

IKB students excel in STEM subjects

Students at IKB Academy have received their Centre Assessed GCSE Grades today and for a fourth year running the results have been positive, especially in subjects relating to the school's STEM specialism. IKB opened in 2015 to meet the local and national need for skilled and highly qualified students in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) and our students have always achieved highly in these key subjects. This year, over 20% of all grades in STEM subjects (biology, chemistry, physics, maths, computing and product design) were at a grade 7 or above.

Students also attained excellent results in other curriculum areas, with over 80% of students gaining a grade 4 in English and over 80% gaining a grade 4 in maths, with 71% of students achieving above a grade 4 in both English and maths and 42% of students achieving above a grade 5 in both English and maths; essential for access to A-level courses and University.

Special congratulations go to John, Aryna, Niamh, Renee and Maya who each achieved eight or more grade 7's (A-grades) and above, sharing a combined total of fourteen grade 9's between them!

Student Success

John Augustin joined IKB part way through year 10 after moving to the UK from Spain. John settled quickly with us, excelling in maths and computing and we are pleased that he will be continuing his A-level studies with us in maths, computing and psychology.



Aryna Ali achieved grade 9's in maths, product design and chemistry, with grade 8's in all other subjects.

Niamh Murphy sat her GCSE English Literature a year early and achieved a grade 9, she followed this up by achieving another grade 9 in biology. Niamh achieved a further six grade 8's and one grade 7 and we are thrilled with her results.

Renee Weber achieved three grade 9's, five grade 8's and one grade 7. Renee has secured a scholarship to Taunton College where she will be studying the International Baccalaureate and we wish her all the best in her future endeavours.



Maya Hargreaves achieved five grade 9's, one grade 8 and two grade 6's. Maya was particularly strong in the three science subjects and excelled with grade 9's in all three. Maya will be continuing her A-level studies in maths, physics and psychology and we are confident of her future success.

Many more IKB students will be continuing their successful academic journey with IKB into the sixth form, studying a range of facilitating A-level subjects and vocational qualifications, creating our largest yr12 cohort to date. We cannot wait to get started with them all!

Other photos

