#### **WORCESTERSHIRE** SECONDARY SCHOOLS LEAGUE TABLES

SCHOOLS INSIDE THE WORCESTER NEWS CIRCULATION AREA ONLY

	A	В	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	F	G	Н
ABBEY COLLEGE, MALVERN	12	8%	17%	17%	131.8	_	_	-
BISHOP PEROWNE CE COLLEGE, WORCESTER	206	54%	76%	54%	433.8	988.2	4.6%	-
BLESSED EDWARD OLDCORNE CATHOLIC COLL, WORCESTER	208	75%	94%	92%	533.2	1016.4	2.8%	-
BOWBROOK HOUSE SCHOOL, PERSHORE	25	52%	56%	16%	350.1	-	-	-
BREDON SCHOOL	35	17%	60%	29%	331.4	-	-	-
THE CHASE, MALVERN	270	56%	68%	60%	476.3	993	4.7%	821.3
CHRISTOPHER WHITEHEAD LANGUAGE COLL, WORCESTER	194	42%	64%	54%	409.3	993	2.4%	-
DODDERHILL SCHOOL, DROITWICH	23	96%	96%	96%	472.4	-	-	-
DROITWICH SPA HIGH SCHOOL	287	49%	61%	46%	393.6	971.9	5.2%	764.7
DYSON PERRINS CE SPORTS COLLEGE, MALVERN	152	51%	84%	55%	470	986.7	3.3%	630
EVESHAM HIGH SCHOOL	226	46%	80%	40%	462	992.4	3%	735.1
HANLEY CASTLE HIGH SCHOOL	150	66%	81%	61%	498.7	1001.4	3%	782.8
THE KING'S SCHOOL, WORCESTER	133	0%	99%	98%	455.5	-	-	932.7
MALYERN COLLEGE	139	35%	61%	0%	274.8	-	-	1010.9
MALVERN ST JAMES	47	0%	94%	87%	452.8	-	-	957.7
MARTLEY, THE CHANTRY HIGH SCHOOL	137	78%	88%	75%	558.3	1014.7	1.8%	-
NEW ELIZABETHAN SCHOOL, KIDDERMINSTER	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NUNNERY WOOD HIGH SCHOOL, WORCESTER	268	66%	87%	88%	471.5	1006.2	3.1%	-
PERSHORE HIGH SCHOOL	243	61%	75%	67%	445.8	1004.4	2.5%	754.2
PRINCE HENRY'S HIGH SCHOOL, EVESHAM	303	67%	88%	66%	530.2	1015.4	4.3%	837.2
THE RIVER SCHOOL, WORCESTER	10	-	-	-	_	_	-	-
THE ROYAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL WORCESTER	146	89%	92%	91%	433.8	-	-	862.9
ST MARY'S CONVENT SCHOOL, WORCESTER	33	82%	88%	88%	503.2	-	-	730.7
SAINT MICHAEL'S COLLEGE, TENBURY WELLS	24	0%	0%	0%	60.2	-	-	723
THE STOURPORT HIGH SCHOOL AND SIXTH FORM	224	55%	75%	15%	403.8	1009.5	4.7%	734.4
TENBURY HIGH SCHOOL, TENBURY WELLS	82	49%	61%	67%	376	987.6	4%	-
TUDOR GRANGE ACADEMY WORCESTER	163	28%	82%	85%	435.6	1001.2	12.4%	-
NEW COLLEGE WORCESTER	12	67%	67%	58%	354.9	-	-	-
REGENCY HIGH SCHOOL, WORCESTER	15	0%	0%	0%	7.6	950.6	-	-
RIVERSIDES SCHOOL, WORCESTER	20	0%	0%	0%	57.1	969.6	-	-
VALE OF EVESHAM SCHOOL, EVESHAM	13	0%	0%	0%	40.5	985.7	-	-
WORCESTER COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	621.1
WORCESTER SIXTH FORM COLLEGE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	762
SOUTH WORCESTERSHIRE COLLEGE, EVESHAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	486.1
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KEY: A, Number of pupils at the end of key stage 4. B, Percentage of pupils achieving level 2 (5+ A\*-C or equivalents) including A\*-C in both English and mathematics GCSEs. C, Percentage of pupils achieving level 2 (5+ A\*-C or equivalents). D, Percentage of pupils who have achieved two grades A\*-C or equivalents which cover the KS4 science programme of study. E, Average total (uncapped) points score per pupil. F, Contextual value added measure based on progress between key stage 2 and key stage 4. G, Percentage of pupils in school with persistent absence. H, The Alevel points score per candidate.

# Mixed results for schools and colleges in A-levels

COLLEGES and schools in Worcestershire had a mixed performance when it came to A-level results last year.

In the county, the overall total point score for 2010 equates to 704.5, which has dropped slightly from 707.7 in 2009.

It is also lower than the average point score nationally per candidate who entered for level 3 qualifications which stands at 732.9, this average being lower than the previous year's national figure of 739.3.

A spokesman for Worcestershire County Council said: "In terms of A-levels, the initial figures show that the average point score per student has remained more or less constant." Michael Kitkatt, principal of

Worcester Sixth Form College, said that while the performance figures were down slightly on last year they were still very proud of their performance.

In 2010, the college, in Spetchley Road, got an average point score per student of 762.0, while in 2009 it got 790.7.

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But Mr Kitkatt said they were still on an "upward trend".

"While it is not quite as good as last year, where we had an exceptional year, we still did well. We are on an upward trend from the year before that. We are very experienced at A-levels, we had 617 at the end of the A-level year achieving the exams, and they worked very hard for that. Our staff also are

### TRUANCY FIGURES

WORCESTER'S academy school Tudor Grange is among the worst 200 schools for persistent absence, figures today show.

The school, on Bilford Road, which transformed from the troubled Elgar Technology College in September 2009, fell into the table this year for the amount of pupils who were persistently absent from class.

The school had 12.4 per cent of pupils persistently absent compared to the county average of 3.8 per cent.

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Headteacher Claire Maclean they were still experiencing absences in the older age group but the situation was improving in the younger year groups. "The figures reflect what the situation was but we are not resting on this and we are dealing with those who are

very experienced at teaching students A-levels and Btech's. So we are very proud of the staff and students who have worked so hard yet again.

He added: "If you look at our value added scores too, students are performing better than the national statistics, which we are also very proud of."

Private schools in the area were way above the national average. The King's School, achieved a figure of 932.7 and RGS absent as we know who they are. We have two full time members of staff who deal with this situation.

"They do home visits each day to students who don't attend. Parents are also fully informed on the situation. We are also focusing on getting the curriculum right.

"If the student feels they are making progress, they are more likely to attend," she added.

A spokesman for Worcestershire county council said: "Attendance figures show an improvement with overall absence falling from 7.4 per cent in 2009 to 6.6 per cent in 2010.

The number of pupils who have 80 per cent or less attendance, or "persistent absence" fell from 6.2 per cent to 3.8 per cent."

Worcester 862.9. The King's School deputy headteacher Sue Hincks said: "We are delighted with the number of A\* at A-levels we received, which was 21.5 per cent, with the national average lying at eight per cent. We had a number of pupils achieving excellent grades in the key subjects."

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Rattue added: "I'm delighted
with our performance, particularly in the strategically important and vulnerable subjects."

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