

EXAM RESULTS AND POST-RESULTS SERVICES – SUMMER 2026

GCSE Results Day – Thursday 20th August 2026

Results may be collected between 8:30 and 9:30am in the Gym. Senior staff will be available in school to support and advise on the day. The Exams Team will be available until 3:00pm on results days to advise on post-results services.

Grade boundaries

The grade boundaries for each exam board will be made available on their websites from 8:00am on results day.

AQA: <https://www.aqa.org.uk/exams-administration/results-days/grade-boundaries>

Edexcel/Pearson: <https://qualifications.pearson.com/en/support/support-topics/results-certification/grade-boundaries.html>

OCR: <https://www.ocr.org.uk/administration/grade-boundaries>

WJEC: <https://www.educas.co.uk/home/administration/results-grade-boundaries-and-prs>

Post-Results Services

If you are concerned about a result, it is possible to apply for post-results services provided by each exam board. Please be aware that it is rare for errors in marking to be identified or to result in an increase in marks following a review and can be expensive. It is also possible for marks to be deducted during a review of marking. **Before applying and paying for a post-results service, it is recommended to seek advice from the exams team on results day or via email at FF-Exams@fairfax.fmat.co.uk**

All post-results services must be requested through the exams officer – exam boards do not accept requests directly from students and parents. Please note that these services are only available for written examinations.

An application will **only** be submitted on receipt of:

- A completed online post-results request form
- Proof of payment of relevant fee

Requests for post-results services should be made using the **online request form** (see QR code at the end of this document) where possible. If you have any issues accessing the online form or are seeking advice before applying, please email the exams team at FF-Exams@fairfax.fmat.co.uk.

Services Available

Service 1: Clerical re-check

A check of clerical procedures to make sure that all pages were marked, marks counted correctly and that the result matched the marks on the paper. This service takes up to 10 calendar days from the date of submission to the exam board.

Service 2: Review of Marking

A clerical re-check plus a second examiner will check the paper again to identify any genuine administrative/marketing errors or unreasonable marking. They will not completely re-mark the script. This service takes up to 20 calendar days from the date of submission to the exam board.

The deadline to apply for post-results services is Tuesday 22nd September 2026.

Access To Scripts – personal use

If you are happy with your results and do not wish to carry out a review of marking, but would like a copy of your marked script, you may apply for non-priority ATS (Access to scripts) You must complete the online post-results form, choosing ATS and pay the admin fee of £3.00 per paper.

Scripts will be provided in electronic format and may be applied for between **3rd – 22nd September**. Please note that requesting a non-priority script will make you ineligible for a review of marking service.

Applications and queries

The Exams Team will be available at the following times to answer queries and process completed post-results service requests and payments:

Thursday 20th August – 8:30am – 3:00pm

Friday 21st August – 8:30am – 1:00pm

From Thursday 3rd September

Please note that we will not be available after 1:00pm on Friday 21st August until school returns in September. We will respond to queries and emails sent after this time from Thursday 3rd September.

IMPORTANT! - It is essential to note that there is no grade protection with a review of marking. There are three possible outcomes following a clerical re-check or review of marking:

- Your original mark/grade may be **lowered**
- Your original mark/grade is **confirmed as the same**
- Your original mark/grade is **raised**

Post-Results Services – Fees and Deadlines

Fees for post-results services are set by the exam boards and are listed on the next page.

Please be aware that the fee is per paper, not per subject therefore if there were two papers, the cost will be double. Please ensure that you make it clear on your form which paper(s) you require to be reviewed.

Payment for fees is by BACS (bank transfer) and all fees must be confirmed as paid before an application can be submitted. Please contact FF-Exams@fairfax.fmat.co.uk for payment account details.

Outcome of post-results services

Once the re-check/review is completed by the exam board and the outcome is made available, the Exams Team will email you to confirm the decision. If the outcome results in a change of grade, the fee will be refunded to your account. Please note that this may take up to 4 weeks to process.

GCSE/L2 Post-Results Services – Fees and Deadlines 2026

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL FEES ARE PER PAPER, NOT PER SUBJECT

GCSE/LEVEL 2

SERVICE	DEADLINE (BY 3:00PM)	AQA	EDEXCEL/ PEARSON	OCR	WJEC/ EDUQAS
ATS (Access to Scripts to support teaching & learning/student requests*)	Tuesday 22nd September	*£3.00	*£3.00	*£3.00	*£3.00
Service 1: Clerical Re-check	Tuesday 22nd September	£9.70	£14.00	£12.00	£11.00
Service 2: Review of Marking	Tuesday 22nd September	£44.85	£50.00	£67.75	£45.00

* Personal student requests for scripts will incur a £3.00 admin charge per paper.

Please contact FF-Exams@fairfax.fmat.co.uk for account payment details

ONLINE APPLICATION FORM FOR POST-RESULTS SERVICES

Summer 2026 **GCSE, Cambridge Nationals & BTEC Tech Awards**

Please scan the QR code below or visit this link to complete the online form.

<https://forms.office.com/e/7M9nFfJag?origin=lprLink>



EXAMINATION CERTIFICATES

Examination certificates will be available to collect from the Sixth Form Centre (for returning students) or Reception (for leavers) **from Monday 23rd November 2026**.

Reception will be open to collect certificates between 8:30am – 3:30pm Monday to Friday during term-time. If you require someone else to collect the certificates for you, please send an email to FF-Exams@fairfax.fmat.co.uk stating the name of the person and confirmation that you give your permission for them to collect on your behalf.

You/your nominated collector will be required to sign a form to confirm that you have collected your certificates and that you have checked that they are correct.

Students are advised to collect their certificates from school when available as we are only legally required to keep certificates for **one year from issue**. We do not post out certificates in case they are lost in the post. These are important documents which education providers and employers will ask to see and exam boards charge up to £50 each to provide a replacement notification of achievement.

If you have any further queries regarding your results, please contact the Exams Team via email FF-Exams@fairfax.fmat.co.uk. The Exams Team will be available until 1:00pm on 21st August should you require further support. All enquiries after this time will be answered upon our return in September.