

Five-Year Diploma Examination Results

Province: Alberta

English Lang Arts 30-1

	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
Number of Students	29,479	29,034	28,788	28,166	29,730
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	30.6	30.7	30.7	31.9	32.2
Acceptable Standard (%)	97.2	97.1	97.2	97.5	97.8
Average (%)	72.1	72.1	72.1	72.5	72.8
Standard Deviation (%)	11.8	11.8	11.8	11.7	11.6
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	11.3 =	10.4 =	11.8 +	11.4 =	10.7 =
Acceptable Standard (%)	86.3 +	85.9 =	87.6 +	86.5 =	86.8 =
Average (%)	63.7	63.4	64.3	63.9	63.7
Standard Deviation (%)	12.8	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.6

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Five-Year Diploma Examination Results

Province: Alberta

English Lang Arts 30-2

	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
Number of Students	14,685	15,383	15,985	16,391	16,707
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	11.1	11.8	13.5	13.4	13.2
Acceptable Standard (%)	93.4	93.8	94.7	94.4	95.6
Average (%)	64.9	65.4	66.2	66.1	66.5
Standard Deviation (%)	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.3
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	10.7 +	10.9 +	13.1 +	11.2 =	12.3 =
Acceptable Standard (%)	89.6 +	89.4 =	89.8 =	88.6 -	89.1 =
Average (%)	65.1	65.1	65.9	65.0	65.5
Standard Deviation (%)	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.4

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French Lang Arts 30-1

	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
Number of Students	1,210	1,254	1,208	1,278	1,282
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	48.3	47.8	50.8	47.4	50.9
Acceptable Standard (%)	98.8	99.1	99.2	99.1	99.5
Average (%)	77.0	77.2	77.8	77.2	78.3
Standard Deviation (%)	11.2	10.5	10.5	10.3	10.4
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	13.5	12.4	14.6	9.9	8.7
Acceptable Standard (%)	95.6	95.4	96.6	95.5	93.8
Average (%)	67.5	67.3	68.2	66.5	65.5
Standard Deviation (%)	10.7	10.6	10.3	10.1	10.5

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Français 30-1

	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
Number of Students	143	154	137	129	153
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	36.4	44.8	40.1	41.1	52.9
Acceptable Standard (%)	100.0	100.0	98.5	99.2	99.3
Average (%)	74.3	76.5	75.1	75.9	78.8
Standard Deviation (%)	10.7	10.1	11.5	9.8	10.0
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	18.9	18.2	29.2	17.1	20.3
Acceptable Standard (%)	96.5	96.8	99.3	95.3	99.3
Average (%)	69.2	71.3	73.0	69.0	70.7
Standard Deviation (%)	11.1	10.1	11.0	10.9	9.8

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Five-Year Diploma Examination Results

Province: Alberta

Mathematics 30-1

	2011/2012	2012/2012*	2012/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016**
	2011/2012	2012/2013*	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016**
Number of Students	n/a	19,897	21,358	20,951	20,492
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	n/a	44.2	46.1	49.0	50.7
Acceptable Standard (%)	n/a	95.9	95.6	95.9	96.4
Average (%)	n/a	74.9	75.5	76.3	77.0
Standard Deviation (%)	n/a	14.3	14.4	14.4	14.4
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	n/a	35.9	27.9	31.6	25.9
Acceptable Standard (%)	n/a	80.9	75.1	76.1	70.7
Average (%)	n/a	69.1	64.2	65.6	62.2
Standard Deviation (%)	n/a	20.3	20.4	21.1	21.2

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Five-Year Diploma Examination Results

Province: Alberta

Mathematics 30-2

	2011/2012	2012/2013*	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016**
Number of Students	n/a	9,692	11,991	12,591	13,631
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	n/a	18.9	21.1	23.8	24.9
Acceptable Standard (%)	n/a	91.6	92.8	93.2	94.7
Average (%)	n/a	66.6	67.5	68.4	69.2
Standard Deviation (%)	n/a	13.1	13.1	13.4	13.0
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	n/a	9.7	15.0	15.5	16.8
Acceptable Standard (%)	n/a	69.5	71.3	73.9	75.4
Average (%)	n/a	57.7	60.2	60.4	61.6
Standard Deviation (%)	n/a	16.2	17.8	17.1	16.9

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Social Studies 30-1

	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
Number of Students	23,542	22,478	22,050	21,080	22,494
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	35.9	37.7	37.6	39.2	40.8
Acceptable Standard (%)	98.5	98.6	98.6	98.8	99.0
Average (%)	73.9	74.3	74.4	74.8	75.2
Standard Deviation (%)	11.3	11.2	11.2	11.0	10.9
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	16.7 +	15.2 -	14.2 -	16.2 +	14.3 -
Acceptable Standard (%)	86.3 +	85.4 +	85.6 +	87.1 +	84.9 -
Average (%)	65.2	64.8	64.6	65.5	64.1
Standard Deviation (%)	13.8	13.7	13.5	13.5	13.6

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Five-Year Diploma Examination Results

Province: Alberta

Social Studies 30-2

	2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
Number of Students	17,308	18,232	19,249	19,698	19,790
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	13.9	15.1	16.9	17.6	17.5
Acceptable Standard (%)	94.0	94.3	94.3	95.2	95.6
Average (%)	65.8	66.2	66.7	67.2	67.3
Standard Deviation (%)	12.0	12.0	12.3	12.1	12.1
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	13.7 -	13.7 =	14.8 =	12.5 -	13.1 =
Acceptable Standard (%)	83.0 -	82.2 -	83.9 =	81.3 -	81.1 -
Average (%)	63.6	63.5	64.3	63.0	63.0
Standard Deviation (%)	13.9	14.2	14.1	14.2	14.5

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Biology 30

2011/2012	2012/2013	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016*
23,390	22,429	21,733	21,256	22,539
42.0	42.9	43.6	45.2	47.0
96.1	96.0	96.2	96.4	97.1
74.2	74.4	74.7	75.2	75.9
13.8	13.9	13.8	13.8	13.7
28.2 =	32.2 +	31.8 +	33.0 +	32.4 =
81.9 =	84.4 +	85.2 +	85.8 +	85.1 =
67.1	68.8	68.9	69.4	69.1
16.9	16.5	16.6	16.5	16.8
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Chemistry 30

	2011/2012	2012/2013*	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016**
Number of Students	19,958	16,159	19,142	19,077	19,265
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	42.6	41.9	46.1	46.9	49.5
Acceptable Standard (%)	95.9	95.4	96.3	96.2	96.9
Average (%)	74.4	74.0	75.3	75.6	76.6
Standard Deviation (%)	13.8	13.9	13.9	14.0	13.7
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	28.7 =	31.8 +	35.2 +	34.2 +	34.5 =
Acceptable Standard (%)	77.1 =	78.8 +	81.5 +	82.1 +	81.5 =
Average (%)	65.1	66.7	68.3	68.9	68.4
Standard Deviation (%)	19.7	19.4	19.1	18.9	19.1

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Physics 30

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	2011/2012	2012/2013*	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016**
Number of Students	10,604	9,011	10,782	10,586	10,291
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	46.0	45.5	49.7	51.4	53.9
Acceptable Standard (%)	96.5	96.2	96.3	96.8	97.3
Average (%)	75.4	75.2	76.4	76.8	77.8
Standard Deviation (%)	13.6	13.5	13.9	13.7	13.6
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	30.5 +	30.4 +	34.3 +	35.8 +	39.8 +
Acceptable Standard (%)	81.1 +	81.5 +	83.2 +	83.9 +	85.8 +
Average (%)	66.8	67.1	68.9	69.4	70.7
Standard Deviation (%)	18.6	18.4	18.4	18.5	18.6

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Science 30

	2011/2012	2012/2013*	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016**
Number of Students	5,900	5,571	7,113	7,840	8,790
School-Awarded Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	27.9	30.9	32.0	33.5	36.5
Acceptable Standard (%)	95.4	95.0	95.0	96.1	96.9
Average (%)	70.2	70.9	71.1	72.0	72.9
Standard Deviation (%)	12.9	13.3	13.5	13.1	13.1
Diploma Examination Mark					
Standard of Excellence (%)	22.0 =	25.8 +	25.4 +	26.6 +	27.6 +
Acceptable Standard (%)	79.8 -	84.1 +	85.0 +	83.9 =	84.4 =
Average (%)	64.9	67.2	67.5	67.4	67.7
Standard Deviation (%)	16.9	16.2	15.8	16.2	16.2

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