

### RESULTS 2017



#### GCSE RESULTS

2017 was our best year for A\*s with 33% of all results graded with the top mark (see trendline chart below right). The results were extremely strong across this cohort of 85 15s (Year 11 pupils) and can be summarised as follows:

- 100% 5 A\* C grades
- 66% of all grades A\*/A
- 18 pupils achieved straight A\*/A grades

Attainment in the core subjects, including languages, was particularly notable and is outlined below:

- 86% A\*/A English Literature
- 70% A\*/A Mathematics
- 100% A\*/A Latin
- 78% A\*/A French
- 69% A\*/A Spanish
- 82% A\*/A Italian

\*For Mathematics, grades 9 and 8 are counted as A\*, 7 as A, 6 as B etc.

*Above:* Nicole celebrates excellent GCSE results with her parents, Ms Oldacre, Head of Science, and Mr Hooke. She received A\*s in Biology, Chemistry and Physics and Ms Oldacre is thrilled to be teaching her Biology as one of her four chosen A Levels.

# CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR PUPILS ON THEIR RESULTS!



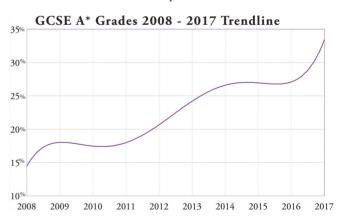
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#### 16+ HARRODIAN AWARDS

Congratulations to our two 16+ Harrodian scholarship winners for achieving outstanding GSCE results. Christian, who joined Harrodian in Reception, succeeded in gaining ten A\*s and the top mark in Additional Maths GCSE and Anatol received nine A\*s and one A. Academic Exhibitions were also awarded to Carolina Ottochian, Beata Luchanskaya and Amira Al-Zuhair for their impressive achievements.

Above: A group of our top students are congratulated by Mr Hooke and Ms Thomas, Head of English. Proudly displaying their GCSE results from left to right are: Jorge, Youmna, Carolina, one of our Exhibition scholars, Anatol and Christian behind, our two 16+ scholarship winners, and Ariana.



#### 13+ Common Entrance

Our top achiever, Nara-May (13N), *centre left*, was awarded the Rossetti Award for Academic Excellence following her outstanding success in the CE 13+ examinations where she recorded an excellent overall mark of 87% across all subjects and over 90% in French, Italian and Latin. Together with fellow high-achiever, Grace (13M), both girls were presented with 13+ Senior Scholarships for their impressive examination results. Isabela (13T) and Jude (13E) also scored highly and were awarded with Exhibitions. All girls are featured here, *left*, at their Prize Giving ceremony in the summer.

### A LEVEL NEWS

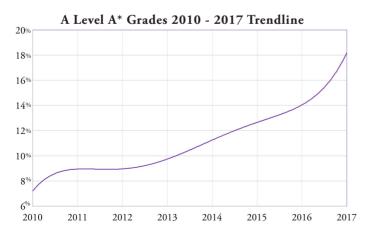


#### A LEVEL RESULTS

At the beginning of last year, Mr Hooke, Mrs Locke, Deputy Head, and Mr Behan, Head of Sixth Form, implemented the new A Level reforms. This involved dispensing with AS Levels and moving away from coursework to end-of-course linear examinations. Both our Sixth Form students and their teachers embraced the change and seamlessly adapted to the academic reform. This year's success rate is as impressive as in previous years, if not more so, with a new record achieved in the number of A\* grades (see trendline below). There were 78 Upper Sixth students in the year group and their results can be summarised as follows:

- 100% pass A E
- 50% of all grades A\*/A
- 78% of all grades A\*/A/B
- High success rate in core subjects: 68% of all grades were A\*/A in English Literature and 70% in Maths and Further Maths

Above: Mr Behan celebrates on results day with two of his top Economics students who have chosen to read the subject at university - Tom (A\*/A/A) and Luke (A\*/A/\*A) – but also Tallal (A\*/A\*/A\*) and twins Ela (A\*/A/A) and Hakan (A\*/A\*/A\*). Ela and Hakan are not the only twins to enjoy success; both Leo and Emmie Seknadje, have turned down places at King's College and the University of Birmingham to study at equally respected further education establishments abroad.



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR SIXTH FORMERS!

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#### UNIVERSITY UPDATE

Most of last year's Upper Sixth have now commenced their degree courses, either in the UK or overseas (see destinations of leavers below and opposite), whilst the remaining few have embarked on exciting gap year projects. 72% of our A Level students succeeded in gaining places at their first choice of university or college with 70% at Russell Group universities.

*Above:* Sam was awarded three A\*s in English Literature, History and Music and is the first Harrodian to read Music at the University of Cambridge. He is photographed here sharing the news with his delighted Music teachers, Mrs Ashe, Director of Music, and Mr Huelin.

#### STAR PERFORMERS

An impressive 31 students achieved the equivalent of three As or better and on average every single Upper Sixth student attained the equivalent of A/B/B.

The following six students gained straight A\*s:

George Drayson Sam Tannenbaum Leo Barbour Tallal Mirza Hakan Serpen James Dawson

#### SIXTH FORM SUITE

Our current Lower and Upper Sixth students are taking advantage of a new bespoke Sixth Form suite, on the top floor of the Senior building, that opened this term. The suite, *right*, comprises of approximately 8500 square feet of teaching and study space. There are eight new teaching classrooms equipped with the most up-to-date technology and a spacious, purposebuilt study area complete with computers, projector and a large screen for presentations. Our Sixth Form is not looking to increase pupil numbers and will continue to offer an excellent 16+ education whilst maintaining its intimate and friendly ambiance.

#### **DESTINATION OF LEAVERS**

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Central Saint Martin's	Art Foundation
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Kingston College School of Art and Design	Art Foundation
City and Guilds of London Art School	Art Foundation
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Arts University Bournemouth	Art Foundation

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## DESTINATION OF LEAVERS

#### UNIVERSITY

Arts University of Bournemouth

University of Bath University of Bath University of Bath BIMM Music College University of Birmingham University of Birmingham University of Brighton University of Brighton University of Bristol University of Bristol

University of Bristol University of West England - Bristol Buckingham New University

Buckingham New University University of Cambridge University of Cardiff University of Cardiff

University of California Los Angeles

University of Durham University of Edinburgh University of Exeter University of Exeter University of Exeter University of Exeter Imperial College London University of Kent

King's College London King's College London King's College London King's College London University of Leeds University of Leeds University of Leeds University of Leeds

University of Leeds University of Leeds London School of Economics London School of Economics

University of Manchester University of Manchester University of Manchester

University of Manchester

Manchester Metropolitan University Manchester Metropolitan University

Met Film School Middlesex University University of Newcastle University of Newcastle University of Newcastle

University of Newcastle University of Nottingham

University of Nottingham University of Nottingham

University of Nottingham University of Nottingham New York University Oxford Brookes University Oxford Brookes University Oxford Brookes University Royal Holloway University

Royal Holloway University University of St Andrews University of St Andrews

University of Sussex University of Sussex University of Sussex

University of Sussex University College London University College London University College London University of East Anglia University of Warwick

University of York University of York University of York

#### COURSE

Creative Events Management

Mathematics Sociology

Politics with Economics Event Management International Relations

Philosophy Interior Architecture International Business

Biology Film and Television

Sociology

Economics and Finance Theatre and Performance Studies International Business Management

Biology Healthcare Science

Sports Business and Sports Broadcasting Football Business and Marketing

Music

Planning and Urban Development

Journalism, Communications and Politics Liberal Arts

Philosophy and Psychology

Classics

Philosophy, Politics and Economics

Economics and Politics

Economics

History and History of Art

History

Economics and Politics Business and Management

Anthropology Aeronautical Engineering

Art History
Physics with Medical Applications
Biomedical Engineering French and Management International Management International Relations International Relations

Digital Media

Management with Marketing Film, Photography and Media

Mathematics Geography

Financial Mathematics and Statistics

Theological Studies in Philosophy and Ethics Social Anthropology and Criminology

Law

Politics and Sociology Human Geography Business Management Practical Filmmaking

Design Engineering with Foundation Year

Classical Studies Philosophy Biomedical Sciences Sociology

English History and History of Art

English Neuroscience English Liberal Arts Social Anthropology English Literature

Anthropology Economics with Political Studies Management with Marketing

Chemistry

Computer Science

American Studies and English

Art History History Filmmaking Mathematics History of Art Comparative Literature Economics History and Philosophy

Psychology Economics and Finance Economics

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Above: Joe, Kasim, Stuart, Gabriel, Finn and Will achieved a total of two A\*s and eleven As between them and also all gained places at the Russell Group universities of their choice.



Above centre: Former Head Girl, Kitty, cannot stop smiling as she celebrates A\*/A/A in Psychology, English Literature, Latin, and a place at the University of Durham to read Classics. Her mother, an alma mater of her daughter's chosen university, is seen here on results day sharing the happy news. Kitty's counterpart, former Head Boy, George Drayson, also enjoyed success with three A\*s and a place at University College London to read Mathematics.



Above: The new Sixth Form suite that opened this term (for more information please see opposite).



Above: All four girls are congratulated by Ms Caldecott, Head of Art, for their results in Art A Level. Georgina, Alice and Daisy are three of the seven students that have embarked on Art Foundation courses at Art College while Maddie has chosen to read History of Art at university.

### **AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS**

#### HEAD BOY & HEAD GIRL

Our thanks to last year's Head Girl and Head Boy, Kitty Giddings and George Drayson, and congratulations to their successors this academic year, *right*. Samantha, a keen reader and avid participant in English literature events, is studying Mathematics, English and Biology for her A Levels and has her heart set on a Zoology course at university. She is also captain of the Sixth Form rounders team. Oliver is studying Mathematics, Chemistry and Biology and hopes to read Natural Sciences at university. He is also a highly accomplished public speaker and at the beginning of last year established a Senior School Lecture Society that continues to enjoy an avid following.

### PRE-PREP AWARDS

Beyad Shield for Citizenship Autumn Term 2016

Daisy



Fiona

Robson Cup for All Round Effort and Achievement

#### Edward

- pictured here with former Harrodian and trophy namesake, Angus Robson

### PREP AWARDS

Beyad Shield for Citizenship Spring Term 2017

Theresia

Rossetti Award for Academic Excellence

Nara-May

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#### PREP AWARDS

Robson Cup for Academic Excellence

#### Nicole

- pictured here with former Harrodian and trophy namesake, Angus Robson

Theodore Dreyfus Award for Academic Excellence and contribution to the Prep School

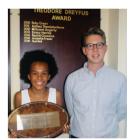
#### Ambe

- pictured here with former Harrodian and trophy namesake, Daniel Dreyfus

Odgers All Rounder Cup

Georgie







# SENIOR AWARDS Beyad Shield for Citizenship

Summer Term 2017

#### Scott

 pictured here with Harrodian parent and TV presenter, Holly Willoughby, who attended Senior Prize Giving as a guest speaker.







