

# KEY STAGE 4 RESULTS 2022

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The Children's Hospital School are incredibly proud of their GCSE results and the hard work, dedication and resilience that our students have shown despite their medical needs and personal daily challenges. Our Year 11 students have missed a significant amount of their education through illness yet all of them have managed to achieve at least two qualifications.

Below is a summary of our GCSE results. For a more detailed report please contact the school who will be able to provide you with a copy of the Exams 2022 Report.

In a small cohort, one student represents a large percentage. The profile of students can change dramatically year on year. Students at Children's Hospital School do not all take the same GCSE subjects and number of qualifications – students are entered for GCSE based on their individual needs with their health being paramount.

In 2022 examinations took place for the first time following the cancellation during the pandemic. The Department of Education provided advanced information to support students with their revision, as well as there being adaptations to some courses, such as reduced content.

## GCSE Outcomes

The table below shows the percent of 9 to 4 and 9 to 1 achieved at GCSE subjects, for Y11, offered at Willow Bank. They are compared with the national performance in those subjects.

### Grades 9 – 1

Subject	Willow Bank Students Grades 9 to 1 (cumulative%)	National Performance Grades 9 to 1 (cumulative %)
English	100	98.7
English Literature	100	98.4
Mathematics	100	97.4
Science: Double Award	100	98
Art and Design Subjects	100	99.6
Media / Film / TV Studies	100	98.1
<b>All Subjects</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>98.4</b>

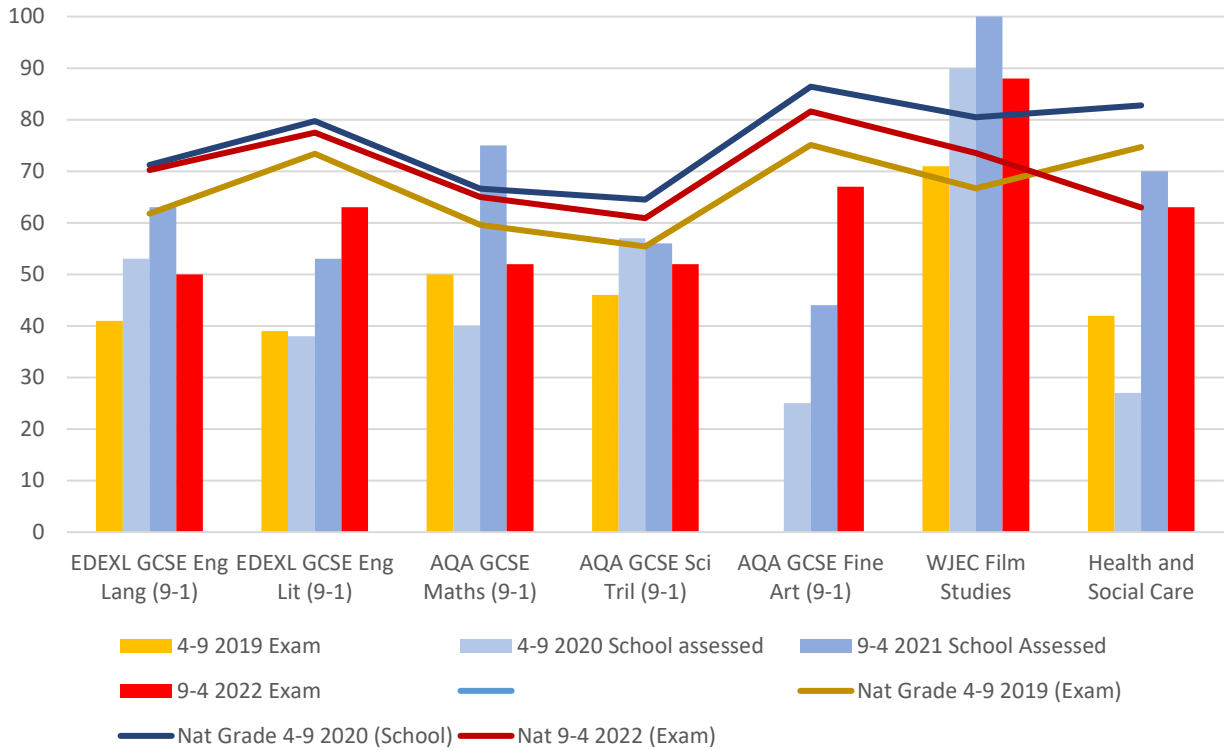
## Grades 9 to 4

Subject	Willow Bank Students Grades 9 to 4 (cumulative%)	National Performance Grades 9 to 4 (cumulative %)
English	50	70
English Literature	63	78
Mathematics	52	65
Science: Double Award	55	61
Art and Design Subjects	67	82
Media / Film / TV Studies	88	74
Health and Social Care	63	63
<b>All Subjects</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>73</b>

## Grades 9 to 7

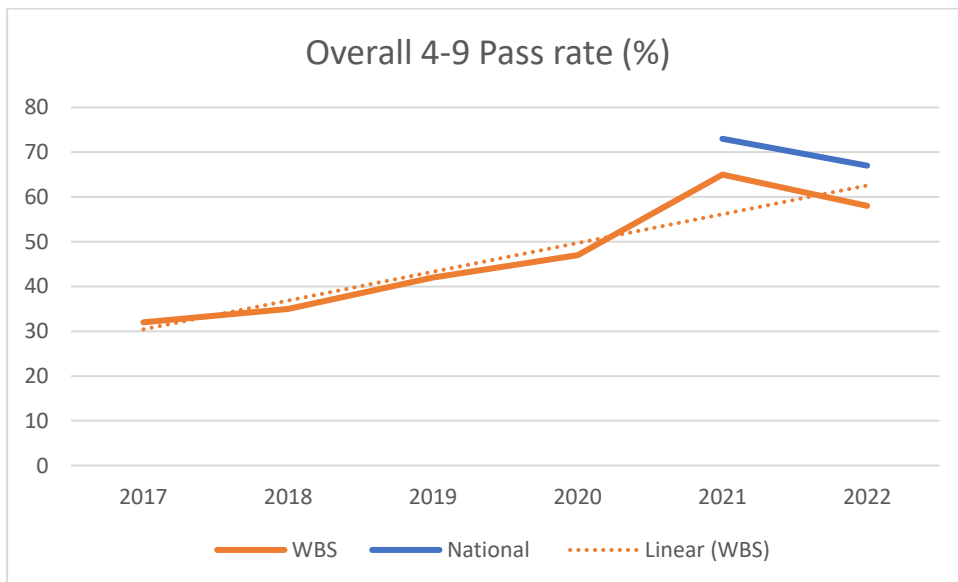
Subject	Willow Bank Students Grades 9 to 7 (cumulative%)	National Performance Grades 9 to 7 (cumulative %)
English	9	20.4
English Literature	11	24.1
Mathematics	10	20.1
Science: Double Award	18	10.7
Art and Design Subjects	33	28.4
Media / Film / TV Studies	25	23.7
Health and Social Care	25	20
<b>All Subjects</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>26.3</b>

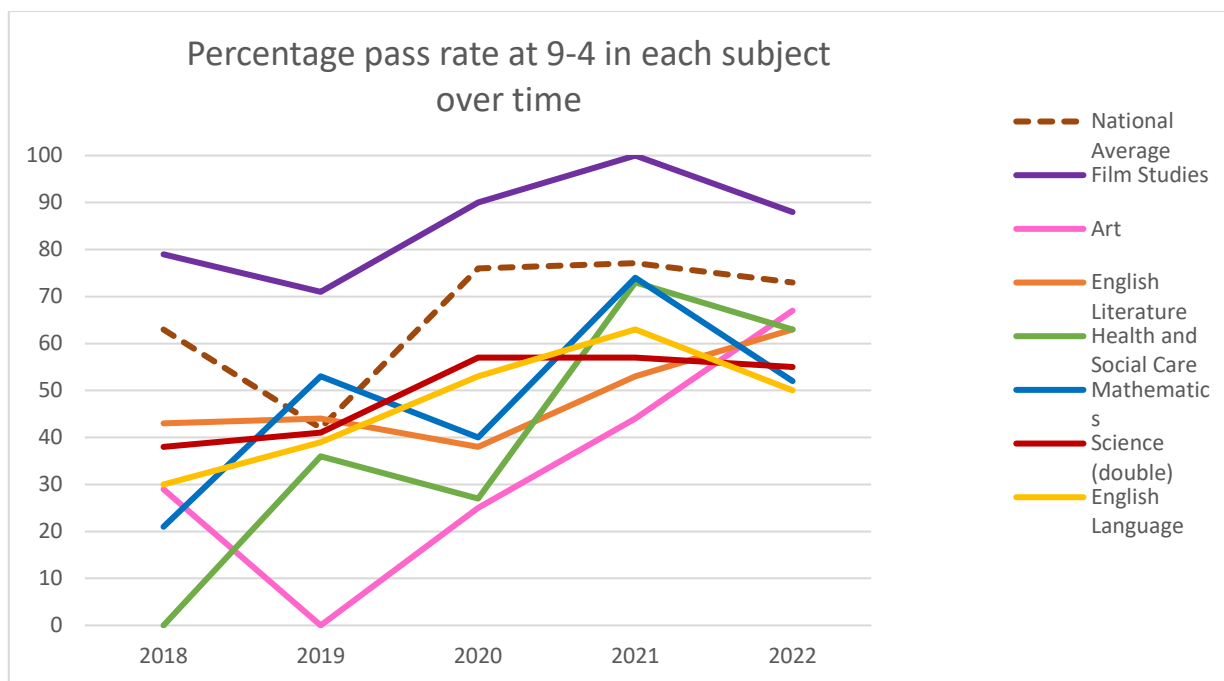
Percentage of grades 9-4 over time at WBS (columns) and National performance at grades 9-4 (lines)



## GCSE Pass Rate

The percentage of GCSEs that were passed at 4 (standard pass) and above has risen over the last five years, although there has been a drop since last year's awards. This drop was expected and matches the drop in the national performance, now that exams are in place





There is an overall trend showing results are improving. Film has maintained the excellent results achieved. Other subjects are clustered just below national average, and although they are below, we are narrowing the gap.

Results of note is the improvement in **Art** (pink line) which is on a strong upward trajectory and **English Literature** (Orange) which is improving while including almost all year 11 students in their entries. Except for mathematics, subjects have improved since the exams of 2019. Mathematics has remained about the same. Nationally, a lower proportion of students reach grade 4 in Mathematics and Science than in our other subjects and the Willow Bank results are in line with the national picture. English, Maths and Science have similar proportions achieving a grade 4 or above. The average grade in these subjects is also similar, though lower in mathematics.

## Vocational Results 2022

In addition to GCSEs students were able to access additional qualifications:

- BCS Level 1 Award in IT User Skills (ICDL Essentials) - Level 1 (Pass/Fail)
- BCS Level 2 Certificate (ICDL Essentials) - Level 2 (Pass/Fail)
- Award in Number and Measure Level 1 (Pass/Fail)
- Functional Skills English - Entry Level 1 (Pass/ Fail)
- Functional Skills Maths - Level 1 (Pass/ Fail) and Entry Level 1 (Pass/ Fail)
- Entry Level Science - EL1, EL2, EL3
- TCL Arts Award – Level 1

All these qualifications help to offer a broad curriculum to CHS students. They can be especially useful for ensuring students who, through illness have missed too much to contemplate a GCSE entry, are able to achieve some form of qualification in order to ensure a future pathway.

Qualification	No of Entries	Pass rate	Number of Results		
			Level 2	Level 1	Entry Level
BCS Level 1 Award in IT	6	100%		6 passes	
BCS Level 2 EDCL	3	100%	3 passes		
Award in Mathematics: Number and Measure	6	83%		5 passes	
Functional Skills English	2	100%			EL 1 -2 passes
Functional Skills Maths	8	100%		5 passes	EL 1 -3 passes
Entry Level Science	3	67%			EL 3 - 2 passes
Arts Award	5	100%		5 passes	