

Caribbean Secondary Examininaton Council (CSEC) - Jamaica Profile
Proportion of students achieving grades 1-3 passes between 2011 and 2012

CSEC Subjects	Total			Female			Male		
	2011	2012	%Δ	2011	2012	%Δ	2011	2012	%Δ
Electrical & Electronic Technology	43.7	62.3	▲	50.9	70.3	▲	43.3	61.8	▲
Mechanical Engineering	53.4	64.3	▲	41.4	60.0	▲	53.8	64.4	▲
Theatre Arts	72.8	85.8	▲	71.5	89.8	▲	77.1	73.3	▼
Information Technology	72.5	79.4	▲	74.5	81.2	▲	69.7	77.1	▲
Clothing and Textiles	78.5	85.6	▲	80.2	86.3	▲	56.1	73.4	▲
Electronic Doc Prep and Management	82.2	87.7	▲	83.6	89.9	▲	79.3	82.6	▲
Integrated Science	68.4	72.7	▲	68.5	74.7	▲	68.1	70.0	▲
Physics	69.3	73.4	▲	72.5	77.8	▲	66.7	69.8	▲
French	77.4	81.8	▲	80.7	84.6	▲	68.2	74.4	▲
Principles of Business	81.5	84.8	▲	82.2	84.7	▲	80.1	85.0	▲
Physical Education & Sports	94.9	96.6	▬	97.1	97.3	▬	93.1	96.0	▲
Visual Arts	65.6	66.5	▬	70.1	70.0	▬	61.5	63.3	▲
Agricultural Science(DA)	92.7	92.9	▬	91.6	93.4	▬	94.5	92.2	▬
Agricultural Science(AS)	90.6	90.6	▬	91.8	92.1	▬	88.4	88.4	▬
Social Studies	69.0	68.5	▬	71.9	71.5	▬	64.1	63.5	▬
Geography	66.6	65.7	▬	68.6	67.6	▬	64.8	64.0	▬
Spanish	72.9	71.4	▬	73.7	71.6	▼	70.5	71.0	▬
Music	57.3	56.0	▬	65.9	53.2	▼	48.0	60.0	▲
Food & Nutrition	92.1	89.0	▼	93.1	89.5	▼	86.2	86.5	▬
Caribbean History	75.4	72.4	▼	76.3	73.8	▼	73.5	69.6	▼
Biology	74.9	71.8	▼	75.1	72.0	▼	74.5	71.4	▼
Mathematics	33.1	31.7	▼	32.6	32.2	▬	34.0	30.9	▼
Home Economics Management	88.1	83.9	▼	89.3	84.6	▼	80.0	78.9	▬
Religious Education	84.9	80.7	▼	86.8	83.2	▼	81.2	75.7	▼
English Literature	76.8	72.9	▼	80.9	76.0	▼	65.1	63.9	▬
Chemistry	59.8	56.1	▼	59.2	55.3	▼	60.8	57.5	▼
Office Administration	88.1	79.4	▼	88.5	80.5	▼	86.9	76.8	▼
Technical Drawing	68.3	61.0	▼	80.7	71.5	▼	66.8	60.0	▼
Building Technology Construction	82.1	73.0	▼	83.3	77.8	▼	82.0	72.6	▼
Human & Social Biology	64.3	56.6	▼	66.0	56.4	▼	59.8	57.1	▼
Economics	75.9	65.5	▼	76.7	67.1	▼	74.8	63.0	▼
Building Technology Woods	67.4	57.2	▼	72.9	67.5	▼	67.0	56.5	▼
Principles of Accounts	68.1	55.3	▼	69.7	57.7	▼	64.8	50.3	▼
English Language	63.9	46.1	▼	69.4	51.4	▼	55.3	38.5	▼

	Total	Female	Male
OVERALL MOVEMENT	▲ 10	▲ 10	▲ 12
	▬ 8	▬ 7	▬ 8
	▼ 16	▼ 17	▼ 14

Legend	
▲	>=2.5%
▬	Between 2.5% and -2.5%
▼	<= -2.5%

DID YOU KNOW?

Between 2011 and 2012, of the 34 CSEC subjects examined, only 10 subjects saw student passes increasing by 2.5 per cent or more. Electrical & Electronic Technology had the highest rate of increase, while English Language was the subject with the highest decline in passes.