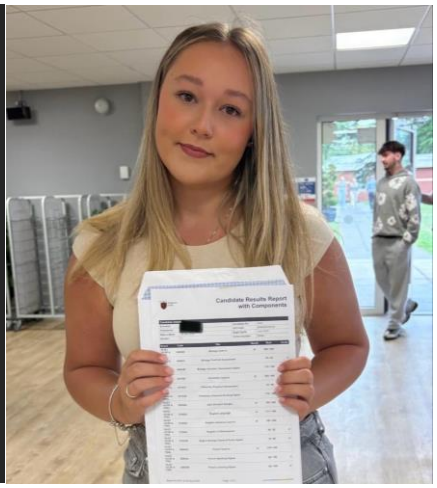
GCSE Results Day is a pivotal moment for our pupils as they look forward to a more specialised learning model this September at Rougemont Sixth Form, honing their passions and talents at A Level and BTEC. We are looking forward to supporting them at Sixth Form as they develop their unique pathways over the next two years before celebrating their successes as the Class of 2027!

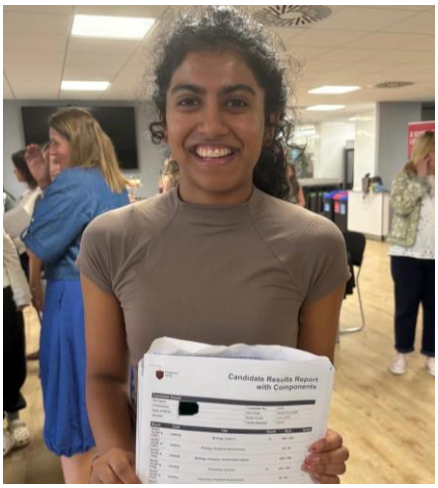
GCSE RESULTS DAY

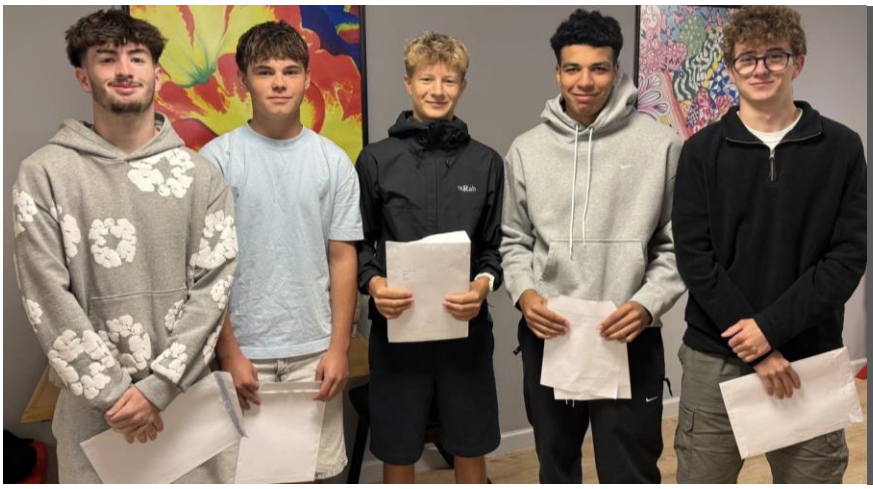
Congratulations to our pupils!

It was wonderful to see so many happy faces on results morning!

Abigail achieved 10 A* and 1 A, and Anjali achieved 12 A* grades!







Our pupils were excited to venture to the next step in their journey.

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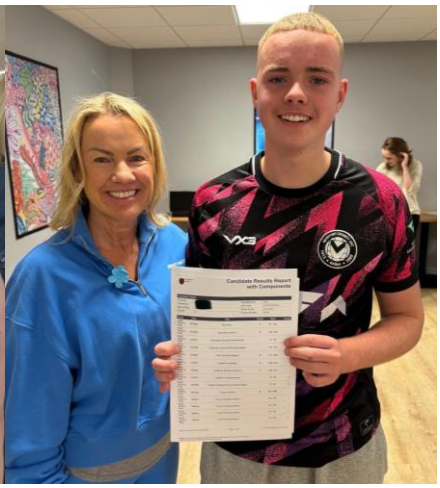
It was wonderful to see so many pupils and parents on Results Day.

A proud moment for pupils and parents alike!



We're enjoying seeing our new Year 12 pupils thrive in Sixth Form!

12 A* FOR THEODORA

A special mention goes to Theodora who was our top achieving pupil at GCSE with 12 A grades, together with Nandinee S and Anjali.*

Theodora received her GCSE results whilst competing in the World Junior Swimming Championships in Romania where she won two silvers, 2 bronze and broke the British age group record in the 50m freestyle. She also broke the Welsh Senior record in the 100m freestyle and the European Junior record in the 4 x 100m freestyle relay.

Earlier in the summer, Theodora travelled to Slovenia to complete in the European Juniors winning one gold, two silver and one bronze medal. She also broke the Welsh Senior record in the 50m freestyle as well as the European Junior record in the 4 x 100m mixed relay.

Theodora truly is an inspirational student whose dedication to her academic studies shines. Her 12 A* grades are incredibly well deserved and to achieve this level of academic excellence against the backdrop of a world class swimming career and all of its demands is something to behold.

We are delighted that Theodora has stayed with the Rougemont family to continue her studies at A Level in the Sixth Form and look forward to sharing her continued success in the pool.

AN A* FOR THOMAS IN YEAR 9

A special mention to Thomas (now Year 10) who sat his Spanish GCSE in Year 9.

Thomas was our youngest GCSE candidate this year and achieved a fantastic A* in Spanish two years early.

A keen linguist, Thomas shared his flair for Spanish by studying and sitting his Spanish GCSE in Year 9. His hard work paid off on results day with an A* grade! Well done, Thomas.

A WEEK IN PICTURES

WELCOME BACK TO ALL OUR PUPILS, TEACHERS AND PARENTS!

It was 'back to school' for all pupils on Wednesday.

The overcast weather didn't dampen spirits as pupils enjoyed reconnecting with friends.

Say hello to the new Year 7 pupils!

A WEEK IN PICTURES

WELCOME BACK TO ALL OUR PUPILS, TEACHERS AND PARENTS!

Our pupils looked smart and Rougemont ready for the year ahead.

Pupils were excited to start their new journeys in Sixth Form and Year 7.

And a very warm welcome to our new Year 12 pupils who are enjoying their first few days as Sixth Formers!

WELCOME NEW STAFF

Mrs Sarah Howell-Jones
Director of Safeguarding and Inclusion
Mrs Howell-Jones joins us from Cathedral School Llandaff to lead our Inclusion Department and Safeguarding Provision. Mrs Howell-Jones joins the Rougemont SLT.

Dr Huw Evans - Mathematics

Dr Evans joins us from Haberdasher's Monmouth Schools where he previously held the post of Head of Mathematics.

Miss Ruby Parfitt - PE
Miss Parfitt has recently graduated from Cardiff Met and joins the PE Department. She is a Year 7 Form Tutor.

Mr Joseph Thomas - Physics
Mr Thomas joins us from St Alban's RC High School and teaches Physics. He is also a Year 7 Form Tutor.

Mr Phillip Grant - History

Mr Grant joins our History department. Mr Grant previously taught at Haberdasher's Monmouth School. He is a Year 12 Form Tutor.