



Churchill Academy & Sixth Form



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Examination Results

2017 - 2018

2018 has been a great year for the Academy. We are a growing school, oversubscribed in Year 7 again; our site redevelopment has progressed apace with the construction of the Athene Donald Building for Science and Technology and the funding agreed for the demolition of the Tudor block; we are fully staffed with expert subject specialists in all departments, at a time of national teacher shortages. But, above all, we have seen significant improvement in already strong results at both A-level and GCSE. These excellent examination results represent the opening up of opportunities for the young people who have achieved them. A good set of exam results makes a broader range of successful futures possible. It is with a sense of great pride that we reflect on the many bright futures that these achievements will help our students to realise, as they set off into the world to continue to make a positive difference in all that they do.

GCSE results

An additional 20 subjects have joined English and Maths this year in being assessed using the new 9-1 grading system for the more challenging style of GCSE. Our staff and students have risen to the challenge, with increases in the proportion of students gaining a strong pass (grade 5 and above) in English and Maths, the proportion gaining the top grades (9-7) in those subjects; and, vitally, a significant improvement in the Academy's Progress 8 score. This measure, of the "distance travelled" by our students between their national assessments in Year 6 and their GCSE results, shows that students at Churchill make more progress than the national average - that we, as a school, are making a positive difference to them. We are very proud of their success - they have earned it.

A-level results

Our Year 13 students this year have achieved simply excellent results. These results have seen Churchill students successfully reaching Oxford and Cambridge, as well as a range of top Universities for highly competitive courses such as Medicine, Dentistry, Biomedical Sciences, History and Politics. My abiding memory of A-level results day 2018 was an overwhelming feeling of joy - the satisfaction of a job well done, as students reached the end of their school career with a set of results of which they should be rightfully proud.

Chris Hildrew, Headteacher

A-level Summary

Year	N ^o s of Pupils	A* - A %	A* - B %	A* - C %	A* - E %	Average Point Score per Student	Average Point Score per Entry
2018	122	28.90	56.80	79.10	98.80	36.80*	35.60*
2017	141	26.00	64.20	90.8	100.0	97.50*	34.01*
2016	116	22.60	54.50	76.60	99.10	756.91	215.06
2015	119	19.40	48.70	73.50	97.40	725.90	210.99
2014	115	22.58	51.61	77.71	99.12	766.89	224.40
2013	114	31.75	61.13	79.53	99.41	765.82	224.89
2012	113	25.28	53.93	82.30	99.44	861.24	216.03
2011	128	21.41	41.12	65.69	96.35	803.55	205.09

* NB new point scores for post-16 qualifications apply from 2017 onwards

A-level Results

GCE A2 Year 13: Breakdown by Subject

Subjects	A*	A	B	C	D	E	U	X	Entries	Avg Pts	Avg Grade	A*-C	A*-C%
Art	0	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	6	33.3	C+	4	66.7
Biology	4	8	1	3	3	2	0	0	21	40.5	B	16	76.2
Business Studies	0	1	6	1	1	0	0	0	9	37.8	B-	8	88.9
Chemistry	1	4	6	2	1	0	0	0	14	41.4	B	13	92.9
Economics	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	51.3	A	8	100.0
English Language	0	2	7	3	1	0	0	0	13	37.7	B-	12	63.6
English Literature	0	2	8	7	5	4	0	0	26	29.6	C	17	65.4
French	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	33.3	C+	3	100.0
Geography	1	4	13	4	1	1	0	0	24	38.8	B	22	91.7
Government & Politics	0	2	3	1	0	1	1	0	8	33.8	C+	6	75.0
History	2	3	8	9	3	0	0	0	25	36.8	B-	22	88.0
Law	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	4	32.5	C+	4	100.0
Maths (Further)	3	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	6	46.7	A-	5	83.3
Maths	8	5	6	5	4	1	0	0	29	41.7	B+	24	82.8
Media Studies	0	2	3	5	1	0	0	0	11	35.5	B-	10	90.9

Subjects	A*	A	B	C	D	E	U	X	Entries	Avg Pts	Avg Grade	A*-C	A*-C%
Music	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	7	44.3	B+	7	100.0
Media Technology	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	3	23.3	D+	1	33.3
Photography	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	7	41.4	B	7	100.0
Physics	0	0	1	1	3	1	0	0	6	23.3	D+	2	33.3
Product Design	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	5	28.0	C-	3	60.0
Psychology	3	8	12	6	5	1	3	0	38	35.5	B-	29	76.3
Religious Studies	1	2	4	4	1	0	0	0	12	38.3	B-	11	91.7
Sociology	1	1	1	7	2	1	0	0	13	31.5	C	10	76.9
Spanish	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	20.0	D	1	33.3
Sports Studies	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	5	34.0	C+	5	100.0

Other Level 3 Results

Subjects	Distinction *	Distinction	Merit	Pass	U	X	Entries
Applied Science Extended Certificate	0	0	2	4	0	0	6
Social & Caring BTEC	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Performing Arts	14	0	1	0	0	0	15
Information Technology	1	1	5	0	0	0	7

Leaver Destinations 2009 – 2018

Year 11 Leaver Destinations 2009 – 2018

Details	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18
Further Education	220	169	211	220	217	227	240	192	213
N° staying at Churchill Sixth Form	149	131	127	135	132	121	125	118	117
% of year 11 cohort staying at Churchill	61.6%	52.2%	51.4%	51.5%	52.8%	49.4%	49.0%	55.0%	51.5%
Employment	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	0	0
Emigration	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Training/Apprenticeship	8	2	1	2	4	3	10	3	10
Gap Year	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Educated Elsewhere	12	78	33	38	28	13	2	21	4
Total Leavers	242	251	247	262	250	245	255	216	227

Year 12 Leaver Destinations 2008 – 2017

Details	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18
Further Education**	12**	22***	22****	22#	23	22	13	8	7
Employment	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Emigration	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Training/Apprenticeship	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	3	2
Gap Year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	2	4	5	0	0	0	4	0	0
Total Leavers	17	34	28	23	24	22	18	11	9
** Further education includes students returning to Churchill to repeat year		12	10	6	11	4	7	2	2

Year 13 Leaver Destinations 2008 - 2017

Details	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18
Further Education	70	84	78	87	86	80	80	79	86
Employment	9	25	7	4	4	2	1	4	3
Emigration	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Training/Apprenticeship	0	0	1	3	3	3	7	7	5
Gap Year	26	19	19	11	9	10	12	9	20
Unknown	2	0	7	8	12	24	16	18	6
Total Leavers	108	128	112	113	115	119	116	117	120

The above information is correct at time of going to press

University Destinations

As a result of the high achievements of our Sixth Form students, 68% of students in Year 13 have confirmed university places. 91% of these students got their first choice university and 27% were to Russell Group Universities to study courses as listed below:

University	No. of Students	Degree
Bangor	1	Forestry
Bath	1	Sport (Sport Performance)
Bath Spa	9	Business and Management; Criminology; Fine Art (with Foundation Year); Music – Jazz, Music – Vocal Performance; Psychology
Birmingham City	1	Media and Communication
Bournemouth	1	Business Studies
Bridgwater & Taunton College	2	Animal Care and Management; Horticulture
*Bristol	4	Criminology; Medicine – MBChB Standard Entry (5 years); Theatre & English; Zoology
Bristol, West of England (UWE)	5	Audio & Music Technology; Civil & Environmental Engineering; Criminology; Criminology & Law; Law
Brunel London	1	Flood & Coastal Engineering
* Cambridge	1	Human, Social & Political Sciences
*Cardiff	1	International Relations
Chester	1	Nutrition & Dietetics
Coventry	2	Psychology; Sociology & Criminology
*Durham	1	Anthropology
*Edinburgh	1	English Literature & History
Edinburgh Napier	1	Journalism
*Exeter	4	Applied Psychology (Clinical); Biological & Medicinal Chemistry with industrial Experience; Business; Mathematics
Falmouth	1	Fine Art
*Glasgow	1	Mathematics
Gloucestershire	4	Business & Marketing Management; Film Production; Performing Arts; Religion; Philosophy & Ethics
Goldsmiths, London	1	Psychology
*King's College London	1	Biomedical Science
*Leeds	1	History
*Liverpool	2	English Literature; Medicine
Loughborough	1	History
Manchester Metropolitan	1	Primary Education with QTS
*Newcastle	4	Dentistry; Medicine & Surgery; Modern Languages, Politics & History
*Oxford	1	Experimental Psychology
Oxford Brookes	1	Nursing (Children's)
Plymouth	7	Biomedical Science; Computer & Information Security; Criminology & Criminal Justice Studies; International Business; Marketing; Mechanical Engineering; Sociology
Plymouth College of Art	1	Art
Plymouth Marjon (St Mark & St John)	3	Childhood Practice; Film; Sport Coaching
Reading	2	English Literature & Theatre; Mathematics (Math)(4 years)
Royal Holloway, London	1	Psychology
Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama	1	Music
South Gloucestershire & Stroud College	1	Counselling Skills (Level 1)
South Wales	1	Computer Forensics (Including Foundation Year)
*Southampton	3	Biomedical Sciences; Marine Biology (4 years); Population & Geography
St Mary's, Twickenham, London	1	History
Swansea	1	Geography
University Centre Hartpury	2	Equine Business Management; Human-Animal Interaction (Animal Assisted Therapy)
University Centre Weston	1	Art Foundation Level 3
*Warwick	1	Politics & International Studies
Winchester	2	Primary Education with QTS (3 years); Primary Education with QTS (4 years)

* indicates Russell Group Universities

GCSE Results Summary

Pupils aged 15 Summary of GCSE Results

Year	N°s of Pupils	5 A* - C including English & Maths	Attainment 8	Progress 8***	Progress 8 confidence interval	Basics (A* - C / 9-4 in English & Maths)	Basics (9-5 in English & Maths)	Ebacc (standard pass)	Ebacc (strong pass)
2018	230	N/A	49.99**	+0.01	Upper +0.18 Lower -0.15	72.7%	54.3%	68.7%	49.6%
2017*	216	N/A	48.76**	-0.11	Upper: +0.06 Lower: -0.28	72.7%	52%	33%	29%
2016	253	68%	53.47	0	Upper: +0.13 Lower: -0.13	68.4%	N/A	25.7%	N/A
2015	246	60.2%	52.17	N/A		61.5%	N/A	26.8%	N/A
2014	250	73.6%	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	27.2%	N/A
2013	262	69.1%	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	20.2%	N/A
2012	245	64.5%	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	20.4%	N/A
2011	251	58.6%	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	15.1%	N/A

*NB new performance measures apply in 2017

**NB new points scores apply in 2017 Attainment 8

***NB this score is unvalidated and does not include the results of re-marks

GCSE Results

GCSE Year 11: Breakdown by Subject

Subjects	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	U	X	Entries	Avg Pts	Avg Grade	9-4	9-4%
Art	0	0	3	17	15	11	15	12	3	0	0	76	4.13	4	46	60.53
Computer Science	1	1	5	8	4	6	10	5	0	0	0	40	4.6	5	25	62.50
English Language	5	16	26	40	47	34	35	16	3	2	2	226	4.89	5	168	74.34
English Literature	2	15	29	50	49	33	29	12	4	0	2	225	5.04	5	178	79.11
Food & Nutrition	2	3	3	4	4	3	3	0	0	0	0	22	5.82	6	19	86.36
French	3	4	6	4	7	9	5	4	1	0	1	44	5.00	5	33	75.00
Geography	4	14	9	31	24	17	30	8	8	1	2	148	4.72	5	99	66.89
History	3	6	14	13	22	15	12	12	2	1	1	101	4.78	5	73	72.28
Maths	14	23	25	30	45	47	17	17	6	0	2	226	5.17	5	184	81.42
Music	1	1	4	7	8	4	4	1	0	1	0	31	5.06	5	25	80.65

Subjects	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	U	X	Entries	Avg Pts	Avg Grade	9-4	9-4%
Religious Education	0	8	9	9	10	8	3	5	1	1	1	55	5.15	5	44	80.00
Science: Biology	5	15	18	11	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	59	6.80	7	59	100.00
Science: Chemistry	5	12	17	11	8	6	0	0	0	0	0	59	6.61	7	59	100.00
Science: Physics	8	13	14	12	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	59	6.76	7	59	100.00
Spanish	1	3	6	4	7	6	6	5	0	0	0	38	4389	5	27	71.05
Textiles	0	0	0	3	3	0	7	4	0	0	3	20	3.1	3	6	30.00
Science: Combined Double	1	2	21	48	79	79	65	26	5	0	4	330	4.31	54	230	69.70

Subjects	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	U	X	Entries	Avg Pts	Avg Grade	A*-C	A*-C%
Business Studies	0	7	11	8	9	2	2	1	0	0	40	4.41	C	26	65.00
Design & Technology	0	9	19	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	36	5.51	B	35	97.22
Economics	2	8	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	15	6.2	B	14	93.33
Electronics	0	3	3	8	3	1	0	0	0	0	18	41.33	C+	14	77.8
Graphics	0	0	4	4	8	0	1	0	0	0	17	3.74	C	8	47.06
IT	0	7	7	20	7	1	2	0	0	0	44	4.4	C	34	77.27
Maths (Further)	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8.5	A*	3	100.00

Level 2 BTEC Results

Subjects	Distinction *	Distinction	Merit	Level 2 Pass	Level 1 Pass	U	X	Result Pending	Entries
Dance	9	0	13	9	4	0	0	0	35
Drama	8	5	17	10	1	0	0	2	43
Social & Caring	0	1	2	5	6	2	0	0	16
Music Technology	5	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	15
Sports Studies	9	2	15	5	1	0	0	0	32

School Attendance 2003 – 2018

Year 7 – 11 Pupil Attendance 2003 - 2018

Date	Years	Actual Attendance	Unauthorised Absence	Authorised Absence
2017 - 2018	7-11	95%	1%	4%
2016 - 2017	7 - 11	95.1%	1.0%	3.9%
2015 - 2016	7 - 11	95.2%	0.8%	4.0%
2014 - 2015	7 - 11	95.1%	0.9%	4.0%
2013 - 2014	7 - 11	95.3%	0.9%	3.8%
2012 - 2013	7 - 11	95%	1%	4%
2011 - 2012	7 - 11	95%	1%	4%
2010 - 2011	7 - 11	93%	1%	6%
2009 - 2010	7 - 11	91%	1%	6%
2008 - 2009	7 - 11	92%	1%	6%
2007 - 2008	7 - 11	93%	1%	6%
2006 - 2007	7 - 11	92%	1%	7%
2005 - 2006	7 - 11	91%	1%	8%
2004 - 2005	7 - 11	93%	1%	6%
2003 - 2004	7 - 11	92%	1%	7%

Source: SIMS Attendance (September 2018 - figures may not total 100% due to rounding)

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