

Outstanding Results!



By - Zara Islam - Media & Marketing Manager

Results day 2018 for both GCSE and A-Level saw Swanlea students achieved outstanding results!

A huge well done to all our students who have achieved amazing GCSE results!

Swanlea has achieved an estimated progress 8 score of +0.4 and a provisional attainment 8 score of 48.6, both of which are much higher than the national average!

English and Maths results were superb, with 73% of students achieving a good pass and 51% of students achieving a strong pass!

Maud McLaughlin was also one of only 732 in the country who achieved the exceptional results of

straight 9s in all her subjects!

Also it's another well done to all our year 13 students who received amazing results for their A- Level exams.

Below is a list of what some of our top achievers will be doing next:

Tarin Pasha – 3As – Government & Politics at LSE

Nadiyah Shah 1A*, 1A, 1C – Architecture at Kent University

Barwaqo Jama – 1 A + 2 Bs – Economics at SOAS

Hamza Rashid – 1 A + 2 Bs – Computer Science at Queen Mary University

Yasmine Boujdi – 1 A, 1 B, 1 C – Economics at Queen Mary University

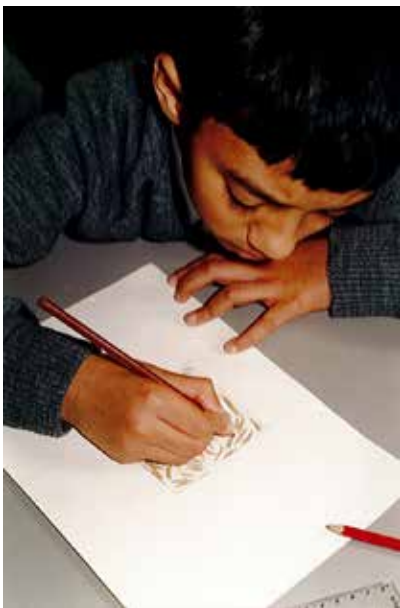
Shumana Begum – 1A, 1B, 1C – Psychology at Queen Mary University

Finally, our BTEC students did incredibly well too, with majority of our students achieving a Distinction* (D*) or/and Distinction (D)!

We are incredibly proud of the achievements of our students and wish them all the best at university.

Congratulations to all our students and thank you to all our staff, parents/carers and governors for their support this year.

25 Years of Swanlea



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Swanlea School is celebrating 25 years of outstanding education! In 1993 the doors of Swanlea opened to the community and from having only one year group of students, we now have grown to include years 7-11 and a separate sixth form, teaching 1300 students from the ages of 11 to 18.

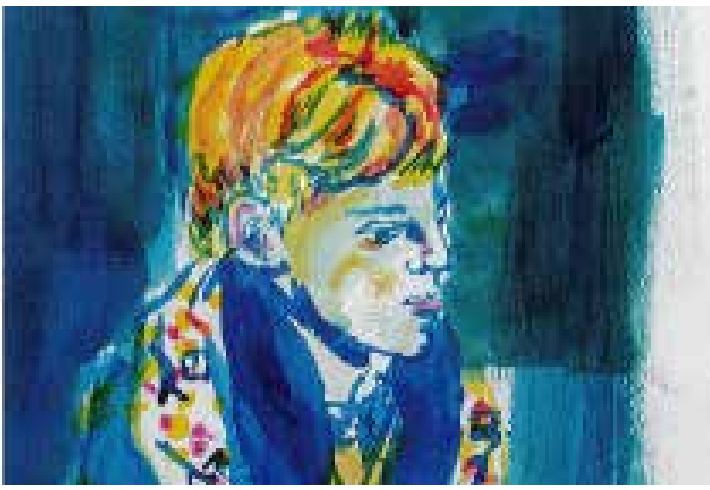
Swanlea has evolved into a diverse community of learners and teachers and we are incredibly proud of all that we have achieved. From amazing GCSE results to our outstanding sixth form, we continue to strive to inspire all our students to be the best that they can be.

To launch the celebrations of our silver anniversary, we have created an exhibition both in our school and in the Ideas Store, Whitechapel. The exhibition shows what Brady Street was like before Swanlea to how it is now and what we hope our future will be like. The exhibition will be running until the end of the month.

We will be continuing the celebrations throughout the year, getting our students involved and collecting significant items that represent what Swanlea is now to put into a new time capsule. The time capsule will be buried later on

in the academic year. We can't wait to dig around and collect interesting stories from our alumni!





Young Artist at Swanlea!

By Anna Da Conceicao
- KS5 Career Co-ordinator

Year 13 student, Michelle Mendieta Mean's artwork has been chosen to represent and publicise the Royal Drawing School Young Artists' Exhibition 2018.

Her work has been printed on flyers and posters all around East London, Shoreditch, Old Street and on the Royal Drawing School's website.

Michelle's artwork will be on display and for sale until 29th September.

A huge well done to Michelle, we are all very proud of this achievement!

Family Fun Day!

By Simon Mustafa - Media Resource Officer

On Saturday 15th September 2018, Swanlea School opened its doors to the community for their annual Family Fun Day. For the past 6 years Swanlea has been host to a number of family friendly activities, from face-painting, a Segway race course, wall climbing, bouncy castles, art & crafts and lots more, all for free!

Family Fun Day is a fantastic way for families in the community to get to know each other in a fun and friendly environment. Children were given the opportunity to make new friends and parents were able to give their children a chance to experience a variety of activities as well as get involved themselves!

This year's number of guests was the highest ever, with over 700 children and parents attending! What a great way to start off the year!



Bursary Winners!

By Asma Khatun- Head of Sixth Form

The Swanlea Sixth Form Governors Bursary was introduced in 2017 and this year was awarded to 4 successful year 13 students.

The winners are Syeda Tarin Pasha, who is going on to study Government & Politics at the London School of Economics, Hamza Shahid Rashid, who is going on to study Computer Science at Queen Mary University, Mohammed Mahfuz Hussain, who is going to study Computer Science at Goldsmiths University and Barwaqo Jama (not pictured), studying Economics at SOAS.

Well done to all our winners and we wish them every success in their future endeavours!

Music Grades Success!

By Janet Coulson -Head of Performing and Visual Arts

In the final week of summer term, our outstanding musicians sat their Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music exams and we are pleased to announce that all of them passed with flying colours!

(L-R) Marlon Mootoo 9N Trumpet, Agnes McLaughlin 10A Piano, Maya Khan 9C Piano, Fardin Islam 9N Trumpet, Mohamed Amin 9N Baritone.

Our students worked very hard to achieve these grades. They have worked really hard, putting in the effort to practise their instruments everyday. We are really proud of all that they have achieved and can't wait to see them progress further.

A huge well done to them all!



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