

TOP TIPS NOW YOU HAVE YOUR GCSE RESULTS



Congratulations on receiving your GCSE results today! Here's what you need to do next:

What if I haven't got the results I need for my first-choice college/sixth form?

- Go to enrolment at the colleges or sixth forms you have been offered places at to find out if they can still offer you a place.
- Most colleges will be able to look at alternative options with you so don't worry!
- Some colleges will offer you a place even if you haven't applied to them. Contact individual colleges to discuss this.
- You can visit more than one college at enrolment time to help you decide which offers the best option for you.

**** Remember, most colleges start their enrolment on results day, and it continues right up to when the courses start in September***

****Remember to take a copy of your results and your ID to enrolment.***

Apprenticeships

If you are interested in doing an apprenticeship it is essential that you begin to enquire as soon as possible as it takes some time to apply and find a suitable vacancy. In the first instance you should search the current vacancies on the National Apprenticeship Website <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

- A local training provider may be able to help you with this process, **the Growth Company** is one of the largest providers of apprenticeships in Manchester and can be contacted on **0161 2332656** or <https://www.gceducationandskills.ac.uk/contact-us/>
- You can also contact the apprenticeship teams at local colleges.
- You might consider speaking to staff at colleges during enrolment to find out what other options you have. This could be your back up plan and does not stop you continuing to apply for apprenticeships.

**** Remember – you do not have an apprenticeship until you have the offer of a place with an employer***

**** If you are still unsure about your options, you can speak to your Careers Adviser in school on GCSE results day.***

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IF YOU NEED FURTHER HELP AND HAVE NOT SECURED A SIXTH FORM PLACE, A COLLEGE PLACE OR AN APPRENTICESHIP

Other Useful College Contact Numbers: -

Sir John Deane's sixth form - 01606 810020 <https://www.sjd.ac.uk/>

Altrincham College - 0161 980 7173 <https://www.altrinchamcollege.com/>

Ashton on Mersey sixth form – 0161 973 1179 <https://aomschool.co.uk/sixth-form/>

Knutsford Academy sixth form - 01565 633294
<https://knutsfordacademy.org.uk/sixth-form>

Lymm sixth form - 01925 755458 <https://lymmhigh6thform.org.uk/>

Trafford College: 0161 886 7070 <https://trafford.ac.uk/>

The Manchester College 03333 222 444 <https://www.tmc.ac.uk/>

Stockport College: 0161 296 5000 <https://stockport.ac.uk/>

Cheadle and Marple College: 0161 486 4600 www.cmcnet.ac.uk

Salford City College: 0161 631 5000 <http://www.salfordcc.ac.uk/>

Aquinas College – 0161 483 3237 <http://www.aquinas.ac.uk/>

If you have not secured a college place or an apprenticeship, please email the your school's Connexions Careers Adviser for further support: -

**Suzanne Acton – Careers Adviser email suzanne.acton@trafford.gov.uk
or ring/message on 07814649990**

