

150 TOP INDEPENDENT SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Ranking based on 2018 examination results with A*-B grades at A-level double weighted

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2018 Rank	2017 Rank	Town	A-Level A*-B (%)	GCSE A*/A 9/8/7 (%)	2018 Rank	2017 Rank	Town	A-Level A*-B (%)	GCSE A*/A 9/8/7 (%)		
1	1	St Paul's Girls' School	London	98.8	99.3	76	91	Ruthin School	Ruthin	90.4	65.4
2	7	City of London School for Girls	London	97.5	95.6	77	142	St George's Weybridge	Addlestone	84.7	76.1
3	3	King's College School, Wimbledon	London	96.8	96.4	78	74	Old Palace of John Whitgift School	Croydon	89.3	66.8
4	2	Wycombe Abbey School	High Wycombe	97.1	95.2	79	50=	Whitgift School	South Croydon	85.0	74.9
5	6	Magdalen College School	Oxford	96.7	95.2	80	109	Francis Holland School, Sloane Square	London	80.0	84.0
6	32	The Godolphin and Latymer School	London	95.4	97.6	81	71	The King's School, Chester	Chester	87.0	69.4
7	17	Brighton College	Brighton	98.7	90.4	82	76	King Edward VI School	Southampton	85.0	73.0
8	5	Westminster School	London	95.2	97.3	83	141	Churcher's College	Petersfield	87.8	65.7
9	4	Guildford High School	Guildford	94.5	97.5	84	81	St Helen's School	Northwood	80.3	79.7
10	9	St Paul's School	London	95.1	96.1	85	48=	Exeter School	Exeter	82.3	74.9
11	13	The Haberdashers' Aske's Boys' School	Elstree	96.0	93.5	86	62=	St John's College, Cardiff	Cardiff	86.7	66.0
12	16	North London Collegiate School	Edgware	93.9	97.2	87	97	Sir William Perkins's School	Chertsey	78.2	82.2
13=	14	The Perse School	Cambridge	95.1	94.2	88	101=	Queen's Gate School	London	78.9	80.6
13=	8	Sevenoaks School	Sevenoaks	95.8	92.7	89	110	Marlborough College	Marlborough	82.9	72.6
15	12	Eton College	Windsor	94.1	95.8	90	78	Norwich School	Norwich	83.6	70.8
16	29	St Mary's School Ascot	Ascot	92.8	97.8	91	90	Warwick School	Warwick	79.7	78.3
17	11	Haberdashers' Aske's School for Girls	Elstree	94.4	94.3	92	155	Brampton College	London	81.5	74.6
18	10	The Lady Eleanor Holles School	Hampton	95.0	93.0	93	98	Loughborough High School	Loughborough	79.1	79.2
19	39	Wimbledon High School GDST	London	93.8	93.6	94	66	King Edward's School	Bath	79.2	78.8
20	58=	Notting Hill and Ealing High School GDST	London	94.0	91.7	95	101=	Woldingham School	Caterham	85.0	67.1
21	21	Putney High School GDST	London	93.7	92.2	96	203	Godolphin School	Salisbury	85.7	64.7
22	15	Royal Grammar School, Guildford	Guildford	95.1	88.8	97	162	Farnborough Hill	Farnborough	87.4	60.9
23	54	Cheltenham Ladies' College	Cheltenham	93.0	92.5	98	121	St Peter's School	York	82.6	70.0
24	26	Winchester College	Winchester	93.3	91.1	99=	104	St John's School, Leatherhead	Leatherhead	80.0	74.7
25	28	Concord College	Shrewsbury	94.9	87.4	99=	156=	Burgess Hill Girls	Burgess Hill	80.0	74.7
26	23	King Edward VI High School for Girls	Birmingham	91.3	92.7	101	89	The King's School, Canterbury	Canterbury	81.1	72.3
27	22	Alley's School	London	91.6	92.0	102	168	St James Senior Girls' School	London	82.1	70.1
28	65	The Abbey School	Reading	93.3	88.0	103		Hampton Court House	East Molesey	74.3	84.9
29	19	St Helen and St Katharine	Abingdon	93.0	87.9	104	68	Badminton School	Bristol	72.9	87.3
30	30	James Allen's Girls' School	London	90.6	92.4	105	105	Bristol Grammar School	Bristol	83.6	65.8
31	24	Hampton School	Hampton	90.0	93.6	106	100	Chigwell School	Chigwell	79.7	73.4
32	47	Merchant Taylors' School	Northwood	92.9	87.2	107	85	Bradford Grammar School	Bradford	78.5	75.7
33	58=	Highgate School	London	89.9	92.4	108	73	The Queen's School	Chester	83.1	66.5
34	25	Withington Girls' School	Manchester	90.8	90.3	109	106	Uppingham School	Uppingham	80.4	71.0
35	27	Latymer Upper School	London	90.6	90.6	110	88	The Grange School	Northwich	79.0	72.8
36	75	Kingston Grammar School	Kingston upon Thames	93.3	83.8	111	92	Mayfield School	Mayfield	79.6	71.6
37	38	The Manchester Grammar School	Manchester	89.7	90.9	112	94	Bishop's Stortford College	Bishop's Stortford	82.8	64.9
38=	42	Trinity School	Tonbridge	89.1	91.0	113		Jersey College for Girls	St Saviour	81.8	66.3
38=	61	St Albans High School for Girls	St Albans	92.3	84.6	114		Nottingham Girls' High School GDST	Nottingham	80.8	68.0
40	41	Trinity School	Croydon	90.2	88.6	115	205=	St Dunstan's College	London	84.5	60.1
41	37	Bancroft's School	Woodford Green	91.4	85.7	116	274=	Repton School	Derby	81.3	66.1
42	43	Eltham College	London	91.1	84.5	117	144	Redmaids' High School	Bristol	80.1	68.3
43	34	St Catherine's, Bramley	Guildford	90.7	84.9	118	131	Bedford Modern School	Bedford	83.1	62.0
44=	36	Oxford High School GDST	Oxford	88.2	89.7	119=	188	Monkton Combe School	Bath	81.0	66.0
44=	33	University College School	London	89.0	88.0	119=	174=	Cranleigh School	Cranleigh	80.0	69.0
46	20	South Hampstead High School GDST	London	88.2	89.6	119=	72	Ibstock Place School	London	72.2	83.5
47	18	King Edward's School, Birmingham	Birmingham	90.4	84.6	122	115	Leicester Grammar School	Leicester	75.5	75.8
48	46	City of London School	London	87.1	90.8	123	133	Cheadle Hulme School	Cheadle	79.5	68.4
49	31	Queen Ethelburga's College	York	96.2	71.3	124	163	The King's School, Worcester	Worcester	77.1	72.8
50	58=	Channing School	London	88.6	84.8	125=	114	Queen Elizabeth's Hospital	Bristol	80.8	65.3
51	50=	Downe House	Thatcham	88.5	84.5	125=	127	Red's School	Cobham	78.0	71.0
52	57	Dulwich College	London	88.4	84.4	125=	161	Bolton School Girls' Division	Bolton	78.8	69.5
53	62=	Royal Grammar School, Newcastle	Newcastle upon Tyne	87.6	85.8	128	149	Dautsey's School	Devizes	77.4	71.7
54	45	St Albans School	St Albans	88.4	82.2	129	173	Northwood College for Girls GDST	Northwood	77.7	71.0
55=	48=	Reigate Grammar School	Reigate	89.3	79.7	130	137	Canford School	Wimborne	78.2	69.9
55=	44	City of London Freeman's School	Ashted	87.6	83.1	131	112	The Portsmouth Grammar School	Portsmouth	79.3	67.6
57	67	Abingdon School	Abingdon	87.0	83.9	132	93	Roedean School	Brighton	78.1	69.7
58	52	St Swithun's School	Winchester	87.8	80.9	133	224=	Howell's School, Llandaff GDST	Cardiff	74.4	63.9
59		Radley College	Abingdon	88.9	77.7	134	82	Francis Holland School, Regent's Park	London	75.7	74.0
60	69	Surbiton High School	Kingston upon Thames	87.5	78.9	135	136	Shrewsbury School	Shrewsbury	80.1	65.0
61	204	Westbourne School	Penarth	97.9	58.0	136	160	Bablake School	Coventry	74.0	76.2
62	56	Manchester High School for Girls	Manchester	92.8	68.0	137	125=	Fettes College	Edinburgh	76.9	70.3
63	80	Rugby School	Rugby	85.7	81.8	138	143	Cheltenham College	Cheltenham	77.0	69.3
64	138=	King's High School	Warwick	89.7	73.2	139	138=	The Grammar School at Leeds	Leeds	75.4	71.8
65	77	Oundle School	Peterborough	85.1	82.2	140	183	Truro High School for Girls	Truro	83.3	55.6
66	84	Benenden School	Cranbrook	86.0	80.3	141=	231=	St Gabriel's School	Newbury	81.8	58.1
67	55	Caterham School	Caterham	85.8	80.4	141=	123	Monmouth School for Girls	Monmouth	76.2	69.3
68	70	Epsom College	Epsom	87.1	77.1	143	99	The Maynard School	Exeter	80.4	60.6
69	83	Ardingly College	Haywards Heath	87.0	75.7	144=	151=	Hurtwood House	Dorking	86.1	49.1
70	120	Queen's College London	London	89.1	71.1	144=	179	Malvern St James Girls' School	Great Malvern	79.8	61.7
71	79	Nottingham High School	Nottingham	88.4	72.2	146	177	Merchiston Castle School	Edinburgh	77.4	66.4
72	35	St Mary's Calne	Calne	84.0	80.0	147=		Bedford Girls' School	Bedford	75.0	71.0
73	64	Headington School	Oxford	81.9	83.8	147=	145	The Royal High School Bath GDST	Bath	76.2	68.5
74	40	Stephen Perse Senior School	Cambridge	82.7	81.3	149	129	Colfe's School	London	79.6	61.5
75	86	St Michael's School	Llanelli	88.5	69.4	150	174=	Forest School	London	71.6	76.8