

## Enquiries and Appeals about Results Upper Sixth 2024

1. Please check how close you are to the top of a grade boundary using your statement of results and the information on the back of this sheet. There is little point in applying for a review of marks if you are close to the bottom of a grade band.
2. Scan the QR code below, which takes you to the online application form. You will also find a link to the form below and on the College website.



<https://forms.gle/pYEzwpivN3kaBgEk6>

Use your statement of results to find the necessary component codes for each paper. Please note that a controlled assessment or practical module **cannot** be reviewed.

3. The costs for applying for a review **for each paper** are:

<u>LEVEL</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>AQA</u>	<u>CCEA</u>	<u>EDEXCEL</u>	<u>OCR</u>
AS/A2	Clerical Re-Check	£8.70	£8.50	£12.50	£10.00
A2 ONLY	PRIORITY REVIEW OF MARKS	£56.50	£36.55	£61.60	£70.75
A2 ONLY	PRIORITY REVIEW OF REMARKS & COPY SCRIPT	£56.50	£45.05	£61.60	£85.50
AS/A2	REVIEW OF MARK	£46.75	£24.30	£51.70	£57.50
AS/A2	REVIEW OF MARKS & COPY SCRIPT	£46.75	£32.80	£51.70	£72.25
AS/A2	* COPY SCRIPT (BEFORE REMARK)	£0.00	*£8.50	£0.00	£0.00

The College charges an administration fee of £7.00 per pupil, regardless of how many services are applied for. This admin fee will be applied to your final bill and is non-refundable. After you have applied for any examination services, you will receive a payment link through email through WorldPay. **Please check your Junk Email if you do not receive this as in previous years, the initial email has sometimes gone into this folder.** If your overall cash in **grade** changes, as in you go from a B to an A, the money is refunded by the exam board. If the mark changes, but not the overall grade, you will not receive a refund.

4. The closing dates for a Review of marking and/or Photocopies of scripts are:  
**21/08/24** – Priority Review of marking by 1pm  
**27/08/24** – Photocopy of script\*  
**24/09/24** – Standard Review of marking and/or a photocopy of a script\*  
**Applications cannot be accepted after these dates.**

\* When requesting a photocopy of a script, you should note that CCEA's quality assurance checks of scripts before dispatch could result in a change of marks (**possibly downwards**), so students should think carefully before making an application.

## Understanding your Statement of Results

The statement of results provides a breakdown of results at unit and subject level, which should help to inform your decision-making, around whether to go for a review of marking

The marks you will see are UMS scores, rather than raw marks. The UMS grade boundaries are set at fixed percentages of the total marks available. Please note, the total UMS marks vary from subject to subject.

<b>Grade</b>	<b>% of total UMS marks available</b>
A*	90* (A2 modules)
A	80
B	70
C	60
D	50
E	40

\*To achieve an A\*, a pupil needs to have achieved the A grade overall and 90%+ in their A2 modules. If a pupil has achieved 90%+ overall with AS and A2 added together, but has not achieved 90%+ in their A2 modules, they will be awarded an A grade, not an A\*

If the total mark for an A Level is 400 UMS marks, an A would be 80% of 400, which equals 320; a B grade is 280 and so on.

**You need to be near the top of a grade boundary to make it worthwhile applying for a review of marks.**

Using the above example, if you had achieved 318 UMS marks, you are just 2 UMS below the A boundary, so it might well be worth applying for a review.

However, please remember that your mark can go up or down when the review is done – the examiner may realise that you have been marked too generously or your marks have been added incorrectly when your paper is checked. So, if you are near the bottom of a grade boundary you run the risk of being downgraded.

Again, using the example above, if you had hoped to get an A in a subject, but your UMS mark is 282, you are very close to the bottom of the B band and so it is highly unlikely that your mark would go up enough to get you that A grade. However, you run the risk of losing a few UMS and being downgraded to a C.

Talk to your teacher or the Head of Department of that subject for advice if you are unsure.