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Examination Information and Student Destination

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From The Co-Principals

We are delighted to inform you that Collingwood results continue to increase and this year even more records were broken at GCSE! In 2017 new, more challenging GCSE specifications were introduced in English Language, English Literature and Maths. These are graded on a 9 to 1 scale, where 4 is described as a 'standard pass' and grade 5 is a 'strong pass'. This three year phased introduction creates a confusing situation as all other GCSEs continue to be graded on the old A*-G scale where an A*-C grade is described as 'Good'! Like many schools we are calculating our exam statistics using existing benchmarks, where there are agreed equivalents.

Equivalencies	Good pass	Top Pass
Old style GCSEs	A*-C	A*/A
New GCSEs (English and Maths only for 2017)	9-4	9-7
BTEC/Vocational qualifications	Distinction*/Distinction/Merit/Pass	Distinction*/Distinction

The new grade 9 is a very challenging standard, above that of an A* and so we were extremely pleased that 23 students secured a grade 9 in Maths and that there were a total of 34 grade 9s in English Language and English Literature. Three students achieved a grade 9 in all three new GCSEs which places them in the top 2% of the country.

This is all the more pleasing as the additional content within each new GCSE and the focus on terminal assessment requires much more dedication and hard work from the students and our staff!

There are a number of important benchmarks listed below. Those that are in bold type are a personal best for Collingwood College in 2017!

- 82% or 237 students achieved 5 or more A*-C/4+ grades
- **77% or 223 students achieved an A*-C/4+ grade in English and Maths**
- **76% or 219 students achieved 5 or more A*-C/4+ grade including English and Maths**
- **29% or 84 students achieved 5 or more A*/A grades including English and Maths**
- **33% of all GCSE grades (1050 entries) were at A*/A or 7+**
- 44 students achieved 10 or more A*/A or 7+ grades
- 10 students achieved 13 or more A*/A or 7+ grades
- **82% achieved an A*-C/4+ grade in Maths**
- 86% achieved an A*-C/4+ in English Language or English Literature
- **31% achieved an A*-C in 3 Sciences**

As parents/carers you will know this represents an incredible amount of hard work and commitment from our students and we are all extremely proud of their achievements.

Results for the Sixth Form continue to be outstanding with 62% of grades awarded at A*-B for A level or Distinction*/Distinction for BTEC. All the students who wanted a university place were successful. We are also very pleased to support more students to secure places on higher level apprenticeships, as these can be a very attractive alternative for many.

The students who took exams at the end of Year 10 achieved a 96% pass rate in their GCSE RS short course and those studying Statistics achieved 100% A*-C grades and 52% A*/A grades.

The students who took a one year course in Year 9 were rewarded with some very good results too. As a consequence, more than 65% of the current Year 10 cohort already have a qualification graded C or better and we know that even more will be able to build on this success in the future.

At Collingwood we are committed to developing responsible, aspirational, independent, happy and well-rounded young people but the curriculum must ensure that all students are able to follow a suitable range of courses so they can enjoy exam success. In 2017 94% of students achieved at least 1 A*-C grade and 80% of students achieved at least 1 A*/A or equivalent.

2018 will bring more challenges for schools as more subjects change to the new style GCSE specifications with a 9 to 1 grading scale, as well as more linear A levels. However, we are very confident that we can offer all young people a wide range of high quality subjects in order to engage them fully in their learning.

We are driven by our desire to ensure that students leave Collingwood with the appropriate qualifications to access their chosen career path and the personal skills to make a valuable contribution to society. Despite changes to performance league tables we will continue to maintain a strong focus on maximising the number of students who can pass 5 good GCSE subjects, including English and Maths and 3 A level or BTEC subjects in the Sixth Form and allow students and parents to make the right choices regarding optional subjects.

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Co-Principals

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2017 Examination Results Summary

Year 13

Based on all entries for Year 13 students

	Overall			
Year	2014	2015	2016	2017
No of students	123	147	161	142
% A/B (not including AS)	50	53	44	56
% A*	3.4	6.3	4.3	2.6
% A*/A	17.1	22.1	21.6	22.2
% Pass rate (not including AS)	99	99.7	99	98

Year 11

Based on all entries for Year 11 students

	Overall			
Year	2014	2015	2016	2017
No of students	314	324	312	290
% 5+ A*-C	73	83	77	82
% 5+ A*-C inc English & Maths	66	72	67	76
% A*-C	79	83	78	77
% A*/A	26	30	32	33
% A* - G	99	99	100	99

EXAMINATION RESULTS 2016/2017

A number of different examining bodies are used by the College for external examinations. Collingwood enters all students who have been prepared for each examination and who, at the time of entry, have completed all necessary coursework.

Year 13 A Level Results

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A*	A	B	C	D	E	U
Art	8		1	3	4			
Biology	17	2	7	1	3	2	1	1
Business Studies	10		1	5	2	2		
Chemistry	13		4	5	2	1		1
Communication & Culture	29		9	15	5			
Computer Science	4		1	1	1	1		
Economics	4			3	1			
Drama	4			2	2			
English Combined	17			4	8	4	1	
English Literature	28	1	3	5	15	4		
Film Studies	11		1	5	4	1		
French	1			1				
Geography	13		2	8	2		1	
History	9		3	2	1	3		
Law	14		2	5	6	1		
Mathematics	29	2	6	8	5	6		2
Mathematics (Further)	3		1	2				
Media Studies	16		3	7	5	1		
Photography	12	1	4	4	2	1		
Physical Education	5				3	2		
Physics	9	1	1	1		3	1	2
Psychology	24	2	4	8	9	1		
Sociology	7		1	4	2			
Systems & Control	11		5	2	3		1	
Technology Graphics	4			1	2	1		
Total	302	9	59	102	87	34	5	6

BTEC Subsidiary Diploma & Certificate

(Sub Diploma is equivalent to 1 A Level)

(Certificate is equivalent to 1 AS Level)

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	D*	D	M	P
Art and Design Certificate	1			1	
Art and Design Sub Diploma	4	2	2		
Business Certificate	1	1			
Business Sub Diploma	31	19	9	3	
Health Certificate	1	1			
Health Sub Diploma	3	3			
IT Certificate	1	1			
IT Sub Diploma	6	4		1	1
Media Production Sub Diploma	12	8	1	2	1
Science (Applied) Certificate	2		2		
Science (Applied) Sub Diploma	11	4	1	4	2
Sport Sub Diploma	2	2			
Travel and Tourism Certificate	2		2		
Travel and Tourism Sub Diploma	4	3	1		
Total	81	48	18	11	4

BTEC Diploma

(equivalent to 2 A Levels)

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	D*D*	D*D	DD	DM	MM	MP	PP
Business	11	6	1	2	2			
Health & Social Care	3	2		1				
Sport	7	1		1	1	2	2	
Travel and Tourism	1		1					
Total	22	9	2	4	3	2	2	0

BTEC Extended Diploma

(equivalent to 3 A Levels)

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	D*D*D*	D*D*D	DDD
Business	1	1		
Travel and Tourism	1			1
Total	2	1	0	1

Year 13 AS Results

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A	B	C	D	E	U
Drama	1			1			
French	1		1				
Geography	5	3	2				
Law	7	1	2	2	2		
Mathematics	17	8	4	3	2		
Mathematics (Further)	3	3					
Media Studies	5	1	3	1			
Physical Education	6			2	3	1	
Systems & Control	2			1	1		
Technology Graphics	4			3	1		
L3 Extended Project	4	1	2	1			
Total	55	17	14	14	9	1	0

Year 12 AS Level

AS Results

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A	B	C	D	E	U
Communication & Culture	20	2	4	12	2		
Drama	1		1				
Film Studies	12	5	6	1			
Law	5		4	1			
Mathematics (Further)	2	2					
Mathematics (Use of)	39	13	4	5	6	3	8
Media Studies	20	6	5	8		1	
Psychology	1		1				
Sociology	3					1	2
Technology Systems & Control	14	2	4	6	1	1	
L3 Extended Project	3	2		1			
Total	120	32	29	34	9	6	10

Year 11 Results

GCSE Results

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A*-C	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	U	X
Applied Art	15	14	1	8	2	3	1					
Art	46	41	1	11	13	16	1	1	3			
Astronomy	10	10	3	5		2						
Biology	122	108	15	38	29	26	12	2				
Business Studies	125	96	3	28	36	29	20	6	2	1		
Chemistry	122	94	9	37	28	20	24	4				
Citizenship (Completed Yr 9)	275	169	1	24	60	84	48	31	20	7		
Computer Science	58	50	8	20	15	7	5	2	1			
Dance	4	4	3	1								
Drama	21	19	2	8	7	2	1	1				
French	65	58	3	12	18	25	6	1				
Geography	153	124	40	19	30	35	13	5	3	6	2	
German	8	4		1		3	1	1	1	1		
History	83	58	11	18	14	15	8	6	3	4	4	
Humanities (Completed Yr 9)	50	30	1	5	8	16	9	6	1	4		
Maths Additional	27	19		8	4	5	2	5			3	
Media	50	40	14	9	7	10	6	2	2			
Music	5	5		1	3	1						
Photography	38	30		2	13	15	6	1	1			
Physical Education	93	66	9	20	17	23	16	7	1			
Physics	122	106	19	42	21	24	13	3				
Project Level 1 (Completed Yr 9)	8	0		2	6							
Project Level 2 (Completed Yr 9)	14	14	2	5	4	3						
PRC SC(Completed in Yr 10)	279	199	1	56	71	71	41	15	4	14	5	1
Science Core	164	63		4	12	47	46	24	17	12	2	
Science Additional	164	75		5	19	51	40	22	12	7	8	
Sociology	58	50	9	13	19	9	4	3	1			
Spanish	100	61	4	13	21	23	15	18	5	1		
Statistics (Completed in Yr 10)	49	38	5	24	2	7	5	4	2			
Technology Catering	40	36	3	7	19	7	2	1	1			
Technology Electronics	39	36	10	9	12	5	2		1			
Technology Engineering	37	28		8	10	10	5	3		1		
Technology Food	16	16		4	6	6						
Technology Graphics	35	25		8	11	6	4	3	3			
Technology Resistant Materials	19	12			3	9	3		3	1		
Technology Textiles	21	18		8	6	4	3					
Total	2535	1816	177	483	546	619	362	177	87	59	24	1

GCSE Results 9-1

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	9-4	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	X
English Language	288	219	18	22	37	58	51	35	43	13	2	9
English Literature	286	239	16	42	39	54	53	37	21	10	5	9
Maths	288	236	23	33	30	25	56	69	21	13	14	4
Total	862	694	57	97	106	137	160	141	85	36	21	22

Year 11 BTEC

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	D*2	D2	M2	P2	P1	D1	M1	U
Art & Design	20				6	12			2
Child Development	19	2	4	5	4	4			
Creative IMedia	31	1	6	9	9		6		
IT	8		1	3	1	3			
Music	8			2	6				
Sport	10			2	4	3			1
Total	96	3	11	21	30	22	0	0	3

LAMDA Level 2 Completed Year 9

	ENTRIES	D	M	P	F
GRADE 3 - Acting	4	1	1	2	
GRADE 3 – Devising	1		1		
GRADE 5 - Acting	44	25	17	2	
GRADE 5 - Miming	44	35	9		
GRADE 5 - Devising	44	28	16		
Total	49	89	44	4	0

ECDL Results for Students in Year 11

Number of students	Level 2 (equivalent to B grade GCSE)	
	No taking qualification	%
290	245	84

Other Level 1 & 2 Results Year 11

	Pass	Fail
Construction	1	0
Hair and Beauty	1	0
Hairdressing	1	0
Motor Vehicle Studies Level 1	3	0
Total	6	0

Free Standing Maths (Other Level 3 Qualifications)

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A	B	C	D	E	U
Additional Maths	27	8	4	5	2	5	3

Year 11 Students Entering GCSE Including Short Courses

	%	%
	A*-C grades	A*-G grades
Male	61	96
Female	83	100
Total	71	98

Students in Year 11

Summary of Results: as a percentage

Year	Entered for 5+ GCSEs	Achieving			Entered for 1+ GCSEs	Achieving		
		5+ A*-C inc En & Ma	5+ A*-C	5+ A*-G		1+ A*-C	1+ A*-G	No passes (A*-G)
2017	98	76	82	97	100	94	99	0.3
2016	98	67.3	76.9	97	100	96	100	0
2015	98	72.5	83	98	99	98	99	0.7
2014	98	66.2	73.2	98	99	97	99	0.7
2013	98.7	63	83	97	100	97	99	0.9
2012	97.6	63.6	80.7	97	100	97	99	0.9

Results for Students at the end of Year 10

GCSE Full Course

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A*-C	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	U
French (Completed in Yr 9)	25	17	2	4	4	7	2	2	3	1	
Humanities (Completed in Yr 9)	52	30		6	13	11	11	6	1	3	1
Statistics	64	64		27	34	3					
Spanish (Completed in Yr 9)	30	16	1	4	6	5	7	3	1	3	
Total	171	127	3	41	57	26	20	11	5	7	1

GCSE Short Course

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	A*-C	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	U	X
Citizenship (Completed in Year 9)	237	129	4	17	51	57	44	33	21	7	3	0
Religious Studies	250	121	1	16	32	73	53	29	22	14	9	1
Total	487	250	5	33	83	130	97	62	43	21	12	1

Other Level 1 & 2 Course

	Level 1	Level 2	Fail	Total
Project (Completed in Year 9)	18	25	0	43

LAMDA Level 2

	ENTRIES	D	M	P	F
GRADE 3 - Acting	13	5	5	2	1
GRADE 5 - Acting	30	12	12	4	2
GRADE 5 - Miming	30	16	14		
GRADE 5 - Devising	30	20	10		
Total	43	53	41	6	3

Music Art Awards

	Pass	Total
Music Art Award	11	11

Results for Students at the end of Year 9

GCSE Full Course

SUBJECTS	ENTRIES	A*-C	A*	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	U
French	28	19	3	4	5	7	7	1		1	
Humanities	61	34	1	6	14	13	14	7	3	3	
Spanish	43	20	2	4	4	10	10	7	3	2	1
Total	132	73	6	14	23	30	31	15	6	6	1

BTEC Level 1&2 Award

SUBJECT	ENTRIES	D*2	D2	M2	P2	P1	U
Art	41			15	19	7	

Other Level

	Level 1	Level 2	Fail	Total
Project	6	15	7	28

Music Art Award

	Silver	Total
Music Art Award	18	18

LAMDA Level 2

	ENTRIES	D	M	P	F
GRADE 3 - Acting	10		4	6	
GRADE 5 - Acting	42	13	25	4	
GRADE 5 - Miming	42	10	31	1	
GRADE 5 - Devising	42	11	23	8	
Total	52	34	79	13	

DESTINATION OF STUDENTS

	Higher Education	Further Education	Employment	Other
Routes of students aged 17 + (Year 13)	83 (58.5%)	2 (1.4%)	39 (27.5%)	18 (12.6%)

	Further Education / Collingwood	Employment	Training	Other
Routes of students aged 16 + (Year 12)	122 (96.8%)	1 (0.8%)	2 (1.6%)	1 (0.8%)
Routes of students aged 15 + (Year 11)	270 (93.1%)	4 (1.4%)	4 (1.4%)	12 (4.1%)

DESTINATIONS FOR YEAR 13 STUDENTS

Destination	Course offered
Bishop Burton College	Applied Animal Behaviour and Training
Bournemouth University	Economics
Bournemouth University	Economics
Bournemouth University	Events Management
Bournemouth University	Psychology
Bournemouth University	Product Design
Bristol, University of the West of England	Architecture
Brunel University London	Sport, Health and Exercise Sciences
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Buckinghamshire New University	Football Business and Finance (UCFB)
Cardiff University	Integrated Engineering (with a year in industry)
Kings College London, University of London	Nursing Studies with registration as a nurse (Adult Nursing)
Lancaster University	Biomedicine (Study Abroad)
Loughborough University	Economics
Loughborough University	Computer Science
Loughborough University	Electronic and Computer Systems Engineering
Loughborough University	Business Economics and Finance
Nottingham Trent University	Physics
Oxford Brookes University	Marketing Management
Plymouth University	Oceanography and Coastal Processes
Royal Holloway, University of London	Modern and Contemporary History
Royal Holloway, University of London	Management with Entrepreneurship
Royal Holloway, University of London	Law
Royal Holloway, University of London	Criminology and Psychology with a Year in Industry
Sheffield Hallam University	International Events Management
Southampton Solent University	Fitness Management and Personal Training
St Marys University	Primary Education with QTS
St Marys University	Strength and Conditioning Science
Swansea University	Criminology and Social Policy
Swansea University	Law

Destination	Course offered
Swansea University	Criminology and Criminal Justice
The Royal Central School of Speech & Drama, University of London	Technical and Production Management
The University of Salford	Sociology
University Centre Farnborough	Media Production
University Centre Farnborough	Media Production
University College London	Pharmacology
University of Bath	Biochemistry (with placement)
University of Birmingham	History
University of Brighton	Sport and Exercise Science
University of Bristol	Applied Anatomy
University of Bristol	Dentistry - BDS entry (5 years)
University of Gloucestershire	Education
University of Gloucestershire	Primary Education: 5-11 Keystage 1/Keystage 2
University of Kent	English and American Literature with an Approved Year Abroad (4 years)
University of Kent	History
University of Kent	Drama and Theatre
University of Kent	Film with a Year Abroad
University of Nottingham	Medicine
University of Portsmouth	Journalism
University of Portsmouth	Business and Management
University of Portsmouth	International Relations
University of Portsmouth	Media Studies
University of Reading	Psychology with Professional Placement
University of Reading	Pharmacy
University of Reading	Business and Management
University of Reading	Graphic Communication
University of Reading	English Literature
University of Roehampton	Sociology
University of Roehampton	Marketing
University of Southampton	Politics and International Relations
University of Southampton	Nursing Adult Branch BN
University of Surrey	Law
University of Surrey	Physics with Astronomy
University of Surrey	Electronic Engineering with Space Systems.
University of Surrey	Law
University of Surrey	International Hospitality Management
University of Surrey	International Hospitality Management
University of Sussex	Mathematics
University of Sussex	Filmmaking
University of Sussex	Psychology
University of the Creative Arts	Photography
University of the Creative Arts	Photography
University of the Creative Arts	Photography
University of Warwick	Psychology
University of Warwick	Chemistry with Medicinal Chemistry
University of Warwick	Law
University of Warwick	Physics

Destination	Course offered
University of Winchester	Law
University of Winchester	Film Production
University of Winchester	Media and Communication
University of Winchester	Psychology
University of Winchester	Law