

The Academy has been consistently proud for many years of students' excellent performance on all of its courses. Once again in 2017, students achieved outstanding GCSE results:

- When the grades of all students are put into the new 'Attainment 8' calculation, taking into account their best 8 subjects including English, Maths, at least 3 English Baccalaureate subjects and 3 other subjects, the students' average score (ie the school's overall Attainment 8 score) was 53.2. The average score per subject is 5.3 (using the new GCSE scale).
- When the performance of all of the Year 11 students is compared with similar students nationally, the 'Progress 8' score for The County High School, Leftwich is +0.43, which means on average students achieved nearly half a grade better than expected in every one of their GCSE subjects. This means the Academy is the top-performing secondary school in Cheshire and in the top 18% nationally in this regard.
- When the overall 'Progress 8' score is broken down, the English 'Progress' is +0.32 (ie a third of a grade above expectation), Maths +0.53 (ie over half a grade above expectation), English Baccalaureate subjects +0.44 (nearly half a grade above) and 'Other' subjects +0.44 (also nearly half a grade above).
- 87% of Year 11 students achieved a 'standard pass' (Grade 4 or higher) in English, equivalent to Grade C or above in previous years
- 83% achieved a Grade 4 or higher in Mathematics
- 80% achieved a Grade 4 or higher in both English and Maths
- 47% achieved a 'standard' English Baccalaureate pass (Grade 4 or higher in English and Maths, together with a Grade C or above in Science, a Humanities subject and a Modern Language)
- 76% of students achieved a 'strong pass' (Grade 5 or higher) in English
- 62% achieved a Grade 5 or higher in Mathematics
- 58% achieved a Grade 5 or higher in both English and Maths
- 41% achieved a 'strong' English Baccalaureate pass (Grade 5 or higher in English and Maths, together with a Grade C or above in Science, a Humanities subject and a Modern Language)
- 27% of students achieved a Grade 7 or higher in English, equivalent to Grade A or above in previous years
- 31% achieved a Grade 7 or higher in Mathematics, with 14 students achieving a Grade 9 (the highest possible grade)
- 17% achieved a Grade 7 or higher in both English and Maths
- 87% achieved GCSE A* - C in Science, with 28% achieving an A* or A grade
- 28% of all GCSE grades were at Grade A or above (or the equivalent 7 or higher in English or Mathematics)
- 10% of Year 11 students achieved at least 8 A* or A (or equivalent) grades
- 22% achieved at least 5 A* or A (or equivalent) grades
- 34% achieved at least 3 A* or A (or equivalent) grades
- 77% achieved at least one A* or A (or equivalent) grade

Any apparent discrepancies between the data above and the Department for Education (DfE) Performance Tables (January 2018) are as a consequence of the DfE not including some students' re-marked GCSE grades, an issue which the Academy has requested to have rectified.