

Press Release

Brixham College 2011 Examination results climb to new heights

Brixham students achieved the best ever results for the College in this year's public examinations. Significant leaps of double figures were made in the governments key indicators used in judging the effectiveness of secondary schools.

Students achieving 5 or more GCSE grades at A*-C including English and maths rose by 11% from 2010 to 54%, while 79% of students achieved 5 or more GCSE at A*-C grades, an increase of 17% from last year's high.

With a student cohort of 197 in year 11 96% achieved 5 or more A*-G grades at GCSE including English and maths, while 100% of students left Brixham College with at least one or more GCSE at grades A*-G.

The college's Principal, Mark Eager, was on hand to congratulate the students as they came in to collect their results. Mr Eager said

"I am delighted by what our students have achieved this year and very proud of their efforts and those made by College staff in supporting them. These results are the highest ever and clearly demonstrate the success of the recent changes we have made at the College.

As a comprehensive school we value success at all levels however individual recognition must go to Becky Burden, Hannah Collins, Blake Diton, Annabel Greenslade, Coral Phillips, Holly Pearce, Charis Ridge, Rosie Williams and Charlotte Woods who all achieved 8 or more A-A grades at GCSE.*

I wish all our students the very best of luck in all that they choose to do in the future."

Mike Morey, the Chair of Governors, thanked the students and staff for all their hard work over the year, he said

"These are excellent exam results and I would like to congratulate the students for all their efforts and of course the staff, as without their commitment and enthusiasm Brixham College would not be the successful college that it has clearly become."

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