

End of Cycle 2017 Data Resources

DR2_045_05 Acceptances by A level points and UK country

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Statistic: Number of Acceptances

Variables: Achieved A level point score, Applicant Domicile (High Level), Cycle Year

Coverage: Applied before June deadline, UK domiciled (excluding Scotland) 18 year olds and hold at least 3 A levels

Definitions

Achieved A level point score

A points score attached to the highest 3 A level grades achieved by the applicant as identified either on application or through awarding body linkage process. The following points per grade are used in the calculation: A* = 6, A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, D = 2, E = 1. A Level Double Award grades are included, AS level grades are not included. This value is not updated beyond the end of the application cycle for each applicant. (I.e. if an applicant applied in the 2010 cycle with one A level grade 'C', but went on to obtain a further two A levels in 2011, the value for the applicant applying in 2010 would remain 3.) This is only relevant for 18 year-old applicants domiciled in England, Northern Ireland and Wales, any applicants outside of this cohort will be assigned the value 'Not applicable'. These scores are calculated purely for analytical purposes and do not relate to the UCAS tariff.

Applicant Domicile (High Level)

Applicant's area of permanent residence summarised at a high level, individual UK country. This variable is derived from domicile as declared by the applicant and does not guarantee fee status. See the additional technical notes at www.ucas.com for coverage and trends for Scotland.

Cycle Year

The cycle in which the application was processed.

Number of Acceptances

Acceptance is defined as an applicant who has been placed for entry into higher education.

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Achieved A level point score, Applicant Domicile (High Level)		Number of Acceptances by Cycle Year							
		2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
3 points	England	190	145	105	155	150	140	150	165
	Northern Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Wales	15	10	10	5	5	5	5	0
4 points	England	750	615	625	585	670	645	680	725
	Northern Ireland	10	0	5	5	5	0	5	5
	Wales	50	30	30	30	25	25	35	30
5 points	England	2,020	1,685	1,670	1,710	1,805	1,795	1,885	2,080
	Northern Ireland	35	25	20	25	15	15	15	15
	Wales	110	80	90	75	75	100	90	75
6 points	England	4,170	3,610	3,525	3,560	3,905	3,845	3,890	4,125
	Northern Ireland	80	55	65	75	35	30	30	40
	Wales	220	170	195	170	175	190	205	170
7 points	England	6,675	6,320	6,030	6,070	6,360	6,560	6,605	6,740
	Northern Ireland	170	135	150	200	115	110	115	115
	Wales	380	335	305	300	285	315	335	310
8 points	England	9,260	9,340	8,655	8,710	9,105	9,520	9,565	9,655
	Northern Ireland	290	295	280	345	295	210	240	225
	Wales	550	505	505	465	455	455	495	460
9 points	England	12,105	12,475	11,400	11,590	11,565	12,280	12,540	12,550
	Northern Ireland	530	470	505	540	520	395	475	410
	Wales	665	685	600	605	595	640	620	600
10 points	England	13,370	14,365	13,300	13,615	13,310	14,090	14,115	14,415
	Northern Ireland	665	685	665	730	760	645	680	625
	Wales	810	730	680	700	715	705	745	655
11 points	England	14,060	14,875	14,080	14,415	14,045	15,030	15,130	15,545
	Northern Ireland	825	830	885	880	910	830	835	800
	Wales	785	775	750	765	755	750	710	665
12 points	England	14,660	15,565	14,785	15,460	14,980	15,680	15,915	15,590
	Northern Ireland	975	965	1,020	1,095	995	1,005	970	960
	Wales	830	765	800	740	700	800	775	660
13 points	England	14,200	14,720	14,560	14,835	14,275	14,565	14,710	14,685
	Northern Ireland	945	1,000	960	1,010	955	1,035	920	940
	Wales	720	700	735	695	635	665	700	600
14 points	England	13,175	13,745	13,255	13,300	12,810	12,940	13,020	12,845
	Northern Ireland	900	900	880	875	825	860	835	845
	Wales	635	635	615	605	555	565	565	540
15 points	England	13,255	13,375	12,925	12,745	11,700	11,935	11,855	11,915
	Northern Ireland	915	960	810	845	735	650	715	665
	Wales	630	595	590	520	555	505	460	470

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		2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
16 points	England	9,810	10,380	9,705	9,520	9,210	9,415	9,410	9,090
	Northern Ireland	630	545	530	490	435	450	460	435
	Wales	410	420	400	350	330	330	365	370
17 points	England	5,815	6,180	5,770	5,620	5,960	6,100	5,850	5,835
	Northern Ireland	325	305	295	255	235	260	240	280
	Wales	235	200	200	190	230	240	190	235
18 points	England	4,475	4,975	4,830	4,590	4,820	4,925	4,420	4,925
	Northern Ireland	255	240	175	165	200	195	195	200
	Wales	150	165	145	130	155	160	165	185
Total		152,735	156,580	149,125	150,370	147,935	152,620	152,930	153,485