

## Exam Results 2016

(Provisional Results)

Secondary School Performance measures have changed. From 2016 school performance is measured using different criteria. The provisional results and an explanation of each new performance measure is given below. Results are provisional until January 2017 when final results are published for all schools.

In 2016 the percentage of students who achieved a Grade C or better in English and maths GCSEs increased to 54% - this is a jump from 39% in 2015.

<p><b>Progress 8 Score</b></p> <p><b>-0.2</b></p> <p>This score is average – about 40% of schools in England gained a score just above or just below 0.</p>	<p><i>Progress 8 tells us how well pupils at this school have progressed between the end of primary school (key stage 2) and the end of secondary school (key stage 4), compared to pupils in other schools who got similar results at the end of primary school. This is based on results in up to 8 qualifications, which include English, maths, 3 qualifications including sciences, computer science, history, geography and languages, and 3 other additional approved qualifications.</i></p>
<p><b>Attainment 8 Score</b></p> <p><b>46 points</b></p>	<p><i>Schools get a score based on how well pupils have performed in up to 8 qualifications, which include English, maths, 3 qualifications including sciences, computer science, history, geography and languages, and 3 other additional approved qualifications.</i></p>
<p><b>English and Maths GCSEs</b></p> <p><b>54%</b></p>	<p><i>Pupils achieving a grade C or better in English and maths GCSEs.</i></p>
<p><b>Pupils ‘achieving’ the ‘English Baccalaureate’</b></p> <p><b>10%</b></p>	<p><i>The English Baccalaureate is not a test or qualification; it is a measure used to provide information about a particular range of qualifications. A pupil is considered to have ‘achieved’ the English Baccalaureate if they got a grade C or better in the following subjects: English, maths, sciences, a language and either history or geography.</i></p>
<p><b>Pupils ‘entering for’ the ‘English Baccalaureate’</b></p> <p><b>25%</b></p>	<p><i>The English Baccalaureate is not a test or qualification; it is a measure used to provide information about a particular range of qualifications. A pupil is considered to have ‘entered’ for the English Baccalaureate if they entered for qualifications in English, maths, sciences, a language and either history or geography.</i></p>