## A-level results day 2024 Strong set of results from Cambridge Academy for Science and Technology students

Sixth formers at Cambridge Academy for Science and Technology (CAST) are celebrating after receiving their A-level and T-level results.

One stand-out performance came from Daniil Markovskyi, who joined CAST in 2022 after fleeing Kyiv when the war in Ukraine broke out.

Daniil could barely speak English, however in the face of many challenges, he has achieved three B grades in biology, chemistry and mathematics. He will be studying chemical engineering at Queen Mary University of London.

The staff at CAST have supported me well over the last two years. I had never even studied chemistry before and now I am delighted to be looking at a future as a chemical engineer," he said.

Other high achievers include Jadon Reed, who achieved three A\*s and one B, will be going to the University of Cambridge to study computer science.

Joe Middleton, who achieved three A\*s and two As, will be taking up a degree-level apprenticeship with Airbus. "I am incredibly pleased with my grades and that I will be starting my apprenticeship in two weeks. The skills I have learnt at CAST will really support me in my future career," said Joe.

Alex Chernyavskiy achieved one A\*, two As and one B and will be going to the University of Warwick to study biomedical science.

Students at the academy studying T-levels also have much to celebrate. Equivalent to three Alevels, T-levels have been co-created with industry to help prepare students for careers in their chosen field. Courses include a mix of subject knowledge and specialist training in the students' specialism, much of which is achieved through practical scenario-based teaching.

The highlight of the T-level is a three-month work placement, with CAST students using this opportunity to take up a range of excellent roles including at Cambridge University Hospitals, the Sainsbury Laboratory Cambridge University and the Medical Research Council.

At T-level, all students at CAST received at least a Merit grade (equivalent to three B grades at A Level), whilst a quarter of the cohort received a Distinction (equivalent to three A grades at A Level).



Students Joe, Daniil and Luca with their A-level results



One of the school's highest achievers was Izzy Collins, who was awarded a Distinction in healthcare science, and will be studying midwifery in September.

## **T-level students Izzy and Ariel**

Principal Danielle Pacey said: "Many congratulations to all our students who have received their results today. We are so pleased with this strong set of outcomes across both A-level and T-level, which is testament to students' hard work, determination and resilience. It is through the enduring support of our Sixth Form team that our students are able to excel and can overcome even the hardest of challenges.

I am proud that we have created a school community in which each and every young person has the confidence and guidance they need to achieve their ambitions in whichever path they choose to take. Well done again all."