

Annex D: Differences in degree outcomes by age

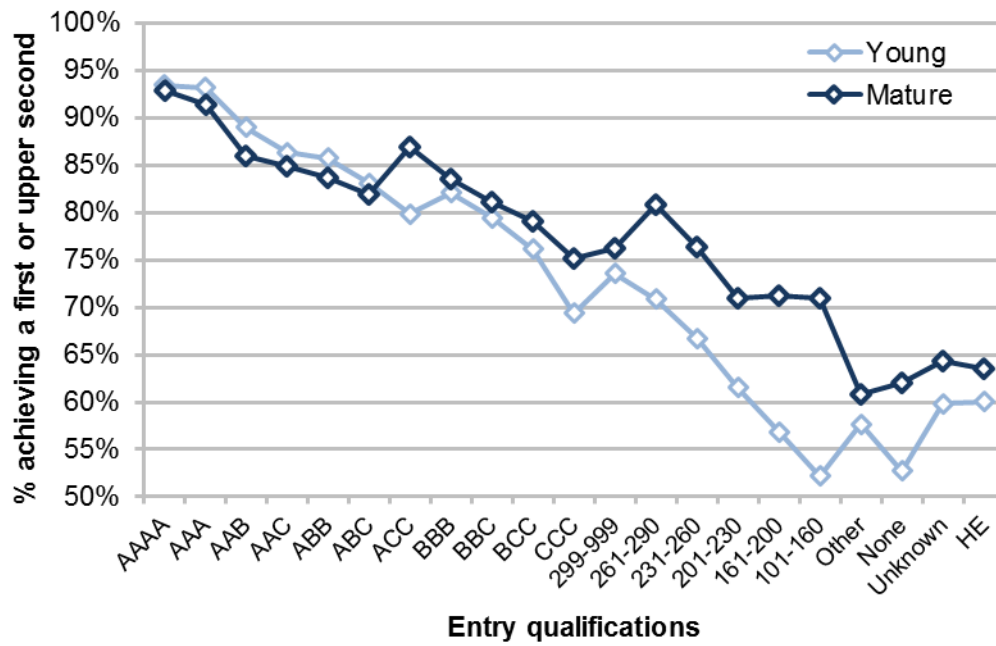
Proportion achieving first or upper second class degrees

Observed results, split by entry qualifications

Table D1: Proportion of 2013-14 graduates achieving a first or upper second class degree, by entry qualifications

| Entry qualifications | Young | | Mature | |
|-----------------------|----------------|------------|---------------|------------|
| | Number | % | Number | % |
| Overall | 221,520 | 75% | 75,095 | 64% |
| AAAA | 10,335 | 93% | 165 | 93% |
| AAA | 22,520 | 93% | 420 | 91% |
| AAB | 19,650 | 89% | 440 | 86% |
| AAC | 2,950 | 86% | 75 | 85% |
| ABB | 16,430 | 86% | 395 | 84% |
| ABC | 9,590 | 83% | 300 | 82% |
| BBB | 8,695 | 82% | 230 | 83% |
| ACC | 3,000 | 80% | 100 | 87% |
| BBC | 12,650 | 79% | 455 | 81% |
| BCC | 11,700 | 76% | 420 | 79% |
| CCC | 5,450 | 69% | 235 | 75% |
| 299-999 points | 12,865 | 74% | 535 | 76% |
| 261-290 points | 7,870 | 71% | 365 | 81% |
| 231-260 points | 12,545 | 67% | 765 | 76% |
| 201-230 points | 7,770 | 62% | 630 | 71% |
| 161-200 points | 7,630 | 57% | 910 | 71% |
| 101-160 points | 4,540 | 52% | 1170 | 71% |
| Other | 32,665 | 58% | 23,015 | 61% |
| None | 80 | 53% | 1,750 | 62% |
| Unknown | 5,980 | 60% | 8,620 | 64% |
| Higher education (HE) | 6,600 | 60% | 34,105 | 64% |

Figure D1: 2013-14 graduates achieving a first or upper second class degree by age on entry, entry qualification and degree classification

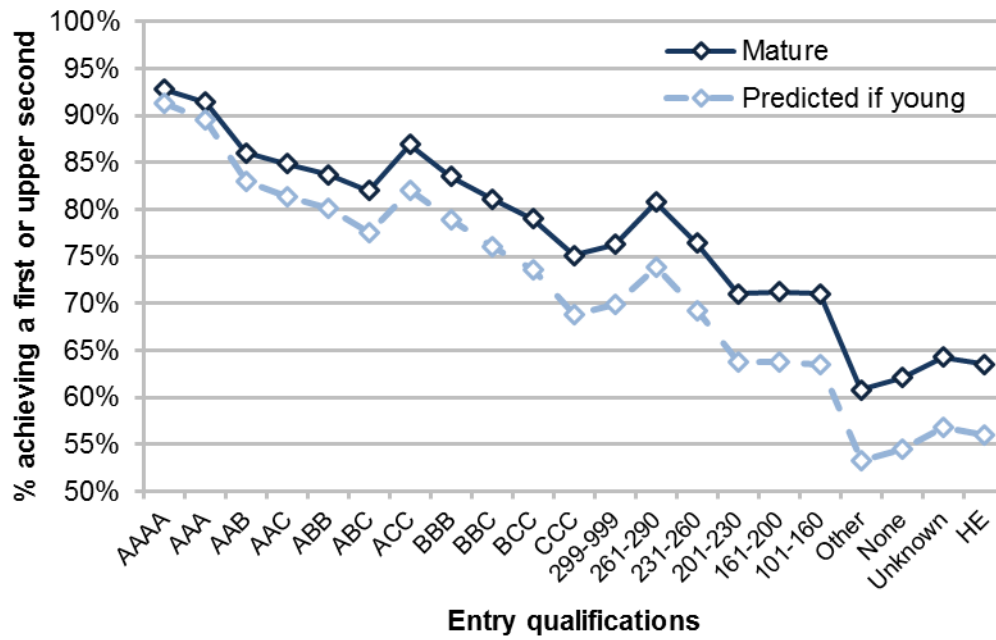


Modelling results

Table D2: Proportion of mature graduates achieving a first or upper second class degree in 2013-14, by entry qualifications

| Entry qualifications | Mature (actual) | Predicted if young |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| AAAA | 93% | 91% |
| AAA | 91% | 90% |
| AAB | 86% | 83% |
| AAC | 85% | 81% |
| ABB | 84% | 80% |
| ABC | 82% | 78% |
| BBB | 83% | 79% |
| ACC | 87% | 82% |
| BBC | 81% | 76% |
| BCC | 79% | 74% |
| CCC | 75% | 69% |
| 299-999 points | 76% | 70% |
| 261-290 points | 81% | 74% |
| 231-260 points | 76% | 69% |
| 201-230 points | 71% | 64% |
| 161-200 points | 71% | 64% |
| 101-160 points | 71% | 64% |
| Other | 61% | 53% |
| None | 62% | 55% |
| Unknown | 64% | 57% |
| HE | 64% | 56% |

Figure D2: The difference between the actual and modelled results for 2013-14 mature graduates achieving a first or upper second class degree



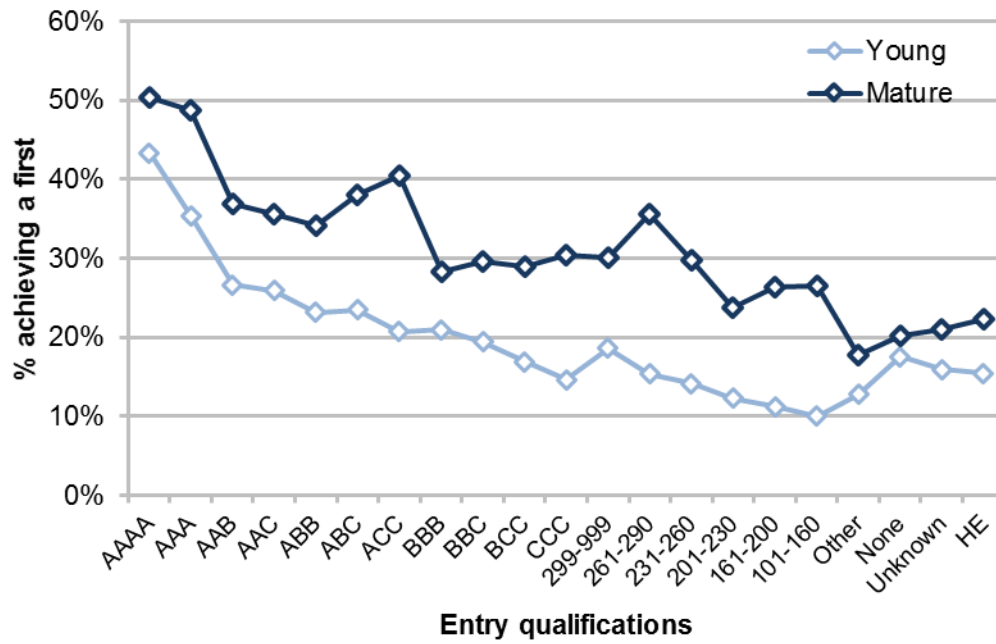
Proportion achieving first class degrees

Observed results, split by entry qualifications

Table D3: Proportion of 2013-14 graduates achieving a first class degree, by entry qualifications

| Entry qualifications | Young | | Mature | |
|----------------------|----------------|------------|---------------|------------|
| | Number | % | Number | % |
| Overall | 221,520 | 20% | 75,095 | 22% |
| AAAA | 10,335 | 43% | 165 | 50% |
| AAA | 22,520 | 35% | 420 | 49% |
| AAB | 19,650 | 27% | 440 | 37% |
| AAC | 2,950 | 26% | 75 | 36% |
| ABB | 16,430 | 23% | 395 | 34% |
| ABC | 9,590 | 23% | 300 | 38% |
| BBB | 8,695 | 21% | 230 | 28% |
| ACC | 3,000 | 21% | 100 | 40% |
| BBC | 12,650 | 19% | 455 | 30% |
| BCC | 11,700 | 17% | 420 | 29% |
| CCC | 5,450 | 15% | 235 | 30% |
| 299-999 points | 12,865 | 19% | 535 | 30% |
| 261-290 points | 7,870 | 15% | 365 | 36% |
| 231-260 points | 12,545 | 14% | 765 | 30% |
| 201-230 points | 7,770 | 12% | 630 | 24% |
| 161-200 points | 7,630 | 11% | 910 | 26% |
| 101-160 points | 4,540 | 10% | 1170 | 27% |
| Other | 32,665 | 13% | 23,015 | 18% |
| None | 80 | 18% | 1,750 | 20% |
| Unknown | 5,980 | 16% | 8,620 | 21% |
| HE | 6,600 | 15% | 34,105 | 22% |

Figure D3: 2013-14 graduates achieving a first class degree by age on entry, entry qualification and degree classification



Modelling results

Table D4: Proportion of mature graduates achieving a first class degree in 2013-14, by entry qualifications

| Entry qualifications | Mature (actual) | Predicted if young |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| AAAA | 50% | 38% |
| AAA | 49% | 36% |
| AAB | 37% | 26% |
| AAC | 36% | 25% |
| ABB | 34% | 23% |
| ABC | 38% | 28% |
| BBB | 28% | 18% |
| ACC | 40% | 30% |
| BBC | 30% | 20% |
| BCC | 29% | 20% |
| CCC | 30% | 22% |
| 299-999 points | 30% | 22% |
| 261-290 points | 36% | 28% |
| 231-260 points | 30% | 23% |
| 201-230 points | 24% | 17% |
| 161-200 points | 26% | 20% |
| 101-160 points | 27% | 20% |
| Other | 18% | 11% |
| None | 20% | 13% |
| Unknown | 21% | 14% |
| HE | 22% | 15% |

Figure D4: The difference between the actual and modelled results for 2013-14 mature graduates achieving a first class degree

