Examination results for LA Maintained Schools in Staffordshire. Summer 2017 examination series.

Abbot Beyne School	
Blythe Bridge High School	
Cheslyn Hay Sport and Community High School	
Codsall Community High School	
Endon High School	
Great Wyrley High School	
King Edward VI High School	
King Edward VI School	
Moorside High School	
Nether Stowe School	
Norton Canes High School	
Paulet High School	
Stafford Manor High School	
The Friary School	
The King's CofE (VA) School	
Wolgarston High School	

In the Staffordshire Agreed Syllabus for Religious Education, legal requirements state that RE should be provided as part of the basic curriculum for all registered pupils attending a maintained school.

At Key Stage 4 all pupils should fulfil their entitlement by following, as a basis, an accredited specification (from a recognised examination board) in Religious Studies. Schools should provide reasonable time for pupils to complete this and, if appropriate, to attain an external qualification.

At KS5 pupils may follow the programme of study provided within the Agreed Syllabus or an accredited specification (from a recognised examination board) in Religious Studies.

Staffordshire SACRE recognises the independence of Academies and Free Schools. However, it commends the Agreed Syllabus to them as a constructive and collaborative way to meet their legal requirements in Religious Education.

In line with the SACRE remit, the analysis of GCSE and A level results that follows only takes account of local authority maintained schools.

A list of maintained schools (correct 16.01.18) is provided for reference.

GCSE Full Course Results All Pupils

Subject: Religious Studies (4610) / Exam: GCSE Full Course (310)

Est. No.	Centre	NOR	NOE	*	A	В	с	D	E	F	G	Q	U	х	A*-C	A*-G	Avg Pts
-	National (All Schools)	589193	263974	10.0	19.4	23.4	18.4	12.1	7.3	4.5	2.7	< 0.1	1.8	0.3	71.2	97.9	4.8
-	National (State Funded)	529071	248210	8.8	18.6	23.5	19.0	12.6	7.6	4.8	2.8	< 0.1	1.8	0.3	70.0	97.9	4.7
-	LA (State Funded)	8439	4661	5.1	16.3	26.1	21.1	13.0	8.2	5.0	3.1		2.0	0.2	68.7	97.9	4.5
4500	Abbot Beyne School	118	114	2.6	18.4	23.7	14.9	10.5	10.5	5.3	7.9		6.1		59.6	93.9	4.1
4067	Blythe Bridge High School	170	61	1.6	14.8	27.9	29.5	18.0	3.3	1.6	3.3				73.8	100.0	4.5
4140	Cheslyn Hay Sport and Community High School	213	173	6.9	17.3	37.6	22.0	6.4	5.8	1.7	1.2		1.2		83.8	98.8	5.1
4075	Codsall Community High School	204	18	22.2	61.1	11.1								5.6	94.4	94.4	6.8
4077	Endon High School	140	136	5.1	18.4	29.4	13.2	13.2	7.4	8.1	5.1				66.2	100.0	4.6
4079	Great Wyrley High School	139	23	13.0	34.8	17.4	26.1	4.3		4.3					91.3	100.0	5.7
4181	King Edward VI High School	123	121	3.3	18.2	23.1	16.5	14.0	9.1	5.8	3.3		6.6		61.2	93.4	4.2
4087	King Edward VI School	208	51	21.6	29.4	21.6	13.7	5.9	3.9				2.0	2.0	86.3	96.1	5.9
4072	Moorside High School	133	132		18.2	40.2	28.0	7.6	4.5	1.5					86.4	100.0	4.9
4089	Nether Stowe School	88	24	8.3	12.5	41.7	20.8	12.5	4.2						83.3	100.0	5.2
4066	Norton Canes High School	68	27		33.3	22.2	14.8	7.4	11.1	3.7	3.7			3.7	70.4	96.3	4.7
4051	Paulet High School	110	54	3.7	25.9	18.5	25.9	16.7	3.7	3.7	1.9				74.1	100.0	4.8
5402	Stafford Manor High School	45	4		25.0	25.0	50.0								100.0	100.0	5.1
4126	The Friary School	194	106	0.9	7.5	31.1	34.9	20.8	3.8		0.9				74.5	100.0	4.4
4012	The King's CofE (VA) School	45	12			16.7	41.7	16.7			8.3		16.7		58.3	83.3	3.2
4100	Wolgarston High School	165	142	2.1	7.0	23.2	27.5	19.7	9.2	5.6	5.6				59.9	100.0	4.0

GCSE Full Course Results Female Pupils

Est. No.	Centre	NOR	NOE	*	A	В	c	D	E	F	G	Q	U	x	A*-C	A*-G	Avg Pts
-	National (State Funded)	259953	133325	11.8	22.5	24.4	17.6	10.7	6.1	3.6	1.9	< 0.1	1.1	0.3	76.4	98.6	5.1
-	LA (State Funded)	4154	2454	7.3	21.7	27.6	18.7	11.2	6.4	3.8	1.8		1.2	0.2	75.4	98.6	5.0
4500	Abbot Beyne School	63	60	5.0	28.3	26.7	15.0	6.7	10.0	1.7	3.3		3.3		75.0	96.7	4.9
4067	Blythe Bridge High School	81	40	2.5	22.5	35.0	25.0	12.5	2.5						85.0	100.0	5.1
4140	Cheslyn Hay Sport and Community High School	98	85	10.6	24.7	38.8	15.3	3.5	5.9		1.2				89.4	100.0	5.6
4075	Codsall Community High School	108	15	26.7	60.0	6.7								6.7	93.3	93.3	6.8
4077	Endon High School	70	69	7.2	14.5	31.9	17.4	15.9	7.2	5.8					71.0	100.0	4.8
4079	Great Wyrley High School	71	18	11.1	33.3	16.7	27.8	5.6		5.6					88.9	100.0	5.6
4181	King Edward VI High School	67	66	6.1	22.7	22.7	13.6	13.6	7.6	7.6	1.5		4.5		65.2	95.5	4.6
4087	King Edward VI School	107	33	30.3	36.4	15.2	12.1	3.0	3.0						93.9	100.0	6.6
4072	Moorside High School	61	61		29.5	41.0	13.1	6.6	6.6	3.3					83.6	100.0	5.2
4089	Nether Stowe School	44	22	9.1	13.6	40.9	18.2	13.6	4.5						81.8	100.0	5.2
4066	Norton Canes High School	42	24		33.3	25.0	12.5	8.3	8.3	4.2	4.2			4.2	70.8	95.8	4.7
4051	Paulet High School	61	34	5.9	26.5	23.5	23.5	14.7		2.9	2.9				79.4	100.0	5.1
5402	Stafford Manor High School	24	4		25.0	25.0	50.0								100.0	100.0	5.1
4126	The Friary School	101	57		14.0	33.3	28.1	21.1	3.5						75.4	100.0	4.6
4012	The King's CofE (VA) School	21	6				66.7	33.3							66.7	100.0	3.7
4100	Wolgarston High School	78	65	4.6	12.3	30.8	23.1	18.5	7.7	1.5	1.5				70.8	100.0	4.6

GCSE Full Course Results Male Pupils

Subject: Religious Studies (4610) / Exam: GCSE Full Course (310)

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Est. No.	Centre	NOR	NOE	*	Α	В	C	D	E	F	G	Q	U	х	A*-C	A*-G	Avg Pts
-	National (State Funded)	269118	114885	5.3	14.1	22.6	20.6	14.9	9.5	6.1	3.9	< 0.1	2.7	0.3	62.6	97.0	4.3
-	LA (State Funded)	4285	2207	2.7	10.4	24.3	23.7	15.0	10.1	6.3	4.5		2.8	0.1	61.1	97.1	4.0
4500	Abbot Beyne School	55	54		7.4	20.4	14.8	14.8	11.1	9.3	13.0		9.3		42.6	90.7	3.2
4067	Blythe Bridge High School	89	21			14.3	38.1	28.6	4.8	4.8	9.5				52.4	100.0	3.4
4140	Cheslyn Hay Sport and Community High School	115	88	3.4	10.2	36.4	28.4	9.1	5.7	3.4	1.1		2.3		78.4	97.7	4.6
4075	Codsall Community High School	96	3		66.7	33.3									100.0	100.0	6.5
4077	Endon High School	70	67	3.0	22.4	26.9	9.0	10.4	7.5	10.4	10.4				61.2	100.0	4.4
4079	Great Wyrley High School	68	5	20.0	40.0	20.0	20.0								100.0	100.0	6.4
4181	King Edward VI High School	56	55		12.7	23.6	20.0	14.5	10.9	3.6	5.5		9.1		56.4	90.9	3.8
4087	King Edward VI School	101	18	5.6	16.7	33.3	16.7	11.1	5.6				5.6	5.6	72.2	88.9	4.6
4072	Moorside High School	72	71		8.5	39.4	40.8	8.5	2.8						88.7	100.0	4.7
4089	Nether Stowe School	44	2			50.0	50.0								100.0	100.0	4.8
4066	Norton Canes High School	26	3		33.3		33.3		33.3						66.7	100.0	4.3
4051	Paulet High School	49	20		25.0	10.0	30.0	20.0	10.0	5.0					65.0	100.0	4.4
4126	The Friary School	93	49	2.0		28.6	42.9	20.4	4.1		2.0				73.5	100.0	4.2
4012	The King's CofE (VA) School	24	6			33.3	16.7				16.7		33.3		50.0	66.7	2.7
4100	Wolgarston High School	87	77		2.6	16.9	31.2	20.8	10.4	9.1	9.1				50.6	100.0	3.4

Points to note:

- Overall, both national results (71.2%) and Staffordshire's (68.7%) results for GCSE Religious Studies in 2017 are broadly in line with overall results achieved in 2016. In 2016 the National Average A* to C was 71.5% (70.6% in 2015) and the Staffordshire Average A* to C was 67.8% (68.4% in 2015)
- Results for all pupils show that pupils in Staffordshire achieved slightly below the national average at grades A*-C but in line with the national average for grades A*-G. The results for both male and female pupils reflect the results for all pupils.
- However, a closer look at the results tables reveal that there were several schools achieving results well above the national average. SACRE members may wish to congratulate these schools on their achievements.
- When looking at the results for all pupils SACRE would be mindful to take note of the number of pupils on role versus the number of entries. This gives an insight into the provision that different schools have in place for pupils at KS4.

KS5 GCE A Level Results All Pupils

All pupils

Subject: Religious Studies (4610) / Exam: GCE A level (111)

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Est. No.	School/College	NOE	*	Α	В	c	D	E	Q	U	х	A*-A	А*-В	А*-Е	Avg Pts
-	National (all entries)	21289	5.7	18.5	30.7	25.7	13.0	4.8	< 0.1	1.6	< 0.1	24.2	54.9	98.4	35.7
4075	Codsall Community High School	16			50.0	25.0	12.5	12.5					50.0	100.0	31.3
4087	King Edward VI School	12			41.7	50.0		8.3					41.7	100.0	32.5
4072	Moorside High School	3			33.3	66.7							33.3	100.0	33.3
4066	Norton Canes High School	3		33.3		66.7						33.3	33.3	100.0	36.7
4126	The Friary School	12			25.0	25.0	16.7	16.7		16.7			25.0	83.3	22.5

KS5 GCE A Level Results Female Pupils

Subject: Religious Studies (4610) / Exam: GCE A level (111)

Est. No.	School/College	NOE	*	A	В	с	D	E	Q	U	x	A*-A	А*-В	А*-Е	Avg Pts
4075	Codsall Community High School	12			50.0	25.0	16.7	8.3					50.0	100.0	31.7
4087	King Edward VI School	9			44.4	55.6							44.4	100.0	34.4
4072	Moorside High School	3			33.3	66.7							33.3	100.0	33.3
4066	Norton Canes High School	1				100.0								100.0	30.0
4126	The Friary School	9			33.3	33.3		11.1		22.2			33.3	77.8	24.4

Est. No.	School/College	NOE	*	А	В	с	D	E	U	x	A*-A	А*-В	А*-Е	Avg Pts
4075	Codsall Community High School	4			50.0	25.0		25.0				50.0	100.0	30.0
4087	King Edward VI School	3			33.3	33.3		33.3				33.3	100.0	26.7
4066	Norton Canes High School	2		50.0		50.0					50.0	50.0	100.0	40.0
4126	The Friary School	3					66.7	33.3					100.0	16.7

Subject: Religious Studies (4610) / Exam: GCE A level (111)

Points to note:

- This year there was a gap in results achieved nationally in comparison with those achieved locally for A level grades A-B. National results (54.9%) for A Level Religious Studies in 2017 are broadly in line with overall results achieved in 2016, but Staffordshire's results (36.6%) are lower than national. In 2016 the National Average A* to B was 54.4% (54.5% in 2014) and the Staffordshire Average A to B was 49.6% (52% in 2015).
- Results for all pupils do show that although pupils in Staffordshire achieved slightly below the national average at grades A*-B, they performed very well across the full spectrum of grades A*-E. The results for male and female pupils reflect the results for all pupils.
- The number of entries per school is often small. This is not unexpected at KS5 for which examination courses will be optional.
- Staffordshire schools are to be commended for continuing to offer their pupils the opportunity to study for an A level qualification in Religious Studies.