

## A2 RESULTS 2017

Sir William Borlase's celebrates exceptional A Level results. Headmaster Dr Peter Holding says "We are very proud of these wonderful results, yet again this year. They represent the culmination of two years of hard work by our talented students and their teachers. We are still awaiting the final news of university places, but it does look as though the vast majority have secured their top choices. Amidst the general successes there were also some exceptional individual results, with 40 students gaining straight A grades or better, and five gaining all A\*s. Head Boy, Jed Thorpe, gained five A\*s in Maths, Further Maths, Additional Further Maths, Chemistry and Physics. This was a very talented year group, who were a delight to work with, not only for their academic studies, but for all of the other aspects of school life. They included talented actors, musicians, sports men and women, for example, and some of these young people were juggling the demands of international sporting competition with academic studies. I am very proud of them." The school's headline figure for A\*-B will be in excess of 76.3% and the overall pass rate was 99.3%.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Number of candidates	182	189	183	183	204	195
% A* - B	77.6	82.7	83.5	82.4	77.8	76.3
Average UCAS Points per entry	106.2	107.4	110.4	110.6	106.7	104

	Entries	%A*	%A	%B	%C	%D	%E	%U	%A*-B	Average Points
Art & Design (Fine Art)	7	57.1	28.6	14.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	128.6
Biology	82	9.8	24.4	26.8	29.3	8.5	1.2	0.0	61.0	98.8
Business Studies	16	0.0	25.0	37.5	25.0	6.3	6.3	0.0	62.5	93.8
Chemistry	48	8.3	35.4	27.1	22.9	4.2	2.1	0.0	70.8	102.9
Creative Writing	4	75.0	25.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	135.0
Dance	5	20.0	60.0	20.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	120.0
Drama	9	33.3	33.3	22.2	11.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	88.9	117.8
Economics	34	14.7	47.1	26.5	8.8	2.9	0.0	0.0	88.2	112.4
English Literature	47	8.5	34.0	38.3	17.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	80.9	106.0
French	13	7.7	38.5	30.8	15.4	7.7	0.0	0.0	76.9	104.6
Geography	35	11.4	25.7	45.7	14.3	0.0	2.9	0.0	82.9	105.1
Geology	6	16.7	0.0	50.0	33.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	66.7	100.0
German	8	12.5	75.0	12.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	120.0
History	40	25.0	27.5	45.0	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	97.5	115.0
Mathematics	93	17.2	34.4	25.8	11.8	6.5	1.1	3.2	77.4	104.9
Mathematics Further	18	44.4	33.3	0.0	11.1	11.1	0.0	0.0	77.8	117.8
Mathematics Additional	1	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	140.0
Music	7	0.0	42.9	28.6	14.3	14.3	0.0	0.0	71.4	100.0
Physics	32	21.9	18.8	31.3	12.5	15.6	0.0	0.0	71.9	103.8
Politics	24	0.0	37.5	37.5	16.7	8.3	0.0	0.0	75.0	100.8
Psychology	39	2.6	25.6	35.9	28.2	5.1	0.0	2.6	64.1	95.9
Religious Studies (Partnership)	1	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	120.0
Spanish	5	20.0	0.0	60.0	20.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	80.0	104.0
Sport/PE Studies	10	0.0	50.0	20.0	20.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	70.0	102.0
Law (Partnership)	2	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	70.0
Russian	1	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	120.0