







Slough Consortium of Grammar Schools Admission to Year 7 in September 2022

Frequently Asked Questions regarding Admission Test Results.

PLEASE NOTE: The schools will <u>not</u> be able to give any further information about test results other than the individual test score that you have received online. In particular, please note that the Slough Consortium does not hold the raw scores for any candidate.

How do I access my child's 11+ examination results?

Results are available online at www.sloughconsortium.org.uk. You will need the wsw.sloughconsortium.org.uk. You will need the wsw.sloughconsortium.org.uk<

What is the eligibility mark for admission to Year 7 in September 2022?

A score of 111 or greater means that a pupil is *eligible to be considered* for a grammar school place if they apply.

My child has achieved a score of 111 or above – will they be offered a place?

If a grammar school is oversubscribed, i.e. has more applicants than it has places available, places will be offered according to the criteria set out in the individual schools admissions policy. A score of 111 in itself is therefore not a guarantee of a place.

How many candidates sat the 2021 entrance test for the Slough Consortium for entry in September 2022

Approximately 3800 sat the test at a Slough Consortium grammar school. Approximately 300 sat the test at another venue and requested that their scores be shared with the Slough Consortium.

What was the range of standardised scores in the 2021 entrance test for September 2022 entry?

CEM, the test providers have advised that this year the range of average standardised scores is 35 - 136.

For 2021 entry, what was the lowest mark achieved by a candidate who was offered a place at one of the Slough Consortium schools?

Please read Statistics Summary which can be found on the schools' websites and with your online results letter.

When must I submit my Common Application Form?

The CAF deadline is 31st October 2021. If there are exceptional circumstances that mean you wish to change your preferences after this date you must contact your Local Authority.

What are my child's raw scores for the tests?

The Slough Consortium of Grammar schools does not hold this information.

Can I see my child's test papers?

It is not possible to see any candidate's test papers. Question books and answer sheets are not in the public domain in order to safeguard the integrity of the test. All documentation remains the property of CEM the test providers.

My child sat the test at Kendrick Schools and their standardised test result is different from Slough Consortium. Why?

Some parents may be considering including Kendrick School in addition to Slough grammar schools on the CAF. The Slough Consortium of Grammar Schools and Kendrick School used the same test on the same day, and it was not possible for students to sit the test more than once. However, parents whose children sat the test at Kendrick School may have requested that the raw score is shared for inclusion in the Slough Consortium of Grammar Schools standardisation. Similarly, parents whose children sat the test at the Slough Consortium may have requested that the raw score is shared for inclusion in the Kendrick School standardisation. In order for scores to be shared, candidates had to register at each school as part of their admission policy.

In either of these cases, parents will subsequently receive two sets of results, one from the Slough Consortium and the other from Kendrick School. These standardised results may be different, as the same raw score is being compared to those of a different cohort of children.

PLEASE NOTE: Scores cannot be retrospectively shared if this hadn't been requested at the time of registration.

I would like my child's paper remarked – what do I do?

The test provider CEM is responsible for marking the papers and does not offer a re-mark service. The marking system is accurate and fair with scanning work compliant with requirements of 99.9% guaranteed reading accuracy and 100% re-duplication of data.

If you have a query regarding your child's results or appeal process you should, in the first instance, discuss this with the school where your child sat the test, who may advise you on the correct course of action.

When will I know if my child has a place in a Slough Consortium grammar school?

Offers of school places will be made by your local authority on Tuesday 1st March 2022.

How do I appeal?

Information about the appeals process will be provided with the school allocation information, on 1st March 2022. Information about making an appeal to a Slough grammar school will also appear on the Slough Consortium of Grammar schools' websites after 1st March 2022. **There will be no Consortium appeals before then.** Any school to which a parent wishes to appeal <u>must</u> be named on the Common Application Form.

What do I need to do now?

Read the Admissions Policy for any of the schools in which you are interested to ensure you are eligible to apply. The Admissions Policies can be found on the websites of each school, which can be accessed using the links below.

You should have completed your CAF by 31st October 2021. Please check with your local authority if you wish to make any amendments

Contact details for Slough Consortium schools		
Herschel Grammar School	Northampton Avenue, Slough	Tel: 01753 520950
	SL1 3BW	www.herschel.slough.sch.uk
Langley Grammar School	Reddington Drive, Langley	Tel: 01753 598300
	SL3 7QS	www.lgs.slough.sch.uk
St Bernard's Catholic Grammar School	1 Langley Road, Slough	Tel: 01753 527020
	SL3 7AF	www.st-bernards.slough.sch.uk
Upton Court Grammar School	Lascelles Road, Upton	Tel: 01753 522892
	SL3 7PR	www.uptoncourtgrammar.org.uk