THOMAS (2010)

* Left with 11 GCSES, graded from B to C, and 3 A levels, graded B and C.
* Works as an Application Analyst in one of the county's best known retail and convenience store chains.
* Advice for current students: "Hard work always pays off. Never give up, no matter what. Just because one door closes, doesn't mean it's over!"

ISAAC (2014)

* Left with 11 GCSEs, graded A*-A.
* Studied Politics at Keele University and graduated this summer with a 2:1. Currently aiming to progress in long term employment at McDonald's through their Trainee Manager Programme.
* Advice for current students: "You can only do your best. As long as you have a positive attitude to learning and revise to the best of your ability, you should feel proud in whatever you go on to achieve."