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Princethorpe College

An independent school for 11-18 year olds

A Princethorpe Foundation School

Public Examination Results **For the Summer 2026 Exam Sessions**

Introduction

This booklet gives a summary of the A-level, GCSE & BTEC examination results achieved by our pupils in 2026.

From a cohort of 129 Upper Sixth Formers, 66% of grades achieved in A-levels and Level 3 BTECs were A*- B, with a 88% A*-C. We also saw superb results in our Extended Curriculum subjects, including the Extended Project Qualification, Level 3 Certificate in Mathematical Studies and Sports Leaders Award.

We are immensely proud of this cohort's academic achievements, but more so of their character, kindness and sense of community; we look forward to hearing of their successes in the next phases of their lives.

At GCSE, from a cohort of 132 pupils, 46% of GCSE/IGCSEs were awarded the coveted 9, 8 or 7 (A* - A) grades, with 27 candidates achieving nine or more qualifications at this level. Again, we are delighted with their excellent results, but also in the way they have matured as young people. The vast majority of this cohort have continued into our Sixth Form, alongside a significant number of external pupils. We have high hopes for our new Lower Sixth cohort in the next two years!

Whilst incredibly important, we do so much more than help our pupils achieve excellent examination results. We offer a caring, supportive and well-ordered educational environment, encouraging pupils to develop their full potential academically, socially, physically and spiritually.

To quote our most recent school ISI Inspection Report (2025), 'pupils learn well, make good progress over time, feel supported and challenged in their learning, and gain the confidence and competence needed to thrive'.

Results for Upper Sixth

Subject	Entries	A*	A	B	C	D	E	U	Pass %	% A* - A	% A* - B
Art & Design: Fine Art	9	6	0	2	1	0	0	0	100%	67%	89%
Art & Design: Photography	7	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	100%	14%	100%
Art & Design: Textiles	5	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	100%	40%	60%
Biology	26	2	6	6	9	2	1	0	100%	31%	54%
Business	22	3	7	8	3	0	1	0	100%	45%	82%
Chemistry	20	2	3	5	6	3	1	0	100%	25%	50%
Computer Science	5	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	100%	40%	60%
Design & Technology: Product Design	14	0	2	3	6	2	1	0	100%	14%	36%
Economics	26	0	11	10	5	0	0	0	100%	42%	81%
English Lang & Lit	27	1	0	14	8	3	1	0	100%	4%	56%
English Literature	12	2	2	7	1	0	0	0	100%	33%	92%
Extended Project Qualification	56	17	24	7	3	5	0	0	100%	73%	86%
French	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	100%
Further Mathematics	4	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	100%	50%	75%
Geography	17	1	6	5	3	2	0	0	100%	41%	71%
History	16	1	4	5	5	1	0	0	100%	31%	63%
Law	12	2	2	4	2	2	0	0	100%	33%	67%
Mathematics	33	5	8	7	6	3	3	1	97%	39%	61%
Physical Education	10	0	4	1	3	2	0	0	100%	40%	50%
Physics	17	2	8	3	2	1	1	0	100%	59%	76%
Politics	15	1	8	2	2	1	0	1	93%	60%	73%
Psychology	21	3	7	8	1	1	1	0	100%	48%	86%
Religious Studies	13	2	3	3	2	3	0	0	100%	38%	62%
Sociology	14	0	2	6	3	3	0	0	100%	14%	57%
Spanish	4	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	100%	75%	100%
Theatre Studies	3	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	100%	33%	33%
Total	406	54	114	116	75	34	11	2	100%	41%	70%

Subject	Entries	D*	D	M	P			
Business BTEC (Single)	17	1	6	7	3			
Music Performance BTEC (Single)	3	0	1	2	0			
Sports BTEC (Single)	9	1	5	3	0			
Subject	Entries	D*	D*	DD	D	M	PP	
Sports BTEC (Double)	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	

Pass %	% D* - D	% D* - M
100%	41%	82%
200%	33%	100%
100%	67%	100%
Pass %	% D* - D	% D* - M
100%	100%	100%

Results for Year 11

Subject	Entries	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	9	9-8	9-7	9-6	9-5	9-4
Art & Design: Fine Art	14	2	7	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	14%	64%	71%	100%	100%	100%
Art & Design: Textiles	16	2	2	4	4	3	0	1	0	0	13%	25%	50%	75%	94%	94%
Biology	47	7	11	10	12	7	0	0	0	0	15%	38%	60%	85%	100%	100%
Business	66	4	14	10	15	9	10	4	0	0	6%	27%	42%	65%	79%	94%
Chemistry	47	13	12	6	13	3	0	0	0	0	28%	53%	66%	94%	100%	100%
Combined Science (85 pupils)	170	4	13	19	50	51	29	4	0	0	2%	10%	21%	51%	81%	98%
Computer Science	24	4	4	4	5	4	1	2	0	0	17%	33%	50%	71%	88%	92%
Design & Technology	21	0	6	5	5	3	2	0	0	0	0%	29%	52%	76%	90%	100%
Drama	12	3	2	2	0	1	4	0	0	0	25%	42%	58%	58%	67%	100%
English Language	132	23	26	21	30	23	8	1	0	0	17%	37%	53%	76%	93%	99%
English Literature	131	25	21	24	21	31	7	2	0	0	19%	35%	53%	69%	93%	98%
Food & Nutrition	9	1	1	0	1	3	1	2	0	0	11%	22%	22%	33%	67%	78%
French	12	3	0	0	4	2	3	0	0	0	25%	25%	25%	58%	75%	100%
Geography	32	8	12	6	2	3	0	1	0	0	25%	63%	81%	88%	97%	97%
History	63	12	9	10	15	7	5	5	0	0	19%	33%	49%	73%	84%	92%
Latin	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Mathematics	132	20	22	17	21	33	14	5	0	0	15%	32%	45%	61%	86%	96%
Music	10	3	1	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	30%	40%	40%	60%	60%	70%
Physical Education	27	2	5	4	8	8	0	0	0	0	7%	26%	41%	70%	100%	100%
Physics	47	14	11	7	11	4	0	0	0	0	30%	53%	68%	91%	100%	100%
Psychology	31	1	0	5	13	4	6	1	1	0	3%	3%	19%	61%	74%	94%
Religious Studies	130	11	13	25	26	32	14	4	3	2	8%	18%	38%	58%	82%	93%
Spanish	31	8	4	6	2	3	4	3	0	0	26%	39%	58%	65%	74%	87%
Totals	1210	175	196	186	264	234	109	38	4	2	14%	31%	46%	68%	87%	96%

Other Qualifications

Subject	Entries	D*	D	M	P2	D1
Sports BTEC	8	0	1	5	2	0
Dance BTEC	3	0	3	0	0	0

9	9-8	9-7	9-6	9-5	9-4
0%	13%	75%	75%	100%	
0%	100%	100%	100%	100%	