



## POST RESULTS SERVICES SUMMER 2023

### Things to consider before submitting a Review of Results (RoR) Request

1. If you have a university place pending, you should request a priority Review of Results (ROR2P) before 24<sup>th</sup> August. Do not request a script first to decide whether or not to go for a review of results – you risk not getting it in time and you may lose your university place.

**NB: Students should inform their university choices that a review of results has been requested. Universities may be able to keep your place open until the review has been completed.**

**An awarding body will not inform UCAS or others that a review of results has been requested. However, it will advise UCAS of any grade change arising from a review. Please see the guidance below provided by UCAS:**

<https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/results-confirmation-and-clearing/results/thinking-appealing-your-grades>

2. If you do not have a university place pending, you can request a priority copy of the marked paper (**ATSP**) to help decide whether to request a Review of Results, but you must do this before 31<sup>st</sup> August for A Levels and before 7<sup>th</sup> September for GCSEs. The script will be returned to you in time to request a review of results before the deadline (28/09/2023). These are free from all awarding bodies.
3. You cannot request to have your original script back and then ask for a review of results.
4. If you are only a few marks above a grade boundary, it is particularly risky to go for a review of results – you may end up worse off.
5. Where there has been a downgrade following a marking review, the review request cannot be revoked nor can the original higher grade be re-instated.
6. If you are only a couple of marks below a grade boundary and have several papers that could be reviewed, please discuss your options with your teacher/the subject leader/member of SLT. They are best placed to advise you on which paper to have reviewed, if any. Once an application is submitted, it cannot be cancelled so it is important you select the correct unit to review as you will be charged for it.
7. If you are half way between grade boundaries, it is unlikely your marks will change sufficiently to increase your grade. Please discuss any potential Review of Results with your teacher or subject leader. Reviews of Results are expensive and the awarding bodies charge a fee per script. If the overall subject grade changes, you will receive a refund of the fee for the reviewed paper which has changed. Some awarding bodies may refund the fees for all papers reviewed. We will therefore follow the same approach as each awarding body.
8. Awarding bodies offer some **priority** Review of Results services, which have quicker turn-around times. A **priority** Review of Results service (**RoR2P**), available for A Levels and Edexcel/Pearson GCSEs, should be completed in 15 calendar days (cf. a non-priority review, which can take up to 20 calendar days). **Priority** copies of marked scripts are available from all awarding bodies at GCE and GCSE level to help decide about a

non-priority review of a result. However, priority copies are only available for 14 days after each results day (so up until 31<sup>st</sup> August for A Level scripts and 7<sup>th</sup> September for GCSEs)

9. You may not request to have coursework units reviewed. These are marked by the school initially and then the marks are either confirmed or, in rare cases, adjusted by the awarding body. Only the school may request a review of coursework units and this has to be for the group of students whose work was originally selected for moderation, not an individual student's piece of work.
10. The school may not request your script without your consent.
11. If you wish to request a copy of the marked script as well as a Review of Results service, you should request it at the same time as the Review of Results service.

<b>Review of Results(RoR) Codes &amp; Services</b>		<b>WCGS Request Deadline<sup>1</sup></b>
<b>RoR1</b>	Clerical re-check – ensures all answers have been marked and all marks added up correctly (10 day turn-around)	28/09/2023
<b>RoR1+</b>	Clerical re-check - same as RoR1 above but with copy of script	28/09/2023
<b>RoR2</b>	“Review of Result” to make sure the mark scheme has been applied correctly and it includes the clerical check above(20 day turn-around)	28/09/2023
<b>RoR2+</b>	Same as RoR2 but with a copy of checked script	28/09/2023
<b>RoR2P</b>	Priority Review of Result (with 15 day turn-around)for all A Levels & Edexcel/Pearson GCSEs only	GCE – 24/08/2023 Pearson GCSE – 31/08/2023
<b>RoR2P+</b>	Same as RoR2P and includes a copy of checked script	GCE – 24/08/2023 Pearson GCSE – 31/08/2023
<b>Access To Scripts(ATS) Codes &amp; Services</b>		<b>WCGS Request Deadline</b>
<b>ATSO</b>	Original(for teaching & learning). Please note:  a) Staff cannot request a copy of your script for teaching and learning purposes unless you have given them permission to do so after results have been issued to you. b) It is not possible to ask for the original script and then request a review of marking	28/09/2023
<b>ATSP</b>	Priority copy of script to help decide if you want to request a non-priority Review of Results. However, if you are concerned about a university place, select the <b>RoR2P+</b> priority re-mark service plus script instead.	GCEs: 31/08/2023  GCSEs :  07/09/2023

<sup>1</sup>Requests must be received by 12 noon on the WCGS deadline date in order to be accepted