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**THE UNIVERSITY OF THE BAHAMAS
GRADUATES BY DEGREE, DIVISION AND SEX
SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018**

TABLE 1

Degree	Male	Female	Total
Associate	51	50	101
Baccalaureate	90	419	509
Certificate	3	13	16
Diploma	2	53	55
Total	146	535	681
DIVISION	Male	Female	Total
Business & Hospitality Management	43	119	162
Chemistry, Environment & Life Sciences	14	52	66
Communications & Creative Arts	7	13	20
Culinary Arts & Tourism Studies	13	43	56
Education	10	92	102
English Studies	0	6	6
Mathematics, Physics & Technology	34	10	44
Nursing & Allied Health Professions	5	138	143
Social Sciences	20	62	82
Total	146	535	681
Grand Total	292	1070	1,362

Source: University of The Bahamas (C.O.B)

**THE BAHAMAS BAPTIST COLLEGE AND BIBLE INSTITUTE
GRADUATES BY PROGRAMME, DEGREE OR CERTIFICATE EARNED AND SEX
SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018**

TABLE 2

Bachelor of Education Degree	Male	Female	Total
Primary Education	0	5	5
Early Childhood Education	0	1	1
Total	0	6	6
Associate of Arts Degree	Male	Female	Total
Accounting	4	14	18
Biology	0	1	1
Biology/Chemistry	0	1	1
Business Management	2	5	7
Computer Information System	1	0	1
Early Childhood Education	0	3	3
Human Resource Management	0	7	7
Law & Criminal Justice	1	4	5
Marketing	0	1	1
Office Administration	0	0	0
Primary Education	0	6	6
Psychology/Sociology	2	3	5
Public Administration	1	1	2
Total	11	46	57
Certificate Program	Male	Female	Total
Pre School Auxiliary Certificate	0	0	0
The Bahamas Baptist Bible Institute	1	1	2
Total	1	1	2
Grand Total	12	53	65

Source: The Bahamas Baptist Community College & Bible Institute

Bahamas Technical and Vocational Institute
Graduates By Programme and Sex
NEW PROVIDENCE - SCHOOL YEAR 2017 - 2018

TABLE 3

		Male	Female	Total
Associate of Applied Science Degree	Business Office Technology AAS	0	3	3
	Office Administration AAS	4	35	39
	Information Technology Management Repairs AAS	4	3	7
	information Technology Management Server Plus A.A.S.	1	0	1
	Information Technology Mangagement Security Plus A.A.S.	1	0	1
	Construction Technology AAS	2	1	3
	Electronics Engineering Installers & Repairers AAS	1	0	1
	Total	13	42	55
Diploma	Cosmetology	0	6	6
	Auto Mechanics	4	1	5
	Massage Therapy	0	15	15
	Fashion Design Production II	0	2	2
	Total	4	24	28
	Barbering	16	2	18
	Carpentry	3	0	3
	Electronics & Cable Installation	2	1	3
	Electrical Installation	17	3	20
	Esthetics	0	26	26
	Fashion Design Production I	0	5	5
	Heating Ventilation & Air Conditioning (HVAC)	2	2	4
	Humane Resources	1	2	3
	Nail Technology	0	24	24
	Natural Hair	0	21	21
	Office Assistant	3	34	37
	Plumbing	1	0	1
	Total	45	120	165
	Grand Total	62	186	248

Source: Bahamas Technical and Vocational Institute

**BAHAMAS GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION (B.G.C.S.E.)
BY SUBJECT AND SEX: ALL BAHAMAS 2018**

TABLE 4

Courses	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018									ABS
				Grades Attained									
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U		
Literature	Male	298	279	12	64	97	70	28	7	1	0	19	
	Female	565	531	52	168	197	94	20	0	0	0	34	
	Total	863	810	64	232	294	164	48	7	1	0	53	
English Language	Male	2,126	1,957	79	72	424	761	406	143	51	21	169	
	Female	3,028	2,845	219	236	803	1,011	422	108	32	14	183	
	Total	5,154	4,802	298	308	1,227	1,772	828	251	83	35	352	
Book-Keeping & Accounts	Male	187	162	12	10	17	25	25	24	21	28	25	
	Female	369	330	40	18	19	36	77	50	46	44	39	
	Total	556	492	52	28	36	61	102	74	67	72	64	
Economics	Male	111	97	29	11	5	8	23	14	4	3	14	
	Female	205	181	54	19	11	30	37	18	8	4	24	
	Total	316	278	83	30	16	38	60	32	12	7	38	
Office Procedures	Male	102	79	8	11	24	17	16	3	0	0	23	
	Female	331	275	37	65	96	40	28	7	2	0	56	
	Total	433	354	45	76	120	57	44	10	2	0	79	
Keyboarding Skills	Male	315	305	58	41	39	71	50	31	10	5	10	
	Female	568	551	161	95	84	106	68	29	3	5	17	
	Total	883	856	219	136	123	177	118	60	13	10	27	
Commerce	Male	188	166	25	15	20	37	37	24	5	3	22	
	Female	339	291	69	40	34	69	55	21	3	0	48	
	Total	527	457	94	55	54	106	92	45	8	3	70	
Biology	Male	1,236	1,135	14	32	455	224	193	137	57	23	101	
	Female	1,829	1,700	38	63	731	305	280	181	78	24	129	
	Total	3,065	2,835	52	95	1,186	529	473	318	135	47	230	
Chemistry	Male	276	254	17	20	134	33	30	18	2	0	22	
	Female	499	464	32	41	241	72	49	21	7	1	35	
	Total	775	718	49	61	375	105	79	39	9	1	57	

**RESULTS OF STANDARD EXAMINATIONS
BAHAMAS GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION (B.G.C.S.E.)
BY SUBJECT AND SEX: ALL BAHAMAS 2018**

TABLE 4 CONTD.

Courses	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018								
				Grades Attained								
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U	ABS
Combined Science	Male	217	192	5	18	52	41	35	29	11	1	25
	Female	371	340	15	29	92	60	66	49	28	1	31
	Total	588	532	20	47	144	101	101	78	39	2	56
Physics	Male	317	303	17	35	100	56	49	28	12	6	14
	Female	347	328	23	27	105	72	51	34	10	6	19
	Total	664	631	40	62	205	128	100	62	22	12	33
Mathematics	Male	2042	1,885	52	57	384	261	306	344	306	175	157
	Female	2909	2,687	80	87	576	422	452	461	393	216	222
	Total	4951	4572	132	144	960	683	758	805	699	391	379
Carpentry & Joinery	Male	242	204	29	47	57	41	18	9	2	1	38
	Female	35	31	7	5	10	6	1	1	1	0	4
	Total	277	235	36	52	67	47	19	10	3	1	42
Graphical Communications	Male	189	169	15	66	68	15	5	0	0	0	20
	Female	43	38	7	17	11	2	1	0	0	0	5
	Total	232	207	22	83	79	17	6	0	0	0	25
Electrical Installation	Male	202	181	26	40	28	33	15	18	8	13	21
	Female	40	32	9	11	4	5	0	2	0	1	8
	Total	242	213	35	51	32	38	15	20	8	14	29
Auto Mechanics	Male	77	60	2	8	18	20	11	1	0	0	17
	Female	4	4	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	81	64	2	9	21	20	11	1	0	0	17
Clothing Construction	Male	11	7	0	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	4
	Female	122	90	5	21	28	17	10	5	0	4	32
	Total	133	97	5	22	30	19	12	5	0	4	36

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BY SUBJECT AND SEX: ALL BAHAMAS 2018**

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Courses	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018								
				Grades Attained								
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U	ABS
Food and Nutrition	Male	135	115	4	15	43	39	13	1	0	0	20
	Female	488	419	25	89	141	122	36	3	3	0	69
	Total	623	534	29	104	184	161	49	4	3	0	89
History	Male	472	384	51	44	57	97	71	44	15	5	88
	Female	750	646	126	109	109	143	91	47	20	1	104
	Total	1222	1030	177	153	166	240	162	91	35	6	192
Geograhly	Male	470	408	49	93	115	88	40	19	3	1	62
	Female	464	419	71	82	109	96	48	10	3	0	45
	Total	934	827	120	175	224	184	88	29	6	1	107
Religious Studies	Male	984	853	55	143	228	183	148	66	18	12	131
	Female	1481	1,366	200	350	377	255	126	44	14	0	115
	Total	2465	2219	255	493	605	438	274	110	32	12	246
Art & Design A	Male	177	152	21	33	44	35	14	5	0	0	25
	Female	165	148	41	41	44	16	3	3	0	0	17
	Total	342	300	62	74	88	51	17	8	0	0	42
Art & Design B	Male	148	123	35	40	35	12	0	0	0	1	25
	Female	360	327	114	124	76	7	6	0	0	0	33
	Total	508	450	149	164	111	19	6	0	0	1	58
Art & Design C	Male	12	7	1	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	5
	Female	24	14	3	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	10
	Total	36	21	4	7	9	1	0	0	0	0	15

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BY SUBJECT AND SEX: ALL BAHAMAS 2018**

TABLE 4 CONTD.

Courses	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018								
				Grades Attained								
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U	ABS
Music	Male	188	173	33	45	38	36	14	5	2	0	15
	Female	147	140	28	38	47	17	7	2	1	0	7
	Total	335	313	61	83	85	53	21	7	3	0	22
Spanish	Male	313	290	22	51	94	77	28	13	5	0	23
	Female	650	622	70	155	197	140	36	23	1	0	28
	Total	963	912	92	206	291	217	64	36	6	0	51
French	Male	106	100	6	21	24	24	13	6	6	0	6
	Female	204	186	25	46	55	40	11	6	2	1	18
	Total	310	286	31	67	79	64	24	12	8	1	24
Total	Male	11141	10040	677	1034	2606	2307	1590	989	539	298	1101
	Female	16337	15005	1551	1983	4205	3183	1981	1125	655	322	1332
	Grand Total	27478	25045	2228	3017	6811	5490	3571	2114	1194	620	2433

U = Uncl: ABS = Absent

Source: Examination and Assessment Division, Ministry of Education

**RESULTS OF STANDARD EXAMINATION
BAHAMAS JUNIOR CERTIFICATE OF EDUCATION (B.J.C.)
BY SUBJECT AND SEX: ALL BAHAMAS - 2018**

TABLE 5

COURSES	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018								
				Grades Attained								
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U	ABS
Mathematics	Male	4,150	3,711	317	482	778	498	521	307	279	529	439
	Female	4,271	3,947	430	626	863	541	498	331	258	400	324
	Total	8,421	7,658	747	1,108	1,641	1,039	1,019	638	537	929	763
English Language	Male	4,566	4,148	126	601	924	837	644	462	298	256	418
	Female	4,421	4,157	273	886	1020	801	514	368	164	131	264
	Total	8,987	8,305	399	1,487	1,944	1,638	1,158	830	462	387	682
General Science	Male	2,011	1,861	262	352	383	322	212	130	124	76	150
	Female	2,366	2,243	364	391	483	427	229	181	91	77	123
	Total	4,377	4,104	626	743	866	749	441	311	215	153	273
Health Science	Male	3,456	3,064	211	323	518	551	543	420	310	188	392
	Female	3,555	3,283	340	394	634	571	526	391	272	155	272
	Total	7,011	6,347	551	717	1,152	1,122	1,069	811	582	343	664
Religious Studies	Male	2,916	2,609	73	227	438	356	449	365	323	378	307
	Female	2,987	2,851	177	479	621	424	388	325	232	205	136
	Total	5,903	5,460	250	706	1,059	780	837	690	555	583	443
Social Studies	Male	2,568	2,174	275	417	515	488	298	133	41	7	394
	Female	2,677	2,415	498	535	567	496	208	85	25	1	262
	Total	5,245	4,589	773	952	1,082	984	506	218	66	8	656

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BY SUBJECT AND SEX: ALL BAHAMAS - 2018**

TABLE 5 CONTD.

COURSES	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018								
				Grades Attained								
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U	ABS
Art	Male	456	348	14	92	148	70	19	2	3	0	108
	Female	370	317	37	115	128	27	10	0	0	0	53
	Total	826	665	51	207	276	97	29	2	3	0	161
Craft Study	Male	396	331	23	82	149	65	10	2	0	0	65
	Female	503	452	53	160	166	60	12	1	0	0	51
	Total	899	783	76	242	315	125	22	3	0	0	116
Family & Consumer	Male	183	147	0	17	48	62	19	1	0	0	36
	Female	666	569	29	137	184	181	35	3	0	0	97
	Total	849	716	29	154	232	243	54	4	0	0	133
Technical Drawing	Male	364	288	42	56	82	55	31	13	5	4	76
	Female	172	142	26	33	37	17	22	3	1	3	30
	Total	536	430	68	89	119	72	53	16	6	7	106
Literature	Male	715	622	43	114	162	176	80	30	13	4	93
	Female	1,036	955	124	278	270	200	61	18	4	0	81
	Total	1,751	1,577	167	392	432	376	141	48	17	4	174

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COURSES	Sex	Number Entered	Number Sat	2018								
				Grades Attained								
				Grade A	Grade B	Grade C	Grade D	Grade E	Grade F	Grade G	Grade U	ABS
Spanish	Male	665	612	78	134	127	132	76	53	11	1	53
	Female	1112	1042	165	288	243	178	109	47	12	0	70
	Total	1777	1654	243	422	370	310	185	100	23	1	123
French	Male	146	124	5	15	20	30	26	25	2	1	22
	Female	271	259	30	56	55	58	34	19	5	2	12
	Total	417	383	35	71	75	88	60	44	7	3	34
Total	Male	22592	20039	1469	2912	4292	3642	2928	1943	1409	1444	2553
	Female	24407	22632	2546	4378	5271	3981	2646	1772	1064	974	1775
	Grand Total	46999	42671	4015	7290	9563	7623	5574	3715	2473	2418	4328

U = Unclass: ABS = Absent

Source: Examination and Assessment Division, Ministry of Education

**OCCUPATIONS AND WAGES IN THE ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVICE ACTIVITIES INDUSTRY
NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS AND AVERAGE WAGE PER WEEK BY ISLAND AND SEX
2003-2017**

Table 6

EMPLOYED PERSONS IN THE HOTEL INDUSTRY	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
ALL BAHAMAS															
TOTAL	11,369	12,022	12,023	11,946	13,440	12,630	11,681	11,746	11,802	11,651	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MALE	5,423	5,745	5,728	5,666	6,313	5,947	5,610	5,968	5,600	5,616	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
FEMALE	5,946	6,277	6,295	6,280	7,127	6,683	6,071	5,778	6,202	6,035	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
NEW PROVIDENCE															
TOTAL	10,176	9,812	10,020	10,823	12,356	11,619	10,895	10,946	11,243	11,041	10,981	10,862	10,372	10,094	11,686
MALE	4,881	4,776	4,844	5,233	5,884	5,564	5,282	5,599	5,389	5,374	5,313	5,361	5,128	4,986	5,616
FEMALE	5,295	5,036	5,176	5,590	6,472	6,055	5,613	5,347	5,854	5,667	5,668	5,501	5,244	5,108	6,070
GRAND BAHAMA AND THE FAMILY ISLANDS															
TOTAL	1,193	2,210	2,003	1,123	1,084	1,011	786	800	559	610	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MALE	542	969	884	433	429	383	328	369	211	242	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
FEMALE	651	1,241	1,119	690	655	628	458	431	348	368	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE WAGE PER WEEK	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
ALL BAHAMAS															
TOTAL	\$336	\$335	\$355	\$342	\$361	\$359	\$365	\$370	\$385	\$383	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MALE	\$360	\$362	\$381	\$366	\$379	\$375	\$376	\$376	\$399	\$396	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
FEMALE	\$314	\$310	\$332	\$320	\$346	\$344	\$356	\$364	\$372	\$371	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
NEW PROVIDENCE															
TOTAL	\$335	\$341	\$367	\$351	\$369	\$365	\$370	\$375	\$388	\$387	\$344	\$393	\$407	\$420	\$425
MALE	\$359	\$368	\$392	\$373	\$387	\$380	\$380	\$381	\$402	\$400	\$344	\$408	\$418	\$433	\$437
FEMALE	\$313	\$316	\$344	\$329	\$354	\$351	\$361	\$369	\$376	\$376	\$345	\$386	\$395	\$407	\$415
GRAND BAHAMA AND THE FAMILY ISLANDS															
TOTAL	\$343	\$306	\$298	\$260	\$270	\$285	\$300	\$298	\$307	\$309	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
MALE	\$372	\$332	\$320	\$280	\$278	\$306	\$315	\$290	\$312	\$319	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
FEMALE	\$318	\$285	\$280	\$247	\$264	\$272	\$290	\$304	\$304	\$301	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Number of Employed Persons in the Accommodation and Food Service Activities Industry by Gender 2003-2017



Trend of Average Weekly Wage by Gender 2003-2017

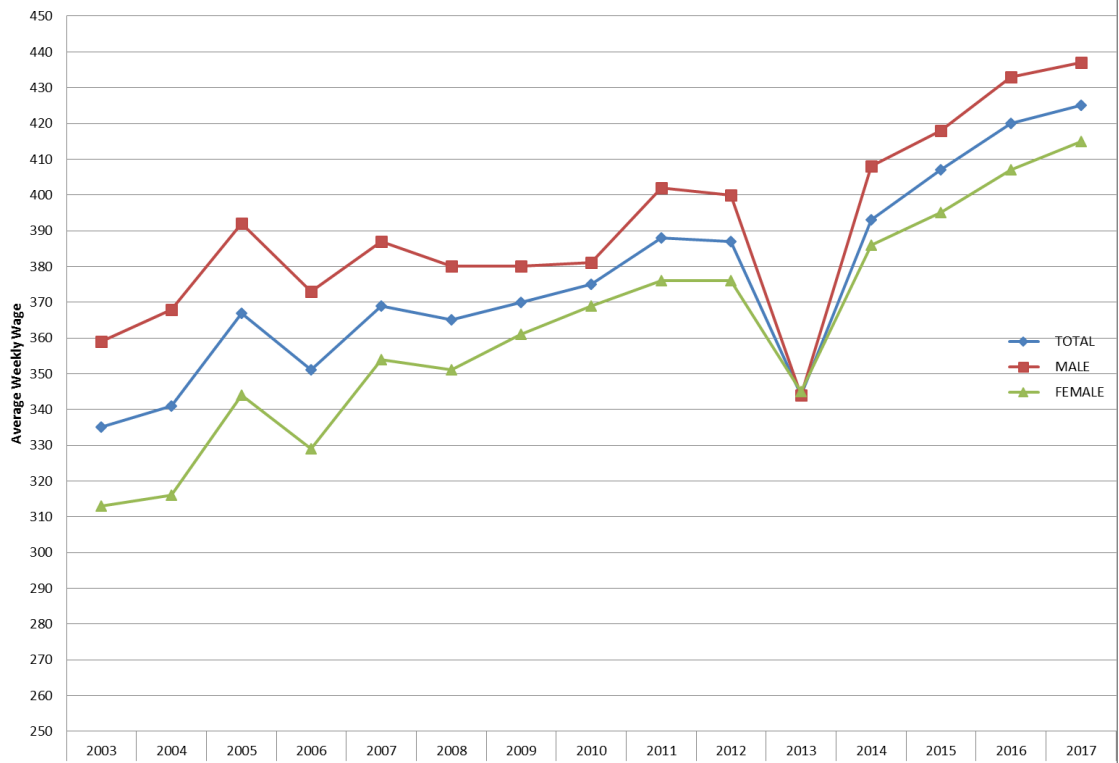


TABLE 7

MINIMUM WAGE UP TO AUGUST 14, 2015

TIME	WAGE
HOURLY	\$4.00
DAILY	\$30.00
WEEKLY	\$150.00

Based on eight (8) hours per day and forty (40) hours per week.

**Source: Minimum Wages Act, 2002*

MINIMUM WAGE AS OF AUGUST 15, 2015*

TIME	WAGE
HOURLY	\$5.25
DAILY	\$42.00
WEEKLY	\$210.00

***Effective August 2015**

Based on eight (8) hours per day and forty (40) hours per week