## Provisional Headline KS4 GCSE results 2016 for Southampton Schools (25/08/2016).

Key Stage 4 GCSE results were released to schools on 25/08/2016. The short briefing note below, based on provisional data provides an overview of Southampton's performance. The focus of the briefing note has changed this academic year following the new accountability implemented in 2016. National and Local Authority data will be published by the DfE in October 2016. Following this release, a further briefing note will be issued outlining Southampton's performance compared to Statistical Neighbours, Core Cities and National.

2015 was the last year of old accountability measures that focused on 5+ A\*-C including English and Maths GCSE. In 2016, the focus is on a new range of accountability measures as outlined by the DfE in the Performance Tables Statement of Intent.

- Attainment 8
- Progress 8 (currently not available)
- The percentage of pupils achieving A\*-C in English and Maths
- The percentage of pupils achieving the English Baccalaureate
- The percentage of pupils entering the English Baccalaureate
- The percentage of students staying in education or employment after key stage 4 (destinations) (currently not available)

Not all of the indicators listed above are currently available as they rely on matching completed by the DfE. There is a focus on Attainment 8 and Progress 8 points scores. Attainment and Progress 8 indicators focus on English, Maths, 3 EBacc subjects and 3 other qualifications. The Progress 8 indicator relies on National calculations completed by the DfE and is currently unavailable at either school or Local Authority level.

## Headlines

- In 2016, 68.1% of Southampton pupils achieved an A\*-C English GCSE. In 2015, 63.5% of pupils achieved A\*-C English GCSE, an improvement of 4.6%.
- In 2016, 62.1% of Southampton pupils achieved an A\*-C Maths GCSE. In 2015, 61.4% of pupils achieved A\*-C Maths GCSE, an improvement of 0.7%.
- In 2016, 54.9% of Southampton pupils achieved an A\*-C English & Maths GCSE. In 2015, 52.3% of pupils achieved A\*-C English & Maths GCSE, an improvement of 2.6%.
- In 2016, 20.5% of Southampton pupils achieved an A\*-C EBacc. In 2015, 20.9% of pupils achieved A\*-C EBacc, a decrease of 0.4%.
- In 2016, Southampton pupils achieved an attainment 8 score of 47.3. This was
  the first year that Attainment 8 has been used as an accountability measure for
  all KS4 schools.

## **Additional Information**

The table below outlines school specific performance for Southampton Schools. This data is early provisional therefore, results are subject to change.

Southampton Provisional GCSE results 2016									
	A*-C English	A*-C Maths	A*-C E & M (Basics)	A*-C EBacc	Attainment 8				
Bitterne Park School	75%	70%	64%	26%	50.2				
Cantell School	75%	72%	67%	28%	50.5				
Chamberlayne College for the Arts	41%	43%	32%	7%	40.1				
Oasis Academy Lord's Hill	53%	57%	44%	2%	41.9				
Oasis Academy Mayfield	59%	60%	54%	4%	47.9				
Redbridge Community School	53%	43%	36%	15%	40.2				
Regents Park Community College	67%	68%	60%	18%	51.1				
St Anne's Catholic School	93%	86%	85%	40%	56.8				
Saint George Catholic College	79%	76%	72%	30%	55.0				
The Sholing Technology College	75%	67%	63%	12%	48.5				
Upper Shirley High School	84%	66%	66%	34%	52.6				
Woodlands Community College	58%	38%	34%	13%	38.8				
Southampton LA Average*	68.1%	62.1%	54.9%	20.5%	47.3				

<sup>\*</sup>The LA figure has been adjusted to accommodate additional pupil inclusion as per the DfE Statistical First Release.

In addition to the new accountability measures, the former headline indicator of 5+A\*-C including English and Maths was also calculated to allow a trend comparison to be made. However, it must be recognised when viewing this data that the curriculum, accountability and technical definition of this indicator have varied, most notably in 2016 which removed this measure as a key headline indicator. Any conclusions drawn from this information must therefore be treated with caution.

In 2016, an estimated 55% of pupils achieved the former headline indicator of 5+A\*-C including English and Maths GCSE. This is a 4% improvement on the 2015 outcome of 51%. The 2015 National average for state funded schools was 57.1%.

Southampton GCSE results 2011-2015 Trend & 2016 results											
		Attainment 8									
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Trend	2016			
Bitterne Park School	68%	69%	71%	65%	62%	61%		50.2			
Cantell School	52%	53%	69%	51%	52%	66%		50.5			
Chamberlayne College for the Arts	33%	49%	60%	61%	34%	34%		40.1			
Inspire Enterprise Academy				10%	21%	NA - School	-	NA - School Closed			
Oasis Academy Lord's Hill	44%	45%	35%	45%	43%	44%		41.9			
Oasis Academy Mayfield	48%	51%	43%	38%	55%	54%		47.9			
Redbridge Community School	44%	52%	52%	37%	33%	36%		40.20			
Regents Park Community College	50%	54%	67%	64%	52%	60%		51.1			
St Anne's Catholic School	70%	74%	63%	72%	78%	81%		56.8			
Saint George Catholic College	56%	44%	55%	45%	60%	70%	~~~	55.0			
The Sholing Technology College	61%	66%	64%	50%	41%	61%		48.5			
Upper Shirley High School	54%	52%	58%	49%	64%	65%		52.6			
Woodlands Community College	35%	30%	56%	37%	41%	30%		38.8			
Southampton	51.7%	54.4%	58.1%	51.0%	50.6%	55%	and the same of th	47.3			
National	58.2%	58.8%	60.6%	56.8%	57.1%						

2016 5+A\*-C including English and Maths figures have been collated from a number of sources including direct responses from schools, press releases completed by schools and figures published in local media. If a school's result was still outstanding, the school's 2016 basics perfromance (A\*-C English & Maths) has been provided as a substitute measure.

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