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### 2017 A Level Results

#### *Epsom College in Malaysia's Sixth Form Sets a (Very) High Bar*

**Bandar Enstek, 21 August 2017** – Epsom College in Malaysia (ECiM) is thrilled once again to report outstanding A Level results announced last Thursday. Building on the superb results achieved by our first Upper Sixth in 2016, this year's students have achieved over 60% A\*/A grades and over 86% A\*/A/B grades. The pass rate was 100%.

These are remarkable results for any school, but for a new school they represent a powerful affirmation of the quality of teachers and teaching, as well as the prowess, aspiration and endeavour of the students. One third of the year group achieved all A\* or A grades. Almost all students have gained entry to their first choice Russell Group universities, including LSE, Imperial College, UCL, Durham, Edinburgh, Warwick and Exeter.

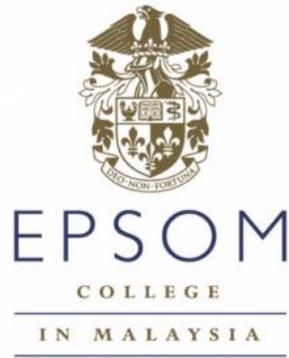
The Headmaster, Mr Martin George said, "we expected these students to achieve very strong results, but they have, once again, exceeded our targets. I pay tribute to them and their outstanding teachers for these wonderful results. As a College we are immensely proud of their achievements and wish them well in their next steps, which for most will be taking up a place at a prestigious UK Russell Group university."

"In addition, we are pleased to report that our sister school Epsom College UK also achieved excellent results, equalling ECiM's 86% A\*-B grades. Epsom College UK is ranked 51st in The Times 2017 League Table of U.K. Schools. Using the same criteria ECiM would be ranked 49<sup>th</sup>," added Mr George.

Dr Julia Parker, the Head of Sixth Form is all praises for her students. "Our Upper Sixth students have worked extremely hard, not only in the run-up to the summer exams, but also throughout the full two years of the A Level course. It is fantastic to see that this hard work has paid off. We have seen some outstanding performances from our straight A\*/A students, as well as students far exceeding expectations in terms of their academic achievement," she enthused.

ECiM is a co-educational boarding and day school located south of Kuala Lumpur on a 50 acre site in Bandar Enstek. For more information, visit [www.epsomcollege.edu.my](http://www.epsomcollege.edu.my).

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### **About Epsom College in Malaysia (ECiM)**

Epsom College in Malaysia (ECiM) is a co-educational boarding and day school located south of Kuala Lumpur on a 50 acre site in Bandar Enstek. ECiM is the first international campus of Epsom College that was granted Royal patronage by her Majesty Queen Victoria when it was founded in Surrey in 1855.

Established in 2014, ECiM strives to deliver first-class education and a unique British boarding school experience. The campus comprises of ultra-modern high tech, environmentally-friendly buildings, with specialised facilities for music, drama and sport, the latter including floodlit astroturf pitches, sports hall, a swimming pool and hard courts. There are also dedicated science and art departments.

The Senior School for pupils aged 11 to 18 is both a day and boarding school whilst the Prep School is for day pupils aged 3 to 11 years old. Students sit for IGCSE and A Levels with the majority going to study at prestigious UK universities.

If you would like to learn more about ECiM or reserve an Entry Assessment test for your child (3-18 years -old), please contact Ms Angie Chee at [registrar@epsomcollege.edu.my](mailto:registrar@epsomcollege.edu.my) or contact us via phone at 06 2404 188. Please visit the website - [www.epsomcollege.edu.my](http://www.epsomcollege.edu.my) for more information.

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