Student Examination Results 2017-18

Once again we are very proud of this year's external examination results gained by our students. These results however do not demonstrate the full picture of achievements our students have made. We are equally proud of the social progress our students have made, the work experience undertaken, the independence developed and self-regulation learnt. Well done to you all.

As a special school none of our students take 8 GCSEs consequently our Attainment 8 (8.62) and Progress 8 (-1.94) measures are low. Our cohort sizes are also low (16 students in Year 11 in 2017-18) meaning that the performance of just one student can significantly alter any trends seen in data. The fact that floor standards do not apply to special schools is clear recognition of the very limited relevance of these measures to our provision.

The Attainment 8 and Progress 8 measures only take into account GCSEs and a small number of BTEC qualifications and focus on the expected performance of students in mainstream schools. We consider it exceptional progress if a Presfield student matches mainstream academic progress. In year 10 83% (15/18) of students achieved at least 1 GCSE and 72% (13/18) achieved at least 5 formal qualifications. In Year 11 31% (5/16) achieved 5 GCSE's and 94% (15/16) achieved at least one GCSE. 81% (13/16) achieved at least 8 formal qualifications.

Whilst many of our students do achieve GCSE's we also offer a wide range of other qualifications, such as Entry Level Certificates, Functional Skills, Sport's Leader, Duke of Edinburgh and relevant vocational qualifications and work placements to improve employability.

When viewing our results in terms of progress 8 it should be taken into account that they are primarily designed for mainstream schools and have limited value in a special school context, as recognised by Ofsted:

Inspectors will recognise that published data for small groups of children must be treated with caution. Whilst inspectors will analyse all pupil-level and group-level data, there will be some groups that are too small for group-level reporting to be meaningful. Only if groups are large enough will inspectors be able to draw valid inferences from group-level performance. This is to avoid forming unfair judgements about a school. For example, it will not be possible to draw conclusions about trends in relation to small groups. Equally, it will be misleading to compare national rates of progress and attainment with progress and attainment rates for small groups or for groups that have high proportions of pupils with special educational needs arising from their low cognitive abilities.

Ofsted School Inspection Handbook. Paragraph 185

Year 11 Examination Results 2017-18

| | OPTION | RESULT 2017-18 | RESULTS 2017-18 ICT | Best result ks4 English LANG | Best result ks4 MATHS | PE SPORTS LEADER | Best ks4 result RE | Best ks4 result SCIENCE | Hospitality Achieved Summer 18 | D OF E Bronze award | OPEN COLLEGE LIVING INDEPDENTLY | Number of GCSE's | Number of qualifications | Points score |
|----|--------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | GEOG | 2 | L1D | 1M | FS-EL3 | L1P | 1 | 1 | NA | | EL3 | 4 | 8 | 1.2 |
| 2 | ART | 4 | L1D | 2M | FS-EL2 | L1P | ELC3 | 1 | NA | | EL3 | 3 | 8 | 1.6 |
| 3 | GEOG | 2 | U | 1P | 5 | NA | 1 | 3 | UNIT ACHIEVED | | u | 5 | 5 | 1.5 |
| 4 | ART | 4 | L1M | 1P | FS-EL3 | L1P | ELC2 | 1 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | u | 3 | 8 | 1.4 |
| 5 | GEOG | 2 | L1D | 1M | 2 | L1P | ELC2 | 2 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | | u | 4 | 8 | 1.7 |
| 6 | ART | 3 | L1D | 3P | 3 | L1P | 1 | 1 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | EL3 | 5 | 9 | 2.2 |
| 7 | GEOG | 1 | L1D | FS-EL3 | FS-EL1 | L1P | ELC3 | 1 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | | u | 2 | 8 | 1.1 |
| 8 | ART | 4 | L1M | FS-EL2 | FS-EL2 | L1P | ELC2 | EL2 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | u | 1 | 8 | 1.2 |
| 9 | ART | 2 | FS-EL1 | FS-EL1 | FS-EL1 | L1P | ELC2 | EL1 | UNIT ACHIEVED | Υ | EL2 | 1 | 8 | 0.5 |
| 10 | GEOG | 1 | L2P | 3P | 2 | NA | 1 | 3 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | | u | 5 | 7 | 2 |
| 11 | GEOG | U | L1P | FS-EL2 | FS-EL1 | L1P | ELC2 | EL1 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | | EL2 | 0 | 8 | 0.7 |
| 12 | ART | 4 | L1D | 1M | 1 | L1P | 1 | 2 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | EL3 | 5 | 9 | 1.9 |
| 13 | ART | 3 | L1P | FS-EL2 | FS-EL1 | L1P | ELC2 | EL1 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | u | 1 | 8 | 1 |
| 14 | ART | 3 | L1D | | FS-EL2 | L1P | ELC2 | EL2 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | u | 1 | 6 | 1.2 |
| 15 | GEOG | 1 | L1M | 1P | 2 | L1P | ELC2 | 1 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | EL3 | 4 | 9 | 1.3 |
| 16 | ART | 5 | L1M | 2M | 2 | L1P | 1 | 2 | LEVEL 1 AWARD | Υ | u | 5 | 8 | 2.2 |

Performance Over Time

| | Percentage | Aspirational Progress in L | ine with mainstream scho | ools (number of students) | | | | | | |
|---------|--------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | | | | | |
| Maths | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 13% (2) | | | | | |
| English | 14% (1) | 13% (1) | 29% (2) | 19% (3) | 19% (3) | | | | | |
| Science | 0% | 0% | 43% (3) | 31% (5) | 19% (3) | | | | | |
| | | % of Col | hort Entered for GCSE | | | | | | | |
| | 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 | | | | | | | | | |
| Maths | 75% | 68% | 57% | 50% | 63% | | | | | |
| English | 63% | 50% | 57% | 63% | 63% | | | | | |
| Science | 0% | 25% | 43% | 44% | 100% | | | | | |

Sixth form results 2017-18

| | Year group | 17-18 RESULT-ENG LANG | 17-18 RESULT-ENG LIT | 17-18 results MATHS | 17-18 results ICT | 17-18-physics/Jan Science | EMPLOYABILITY AND DEVELOPMENT SKILLS 2018 | UNDERSTANDING BRITISH VALUES 2018 | St Johns Ambulance first aid award | D of E | Personal social; education |
|---|------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------|----------------------------|
| 1 | 14 | 1P | NA | FS-EL2 | L1A | NA | L2A | L1 | Pass | NA | NA |
| 2 | 14 | 2P | 4 | 2 | L2A | F | L2A | L1 | Pass | NA | NA |
| 3 | 14 | 2M | 2 | U | L1A | NA | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 4 | 14 | 2P | 3 | U | L2A | NA | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 1 | 13 | 2D | NA | NA | NA | NA | L2A | U | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 2 | 13 | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | L1A | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 3 | 13 | 2P | NA | 2 | NA | D | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 4 | 13 | NA | NA | 1 | L1A | NA | L1A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 5 | 13 | 4D | NA | 3 | NA | 3 | L2A | NA | Pass | NA | NA |
| 6 | 13 | 3M | 3 | 3 | NA | NA | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |

| 7 | 13 | 1P | NA | U | L1A | NA | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
|----|----|----|----|----|--------|----|-----|----|------|--------|-----|
| 8 | 13 | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | U | NA | Pass | NA | EL3 |
| 1 | 12 | 1P | 1 | 2 | NA | F | L2A | L1 | Pass | NA | NA |
| 2 | 12 | 3P | NA | 1 | NA | Е | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 3 | 12 | 1P | NA | 1 | L1 | NA | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 4 | 12 | NA | NA | NA | FS-EL1 | NA | EL3 | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 5 | 12 | NA | NA | NA | FS-EL1 | NA | EL3 | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 6 | 12 | 2P | NA | NA | FS-EL3 | NA | EL3 | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 7 | 12 | NA | NA | NA | FS-EL2 | NA | EL3 | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 8 | 12 | NA | NA | NA | FS-EL2 | NA | EL3 | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 9 | 12 | NA | NA | 1 | NA | Е | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 10 | 12 | 4D | NA | NA | NA | D | L2A | L1 | Pass | NA | NA |
| 11 | 12 | 3P | NA | 4 | FS-EL3 | NA | EL3 | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 12 | 12 | NA | NA | 1 | NA | NA | L1A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |
| 13 | 12 | 1P | NA | 1 | NA | NA | L1A | NA | Pass | Silver | EL3 |
| 14 | 12 | 2P | NA | 2 | NA | F | L2A | L1 | Pass | Silver | NA |