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UTC Heathrow students celebrate A Level and vocational results

UTC Heathrow's Year 13 students are celebrating this morning after picking up their A Level and Level 3 qualification results this morning, securing them places on prestigious degree apprenticeships and university places.

The University Technical College (UTC), which is a STEM focused school specialising in digital and engineering, celebrated an overall pass rate of

At A level:

- 16% of grades being an A*-B
- 28% of grades being an A*-C

In Vocational and Technical subjects:

- 17% of all grades being D*D*D*/DDD in BTEC L3 Extended Diploma in Engineering/IT
- 25% of all grades being D*D*/DD in BTEC L3 Diploma in Engineering/IT
- 20% of all grades being D*/D in BTEC L3 Extended Certificate in Engineering/IT

Several of our students have landed apprenticeships and degree apprenticeships at prestigious firms including LMG, CBRE and Heathrow Airport

Students have also gained places on sought-after courses at universities including-----:

Kingston, Brunel, Queen Marys, City of Westminster, Leeds and Nottingham

Head of School, Jas Kallah, said: "I am really pleased with the fantastic results achieved by our Year 13s. The vast majority of the students have secured their first choice universities and apprenticeships. The UTC would like to congratulate the students on their grades this summer and wish them the best of luck in the future."

We are of course proud of ALL of our students who sat exams. Notable achievements, among several others, include:

*Touheed Ahmed Mian, Extended Diploma in Engineering = D*D*D*
Attending Queen Marys University in September 2023 to study - Aerospace Engineering*

"I am very proud of myself for working hard"

*Danny Simons, Extended Diploma in Engineering = D*DD
Attending Leeds University in September 2023 to study - Studies in Science
"I am very happy". Danny aspires to being a future lecturer*

UTC Heathrow students have all secured their next step on their career journey but we continue to offer information, advice and guidance to anyone who changes their mind or would like additional support after their post 16 studies.

The school is strongly focused on preparing students for their future careers, supporting them with everything from CV-writing and interview preparation to the day-to-day skills required to succeed in the workplace. This, combined with opportunities to work with the college's industry partners, gives UTC students a distinct advantage when applying for apprenticeships, higher education courses and employment.

We wish every success to all our students who go on to further education, higher level apprenticeships with national employers and look forward to hearing about their journey.

UTC Heathrow is Ofsted rated Good.

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Notes to editors

UTC Heathrow is an innovative, employer-focused, high-tech Ofsted Good school for students aged from 14-19, specialising in digital and engineering. UTC Heathrow is different to an existing traditional school – delivering first class education in an environment that feels like the workplace, achieved by delivering the curriculum through employer-led projects which tackle real industry issues.

Responding to growing demands from industry for well-educated, high-calibre, professional engineers and technicians, the UTC provides a hands-on approach to learning, integrating national curriculum requirements with technical and practical elements.

Digital Futures Programme

The Digital Futures Programme is specialist engineering pathway for students, who, by working alongside data centre employers, gain the essential knowledge and skills needed to thrive in technical careers within the data centre sector. UTC Heathrow is the first school in the UK to offer this pathway.

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