

Exam Results 2016

Over recent years Redborne has consistently obtained some of the best examination results in the county. This year (2016) our GCSE results were again excellent – they were one of the best in the local authority. Our value added score is also very high and would clearly be rated as ‘outstanding’ again by OFSTED. Our A Level and AS results are amongst our best ever, and are graded “outstanding” on the Advanced level performance system value added measures (ALPS).

GCSE

A*-G Grades – (These are the pass grades)

The average number of GCSE (or equivalent) passes gained by each student was TEN.

98.6% of Redborne students gained FIVE or more A*-G grades in 2016.

A*-C Grades - (These are the top grades)

75% of our students gained FIVE A*-C grades or above including both maths and English – an increase of 3% from last year.

83% of Redborne students achieved an A*-C in both English and maths – our best ever result and an increase of 6% from last year.

On average students achieved 2 grades better than similar students nationally.

In English 91% of students make “expected progress” between Key Stage 2 (aged 11) and GCSE – 21% higher than the national average last year. In maths 84% of students make “expected progress” between Key Stage 2 (aged 11) and GCSE – 18% higher than the national average last year.

The vast majority of our students fulfilled their potential, around two thirds of these students have stayed on to the Sixth Form to follow A level or vocational courses.

52 of our students gained 8 or more grade A or A*s with 27 gaining at least 10 A or A*s

OTHER GCSE EQUIVALENT QUALIFICATIONS

Increasing numbers of students are taking these qualifications with considerable success. Last year 39 students gained a full award in Agriculture. Many others gained further successes in Catering, ICT, Music, Sport and Science. In conjunction with Bedford College, students gained vocational awards in a further 6 subject areas.

Performance Tables 2016 Provisional Figures

Progress 8: +0.11

Attainment 8: 55.15 (average grade B-)

Percentage of pupils who got a good pass in English and maths: 83

Percentage of pupils achieving the English Baccalaureate combination of subjects (this means pupils who got a GCSE grade C or above in English, maths, 2 sciences, a language, and history or geography): 24

Student 'destinations' (the percentage of students who continue in education or training, or move on to employment at the end of 16 to 19 study): Not yet available (Most recent 2013: 94)

Performance tables can be found at <https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/>

A LEVEL

The number of students taking A level has been increasing each year. In 2016 our pass rate (excluding General Studies) was again 100% with 59% of all grades being awarded at grades A*, A or B, better than many fee paying and selective schools. 10% of entries gained an A*.

More than 80% of our Sixth Form go on to university or higher education. Virtually all of our students were able to gain their chosen place at university. 5 students achieved places at either Oxford or Cambridge University or medicine.

[Government school and college performance tables \(Redborne\)](#)