

# GCSE Results 2021

## Students performed well in rigorous school assessments

2021 was a difficult year to be a GCSE student, with two years of disrupted learning due to the pandemic. Our students undertook assessments set by the school to determine what they had learnt and how well they had understood it.

Students achieved very well across the range of academic and vocational qualifications, and this is as we would have expected given their hard work throughout Year 10 and 11, whether school was open or closed.

- All ability ranges progress well at the academy
- 86% of students achieved pass grades (4+) in both English and mathematics
- 51% of all exams were awarded 7/8/9 (equivalent to As and A\*s in old GCSE grades)
- The 2021 percentage of students staying in education or employment after key stage 4 (destinations) was 99%

Details of Walthamstow Academy's GCSE performance in 2019 compared to other schools and national averages can be found [here](#).

Subject	No of Entries 2021	%7+	%4+
GCSE Art	19	37	89
GCSE Biology	37	78	100
GCSE Business Studies	49	61	94
GCSE Chemistry	37	78	100
GCSE Computing	38	47	100
GCSE D&T Product Design	49	29	100
GCSE Drama	13	77	92
GCSE English Language	173	51	93
GCSE English Literature	172	59	94
GCSE French	19	58	100
GCSE Geography	76	72	97
GCSE History	62	50	84
GCSE Maths	173	41	86
GCSE Media	32	38	91
GCSE Music	6	33	100
GCSE PE	16	50	100
GCSE Physics	37	78	100
GCSE RE	47	57	85
GCSE Science	136	35	84
GCSE Spanish	35	37	91
BTEC Business	55	73	91

BTEC Health and Social Care	19	74	90
BTEC Sport	15	33	93

\*7+ is the new A\*-A, 4+ is the new A\*-C