

GCSE Results 2017

Sir William Borlase's celebrates outstanding GCSE results. Headmaster Dr Peter Holding says "We are really delighted by these results. With all the uncertainties surrounding the new exams in Maths and English, this year group had to manage great uncertainty and anxiety, and I am very proud of the work that they put in and the successes they have now achieved. Over 30% of our Maths GCSE results were the new Level 9 – which is truly amazing, and 40% of all students gained Level 9 in one or more subject.

One student, Victoria Chong, gained 8 A*s and three Grade 9s, a truly exceptional performance. Over 78% of all GCSE grades were at A* or A, and 50 students gained all A grades or better. Given all of the changes to exams and all of the turbulence to the grade system, this is a real tribute to their hard work and all of the support they have received from their teachers."

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Number of Candidates	133	132	143	135	139	137
Total Number of Entries	1285	1314	1351	1331	1366	1339
Average points per GCSE	52.4	52.2	51.7	52.3	51.9	52.4
Percentage A*/A	76.2	72.8	70.9	74.9	71.8	74.5

Percentage of Grades

	No Of Candidates	%L9	%L8	%L7	%L6	%L5	%L4	%L3	%L2	%L1	%9-7	%9-6	Average Points
English Language	137	13.9	26.3	28.5	19.7	9.5	1.5	0.7	0.0	0.0	68.6	88.3	7.1
English Literature	137	14.6	29.2	13.9	28.5	10.2	2.2	1.5	0.0	0.0	57.7	86.1	7.0
Mathematics	137	32.1	13.9	25.5	20.4	7.3	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	71.5	92.0	7.4
			A*%	%A	%B	%C		%D	%E	%F	%A*/A	%A*-B	
Art and Design	28		35.7	57.1	7.1	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	92.9	100.0	53.7
Biology	110		49.1	42.7	6.4	1.8		0.0	0.0	0.0	91.8	98.2	54.3
Chemistry	110		50.9	40.9	8.2	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	91.8	100.0	54.6
Chinese	2		50.0	50.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	100.0	55.0
Dance	15		33.3	46.7	13.3	6.7		0.0	0.0	0.0	80.0	93.3	52.4
Performing Arts	58		20.7	53.4	24.1	1.7		0.0	0.0	0.0	74.1	98.3	51.6
Engineering Materials	35		28.6	34.3	20.0	17.1		0.0	0.0	0.0	62.9	82.9	50.5
French	65		46.2	21.5	15.4	12.3		4.6	0.0	0.0	67.7	83.1	51.5
Geography	95		52.6	28.4	13.7	5.3		0.0	0.0	0.0	81.1	94.7	53.7
German	45		33.3	28.9	28.9	8.9		0.0	0.0	0.0	62.2	91.1	51.2
History	86		16.3	44.2	27.9	11.6		0.0	0.0	0.0	60.5	88.4	49.9
Music Studies	32		28.1	59.4	12.5	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	87.5	100.0	52.9
Physics	110		53.6	35.5	10.9	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	89.1	100.0	54.6
Religious Studies	2		0.0	0.0	50.0	50.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	43.0
Science	27		0.0	59.3	29.6	7.4		3.7	0.0	0.0	59.3	88.9	48.7
Additional Science	27		11.1	55.6	33.3	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	66.7	100.0	50.7
Spanish	52		44.2	26.9	15.4	11.5		1.9	0.0	0.0	71.2	86.5	52.0
Sports Studies	29		34.5	41.4	13.8	10.3		0.0	0.0	0.0	75.9	89.7	52.0