



# CRGS Sixth Form: *A Brief Guide to Results Day*

**CRGS *Futures* Series Presentation 9: Mrs Johnston**



“The future depends on what we do in the present.”

Mahatma  
Gandhi

# CRGS *Futures* Series

This is the ninth CRGS Sixth Form Futures presentation:

1. *An Introduction to CRGS Futures*
2. *A Brief Introduction to Applying to University*
3. *Getting Started on your Personal Statement*
4. *Completing your UCAS Form*
5. *A Brief Introduction to Applying for Higher and Degree Apprenticeships*
6. *A Brief Guide to Student Finance*
7. *A Brief Guide to Specialist Admissions Tests*
8. *Replying to Offers*
9. *A Brief Guide to Results Day*

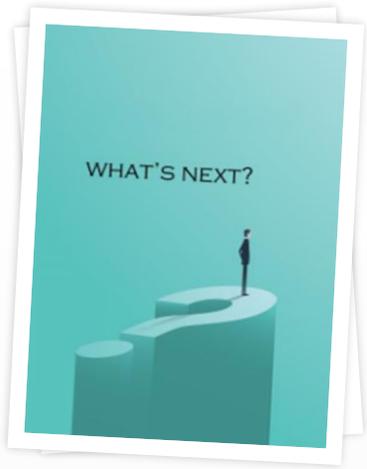




## On A Level Results Day we will send your results on your school email



- We will do this as soon as the JCQ embargo is lifted (we currently believe this to be 8.00am)
- We do this to give all students their results at the same time and as early as possible
- Our entire Sixth Form Team will be on site at Sixth Form:
  - you can visit without appointment to get help and support
  - or you can phone us on 01200 423118 and your Senior Tutor will ring you back as soon as possible



## On A Level Results Day you will see an update in Track



- Track will let you know whether your place has been confirmed
- Remember if your Firm choice is confirmed you cannot disregard that in favour of your Insurance choice
- Sometimes a decision will be pending – all you can do is wait!





### How Clearing Works

# What happens if I am not holding an offer?



- Clearing is how universities and colleges fill any places they still have on their courses
- From 5th July 2022, you can apply for a course using Clearing if you're not already holding an offer from a university or college, and the course still has places
- You can use Clearing if:
  - you're applying after 30 June
  - you didn't receive any offers (or none you wanted to accept)
  - you didn't meet the conditions of your offers
  - you've declined your firm place using the 'decline my place' button in Track.

YOU CAN DECLINE  
OUR PLACE IF IT'S  
UNCONDITIONAL  
AND APPLY  
SOMEWHERE ELSE  
WITH CLEARING

## What if I want to decline my place?



- You can decline your place on Track if your place is unconditional firm (UF)
- You are then eligible for Clearing
- Think carefully about this – it is a big step and not reversible
- It is usually better to do some research and find a place first, before taking this step!



“Life is what happens when we are busy making plans.”

Henry Cooke

# What is Clearing+?



- If you find yourself in Clearing, Clearing+ matches you to courses you may be interested in, using what UCAS knows about you from your application, and what universities and colleges are looking for in a student
- If you are unplaced or have started a new application, a button will appear in Track – ‘My matches’. This will take you to your top 50 course matches. You’ll then be able to tell universities and colleges you are ‘interested’ in their courses. If they still have vacancies and you meet their entry requirements, they may call you
- Don’t worry, if you want to apply for something different you can still find courses available in Clearing using the search tool.



# How to use Clearing



- 1. Ask for advice and get support** – we are here to help!
- 2. See what courses are available** - use the UCAS search tool to find courses.
- 3. Talk to any universities you are interested in** - before you add a Clearing choice in Track, call the university and give them your Clearing number (you can find this in Track), and Personal ID. Get informal offers over the phone then decide which one you want to accept.
- 4. Add your Clearing choice in Track**  
Only add a Clearing choice once you have permission from the university or college. This counts as you definitely accepting the offer, so if they confirm, it'll show as an acceptance on your 'Choices' page in Track. You can do this from 2.00pm on 18<sup>th</sup> August

[Clearing FAQs](#)



Remember  
Sixth Form  
Team are  
available to  
offer help and  
advice, either  
in person or  
over the  
phone

# Top Tips for Results Day



- Make sure that you can log on to both your school email and Track and check both as soon as possible
- It can be useful to have access to several devices – so you can be in more than one phone queue or keep researching whilst waiting. Ensure your phone is fully charged!
- If you decide to use the “Decline my Place” function, do some research and phoning first
- Get going as soon as possible if you are using Clearing but...don't feel under pressure to make any quick decisions – remember that you can verbally accept as many offers as you like – it is the one you choose to add on Track that counts



# Remember...



For the majority of students, Results Day goes very smoothly, but if it doesn't we are here to help...

