

# What all the data is telling us ahead of Confirmation and Clearing

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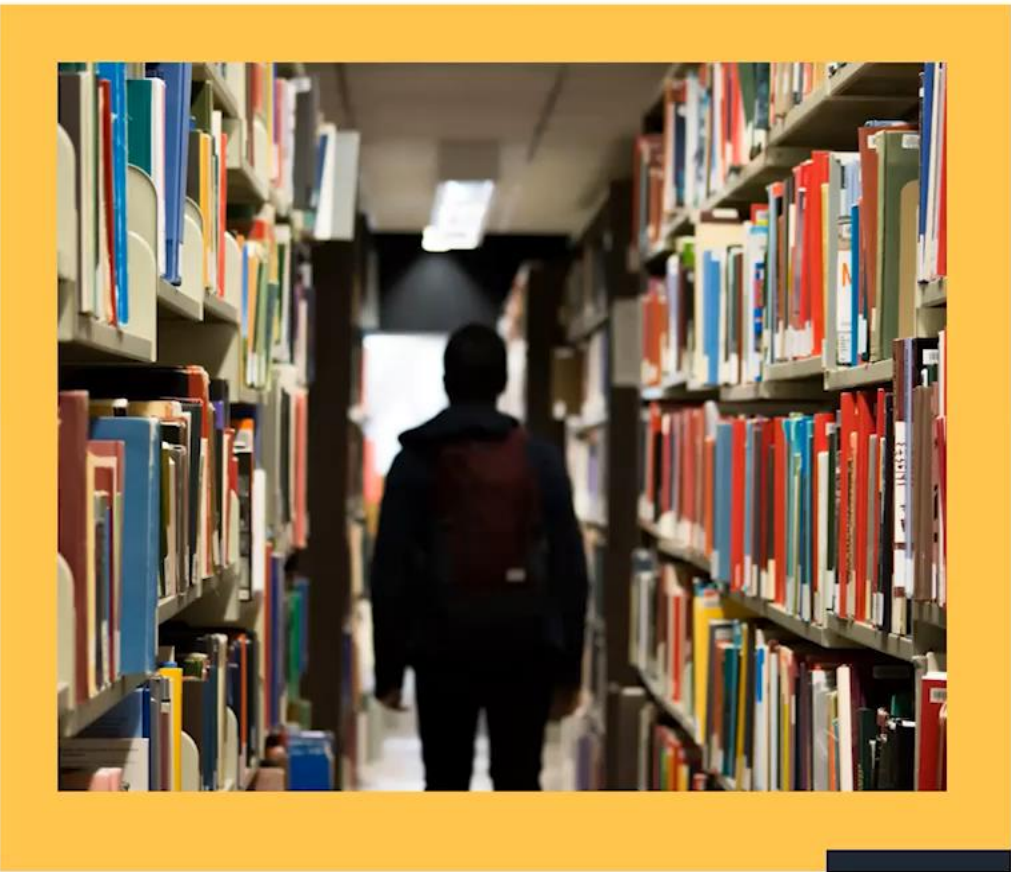
# 5 key themes for this summer

- Students' confidence is high, with more accepted offers
- It's a competitive year though, and teachers know it
- Universities have responded to continued higher demand by adapting their offer-making
- Widening participation remains a priority
- Expect students to take full advantage of the choices on offer



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# The Applicant Mindset

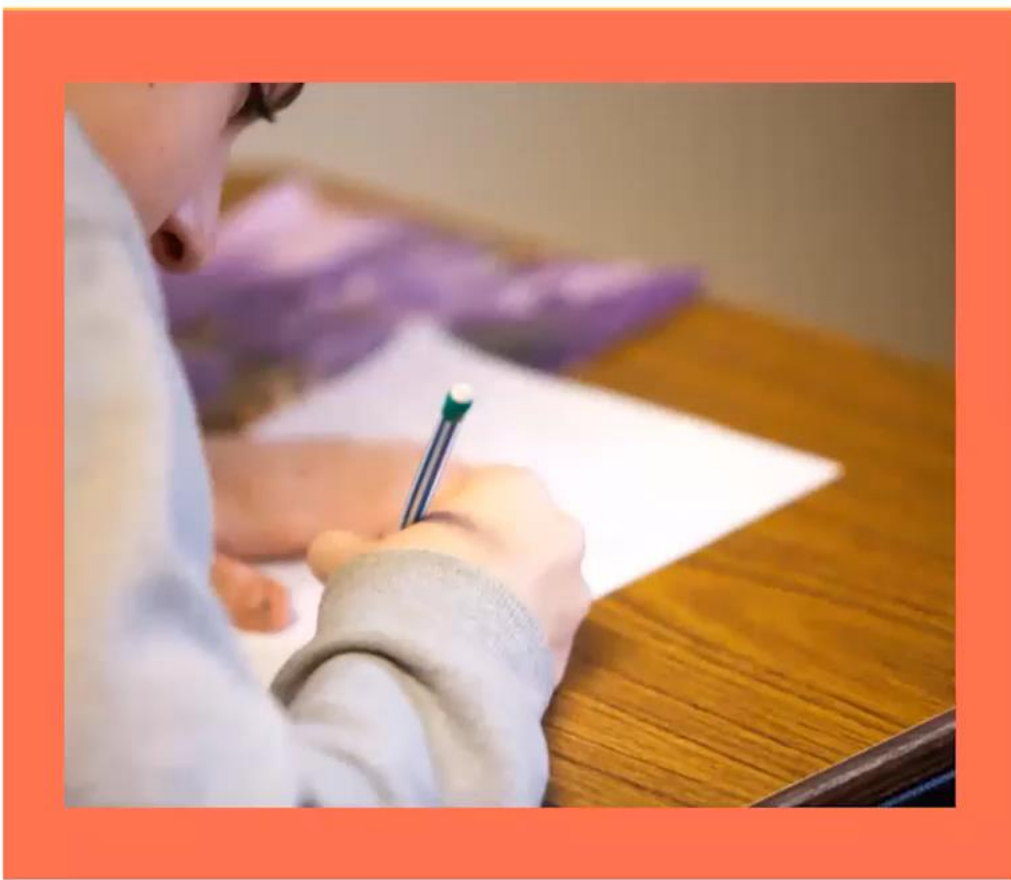




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# Attitudes to exams and assessments





# Results day decisions



# Key takeaways

- A return to exams means **Clearing is likely to be busier** than 2020 and 2021, but offer making has mitigated some challenges.
- Despite two years of disruption, students are both **confident** and **excited** ahead of this summer, however they are also **hungry for more information** and opportunities to visit.
- Students are expecting to be able to **appeal their results** if things don't go to plan, although in practice this may not be possible.