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Academic Performance Statement

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Aims and Ethos

Surbiton High School aims to **inspire, encourage and empower** our young people to discover and embrace their individuality in an intellectually rigorous academic environment. Balanced with outstanding pastoral care, our students become compassionate, respectful, courageous, and inquisitive members of the community, living out the School's motto: *Amor nos semper ducat* (May love always lead us).

Our Values

We are compassionate:

We are kind and we care, in both thought and action. We consider those less fortunate and strive to support and offer aid. We are mindful of the gentle power of positive actions. We support and encourage those around us.

We are respectful:

We respect all people equally. We respect ourselves, our learning, our community, our environment, and the planet we all share. We strive to act with respect and integrity in all things. When we disagree, we do so respectfully.

We are courageous:

When challenged by our fears we are determined, not deterred. We call on resilience for strength when in the heat of the struggle. We bravely chase our dreams and fight for what we believe. When we fall, we pick ourselves up and forge forward.

We are inquisitive:

We understand that a thoughtful question is the key to unlock understanding. We believe where answers provide ends, questions pose exciting beginnings. We are eager to explore, we question to discover, we are curious to learn more of the world at large.

We are a community:

We are united - with a common focus. We value belonging to a wider community: our school community, our local community, our global community. We are inclusive of all, no matter our differences. We value and nurture the connections we form.

We achieve these aims through our *Charter for Happiness and Well-being*. Our pupils:

- **are inspired to deploy their highest strengths to tackle all situations**, developing a growth mindset and a can-do attitude, equipped with the tools to maximise their positive emotions
- **are encouraged to find their niche**, to be fully engaged in educational activities and to meet the highest challenges that come their way
- **are coached and encouraged to develop strong relationships**, to be empathetic and responsive to the needs of themselves and others



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- **are empowered to lead a meaningful life**, to be able to understand what their goals are and to know what they are striving for
- **are empowered to draw strength from celebrating their accomplishments**, in order to tackle new challenges

We achieve these aims through our inculcation of *Learning Habits*. Our children:

- **are inspired in their thinking**, to ask questions, to make connections, to imagine possibilities, to reason methodically and to capitalise on their resources
- **are encouraged to be emotionally invested in their learning**, persevering in the face of difficulties, noticing subtle differences and patterns, managing their distractions, and becoming absorbed in their learning
- **are empowered to be fully involved in their learning**, growing in interdependence, collaborating effectively, listening empathetically to others, and imitating their learning habits
- **are inspired, encouraged, and empowered to be productive**, planning their learning in advance, revising and reviewing their progress, distilling important information, and developing their own meta-learning.

Surbiton High School is part of *United Learning* and the *United Church Schools' Trust*. The School has an Anglican foundation, valuing its Christian heritage whilst welcoming staff and children from all faiths and none. We share with United Learning its core mission statement "to bring out the best in everyone". We are committed to the aims of United Learning, including its *Framework for Excellence*, which can be found at: www.unitedlearning.org.uk

Introduction

Surbiton High School is a friendly and vibrant community where individuals thrive and are happy, secure, confident and valued. Our approach combines an intellectually rigorous and challenging academic environment. We are a school where passion and energy abound; a school with a real heart and soul, where we look beyond the A* to offer a breadth of opportunity which allows every pupil to flourish.

Academic achievement forms a key part of this aim and helps prepare pupils for their subsequent education and their future lives. Surbiton High School uses a variety of internal and external assessments to inform teaching and learning. These assessments are intended to facilitate pupil progress and the evaluation of that progress against relevant national norms.

This statement is available to relevant parties in accordance with our statement on the provision of information and can be found on our School website.



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Examination Results 2024

Our students and staff have worked tirelessly throughout the last 2 years to ensure the absolute best outcomes for our students, and this has been rewarded with fantastic results.

A-level Results

Our congratulations go out to our 2024 A-level cohort who celebrated outstanding results this summer with 64.8% of all grades A* to A and over 85% of grades A* to B. Over 91% will be heading off to their first-choice university with 88% of students heading to Russell Group and Times Top 10 Universities, and medical or dental schools. We have eleven Oxbridge students. The remainder of our students are heading off to study at international universities, some of the most prestigious art schools or to undertake apprenticeships.

A*	28.9%
A*- A	64.8%
A*- B	85.2%
A*- C	97.9%

Subject highlights at A-level

The following subjects gained at least 70% of all grades at A* or A

- *Chemistry*
- *Classical Civilisation*
- *Classical Greek*
- *Dance*
- *Fine Art*
- *French*
- *Further Mathematics*
- *Geography*
- *German*
- *History*
- *Mathematics*
- *Physical Education*
- *Religious Studies*
- *Spanish*

All A-level results can be found on our website under “exam results”.



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Alis Value-Added Analysis 2024 Surbiton High School (1563)

A-Level

Chart 2.0a SPC Chart - Results from A-Level qualifications only.

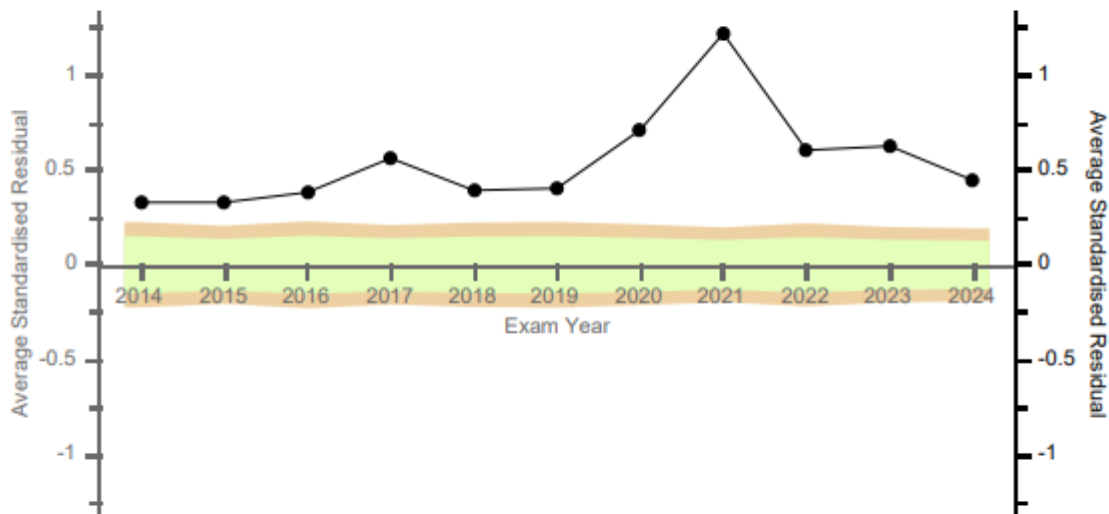


Chart 2.0a shows the value-added scores for A-Level qualifications for Surbiton High School that have been analysed by Alis since 2010 . The shaded areas represent confidence limits, the green area a 95% limit and the tan area a 99.7% limit. If a value lies within a shaded area, then the value can be deemed as 'normal' whether it is negative or positive. It is only when the value falls outside the shaded areas that the value can be deemed significant, thus implying that some factor in the teaching and learning, external to the students, has contributed to the value.



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A-level results by subject

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Subject	A*	A	B	C	D	E	U	A*	A*-A	A*-B	A*-C
Art History	25%	37.5%	-	37.5%	-	-	-	25%	62.5%	62.5%	100%
Biology	22.9%	42.9%	20%	14.3%	-	-	-	22.9%	65.7%	85.7%	100%
Business	22.7%	36.4%	13.6%	18.2%	9.1%	-	-	22.7%	59.1%	72.7%	90.9%
Chemistry	25%	53.6%	7.1%	14.3%	-	-	-	25%	78.6%	85.7%	100%
Classical Civilisation	60%	40%	-	-	-	-	-	60%	100%	100%	100%
Classical Greek	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	100%	100%
Computer Science	-	33.3%	-	-	66.7%	-	-	-	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%
Dance	50%	50%	-	-	-	-	-	50%	100%	100%	100%
D&T Product Design	-	50%	50%	-	-	-	-	-	50%	100%	100%
D&T Textiles	-	33.3%	22.2%	33.3%	11.1%	-	-	-	33.3%	55.6%	88.9%
Drama & Theatre	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%	-	-	-	-	33.3%	66.7%	100%	100%
Economics	20.8%	29.2%	33.3%	16.7%	-	-	-	20.8%	50%	83.3%	100%
English Language	33.3%	33.3%	16.7%	16.7%	-	-	-	33.3%	66.7%	83.3%	100%
English Literature	31.7%	22%	31.7%	14.6%	-	-	-	31.7%	53.7%	85.4%	100%
Fine Art	54.5%	18.2%	18.2%	9.1%	-	-	-	54.5%	72.7%	90.9%	100%
French	33.3%	41.7%	16.7%	8.3%	-	-	-	33.3%	75%	91.7%	100%
Further Mathematics	45.5%	36.4%	9.1%	-	-	9.1%	-	45.5%	81.8%	90.9%	90.9%
Geography	62.5%	12.5%	12.5%	12.5%	-	-	-	62.5%	75%	87.5%	100%
German	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	100%
History	41.2%	29.4%	23.5%	5.9%	-	-	-	41.2%	70.6%	94.1%	100%
Latin	33.3%	-	-	66.7%	-	-	-	33.3%	33.3%	33.3%	100%
Mathematics	30.2%	41.5%	15.1%	11.3%	1.9%	-	-	30.2%	71.7%	86.8%	98.1%
Music	16.7%	33.3%	33.3%	16.7%	-	-	-	16.7%	50%	83.3%	100%
Philosophy	12.5%	25%	25%	37.5%	-	-	-	12.5%	37.5%	62.5%	100%
Photography	66.7%	-	33.3%	-	-	-	-	66.7%	66.7%	100%	100%
Physical Education	14.3%	57.1%	14.3%	14.3%	-	-	-	14.3%	71.4%	85.7%	100%
Physics	27.8%	22.2%	38.9%	5.6%	5.6%	-	-	27.8%	50%	88.9%	94.4%
Politics	26.7%	40%	26.7%	6.7%	-	-	-	26.7%	66.7%	93.3%	100%
Psychology	19.2%	38.5%	30.8%	7.7%	3.8%	-	-	19.2%	57.7%	88.5%	96.2%
Religious Studies	66.7%	33.3%	-	-	-	-	-	66.7%	100%	100%	100%
Sociology	13.3%	53.3%	13.3%	20%	-	-	-	13.3%	66.7%	80%	100%
Spanish	42.9%	42.9%	14.3%	-	-	-	-	42.9%	85.7%	100%	100%
Total	28.9%	35.9%	20.4%	12.7%	1.9%	0.2%	0%	28.9%	64.8%	85.2%	97.9%



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Year 13 leaver destinations

All details of courses studied alongside destinations can be found on our website under “exam results”

A summary of the universities entered in 2024 is below:

Bath Spa	University of Birmingham
Bright and Sussex Medical School	University of Bristol
Bristol, University of West of England	University of Cambridge
Canterbury Christ Church University	University of East Anglia
City, University of London	University of Edinburgh
Durham University	University of Exeter
Glasgow School of Art	University of Kent
King’s College London	University of Leeds
Kingston University	University of Liverpool
Loughborough College	University of Manchester
Loughborough University	University of Nottingham
Manchester Metropolitan University	University of Oxford
Newcastle University	University of Plymouth
Oxford Brookes University	University of Sheffield
Queen Mary University of London	University of Southampton
Royal Veterinary College	University of Surrey
Regents University London	University of the Arts
UCL	University of Warwick
University of Bath	University of York



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GCSE Results

Our GCSE pupils have been rewarded for their hard work and determination with over 92% of all grades at grade 9 to 7. We are delighted so many of our pupils will continue to build on their successes within the Sixth Form.

9s	46.3%
9 – 8s	75.4%
9 – 7s	92.1%
9 – 6s	98.1%
9 – 4s	100%

Subject highlights at GCSE

The following subjects gained 40% of all grades at 9

- *Biology*
- *Chemistry*
- *Classical Greek*
- *Design Technology*
- *Drama*
- *English Language*
- *English Literature*
- *French*
- *Geography*
- *German*
- *Latin*
- *Mathematics*
- *Physical Education*
- *Physics*
- *Russian*

Our pupils will continue to build on their successes within the Sixth Form, as they go on to study a broad range of subjects and benefit from the extensive guidance, teaching and mentoring that the dedicated Sixth Form team provides, as well as furthering their life-skills through vast co-curricular, academic and leadership opportunities.

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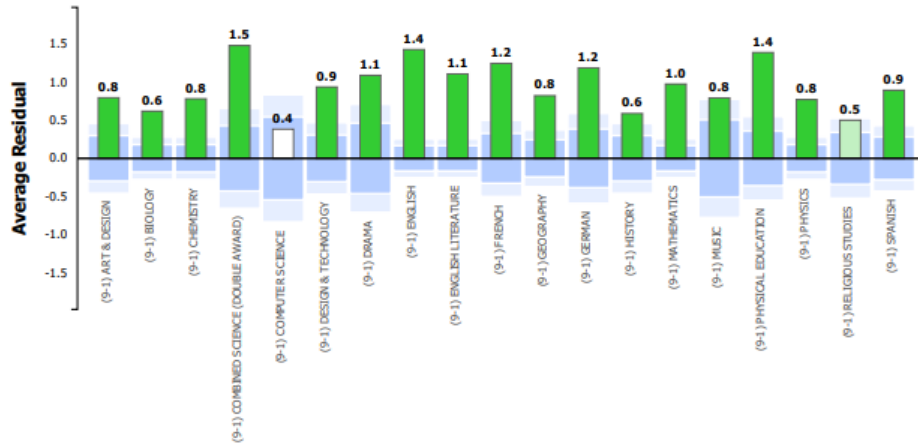
GCSE Valued added by subject



Centre for Evaluation & Monitoring

Secondary: School Value Added

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GCSE results by subject

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Subject	9	8	7	6	5	4	U	9	9-8	9-7	9-6	9-4
Art	30%	30%	20%	16.7%	3.3%	-	-	30%	60%	80%	96.7%	100%
Biology	48.7%	25.2%	15.1%	8.4%	2.5%	-	-	48.7%	73.9%	89.1%	97.5%	100%
Business	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	100%	100%
Chemistry	53.8%	26.1%	13.4%	6.7%	-	-	-	53.8%	79.8%	93.3%	100%	100%
Classical Civilisation	28.6%	14.3%	42.9%	14.3%	-	-	-	28.6%	42.9%	85.7%	100%	100%
Classical Greek	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Computer Science	7.7%	53.8%	23.1%	15.4%	-	-	-	7.7%	61.5%	84.6%	100%	100%
Dance	28.6%	42.9%	28.6%	-	-	-	-	28.6%	71.4%	100%	100%	100%
D&T	41.5%	31.7%	24.4%	2.4%	-	-	-	41.5%	73.2%	97.6%	100%	100%
Drama	66.7%	11.1%	16.7%	5.6%	-	-	-	66.7%	77.8%	94.4%	100%	100%
English for Speakers of..	-	66.7%	33.3%	-	-	-	-	-	66.7%	100%	100%	100%
English Language	69.3%	17.1%	10%	3.6%	-	-	-	69.3%	86.4%	96.4%	100%	100%
English Literature	55.7%	27.1%	12.1%	2.1%	2.9%	-	-	55.7%	82.9%	95%	97.1%	100%
French	58.3%	22.2%	13.9%	5.6%	-	-	-	58.3%	80.6%	94.4%	100%	100%
Further Mathematics	34.8%	26.1%	26.1%	8.7%	4.3%	-	-	34.8%	60.9%	87%	95.7%	100%
Geography	40.9%	28.8%	22.7%	6.1%	1.5%	-	-	40.9%	69.7%	92.4%	98.5%	100%
German	48.1%	25.9%	22.2%	-	3.7%	-	-	48.1%	74.1%	96.3%	96.3%	100%
History	30.2%	39.5%	20.9%	9.3%	-	-	-	30.2%	69.8%	90.7%	100%	100%
Italian	-	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	100%	100%
Latin	40.9%	22.7%	27.3%	4.5%	4.5%	-	-	40.9%	63.6%	90.9%	95.5%	100%
Mathematics	40.7%	37.1%	15%	5%	2.1%	-	-	40.7%	77.9%	92.9%	97.9%	100%
Music	53.3%	26.7%	13.3%	6.7%	-	-	-	53.3%	80%	93.3%	100%	100%
Photography	15.4%	46.2%	23.1%	15.4%	-	-	-	15.4%	61.5%	84.6%	100%	100%
Physical Education	46.7%	36.7%	13.3%	3.3%	-	-	-	46.7%	83.3%	96.7%	100%	100%
Physics	46.2%	33.6%	14.3%	5%	0.8%	-	-	46.2%	79.8%	94.1%	99.2%	100%
Religious Studies	35.3%	32.4%	23.5%	-	2.9%	5.9%	-	35.3%	67.6%	91.2%	91.2%	100%
Russian	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Science	21.4%	31%	23.8%	19%	4.8%	-	-	21.4%	52.4%	76.2%	95.2%	100%
Spanish	36.7%	32.7%	18.4%	6.1%	6.1%	-	-	36.7%	69.4%	87.8%	93.9%	100%
Total	46.6%	28.9%	16.6%	6%	1.7%	0.2%	0%	46.6%	75.5%	92.1%	98.1%	100%



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Surbiton High Boys' Preparatory School - Leavers 2024

Surbiton High School prides itself on preparing its Prep Boys for their future senior schools. We are delighted to report another successful set of 11+ results, 96 offers, which includes 14 Scholarships

School	Number of Offers	Scholarship
American School of Bombay	1	
City of London Freeman's School	1	
Clapham Park School	1	
Claremont Fan Court School	16	6 Academic Scholarships
Coombe Boys' School	1	
Emanuel	1	
Epsom College	3	
Ewell Castle	1	
Grey Court School	1	
Halliford School	10	1 Music Scholarship
Hampton School	5	
Homefield Prep	1	
Ibstock Place School	2	
Kingston Grammar School	15	3 Sports Scholarship
King's College, Wimbledon	1	
Radnor House School	1	
Reed's School	13	
Royal Grammar School, Guildford	2	
St George's College	9	
St James School	2	1 Music Scholarship, 1 Sports Scholarship
St John's School	7	1 Sports Scholarship
Whitgift School	2	1 Music Scholarship

We are extremely proud of our boys' achievements, which is a result of their hard work and talent.



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Surbiton High Girls' Preparatory School – Leavers 2024

All 48 girls in Year 6 took the 11+ entrance examination for the High School. A large number applied for a variety of Scholarships at the High School, and they were awarded the following: 6 Academic, 4 Music, 2 Netball, 1 Hockey, 1 Tennis and 1 Drama scholarship. We had 3 girls not moving to the High School.

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