

# GCSE, AS and A Level Dance Statistics

## GCSE

Year	Number of GCSE Dance Candidates	% increase/ decrease on the previous year
2008/09	16,589	–
2009/10	15,884	-4%
2010/11	13,443	-15%
2011/12	12,592	-6%
2012/13	11,856	-6%
2013/14	12,200	+3%
2014/15	11,865	-3%
2015/16	10,762	-9%
2016/17	9,401	-13%
2017/18	8,724	-9%
2018/19	9,418	+8%
2020/21	8,848	-6%
2021/22	8,268	-6%
2022/23	8,236	-0.3%
2023/24	6,723	-18.4%

GCSE Dance data is collected from [AQA](#), the Awarding Body for GCSE Dance.

## AS LEVEL

Year	Number of AS Level Dance Candidates	% increase/ decrease on the previous year
2008/09	3561	–
2009/10	3639	+2%
2010/11	3801	+4%
2011/12	3417	-10%
2012/13	3146	-8%
2013/14	3192	+1%
2014/15	2744	-14%
2015/16	2368	-14%
2016/17	545	-76%
2017/18	232	-57%
2018/19	97	-58%

AS Level Dance has been discontinued. The last year of assessment was 2018.

## A LEVEL

Year	Number A Level Dance Candidates	% increase/ decrease on the previous year
2008/09	1966	-
2009/10	2261	+15%
2010/11	2284	+1%
2011/12	2085	-9%
2012/13	1979	-5%
2013/14	1892	-4%
2014/15	1875	-1%
2015/16	1582	-16%
2016/17	1455	-8%
2017/18	1316	-10%
2018/19	1102	-16%
2020/21	1203	+9%
2021/22	1198	-0.4%
2022/23	995	-16.9%
2023/24	960	-1.3%