

# Target Setting Quick Steps

Your quick steps guide to setting Alps Minimum Expected Grades with Connect

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Log onto Alps Connect and on the homepage click the “Data” button

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Create your Cohort Data, click ‘Add Grades Data’ and then select ‘Target Setting’.

**ADD GRADES DATA**

**Grades Data**

Add grades data via a marksheet or other import and when you are ready, add the data as a gradepoint in Connect for your staff to see.

You can change the title of the gradepoint before you add it.

**Academic Year** 2017/18

**Grades type** Select the type of grades data you wish to add

**Title** Target setting  
Monitoring  
Exam results

**START SESSION**

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Add your data to the Target Setting Workspace.  
To generate Alps Minimum Expected Grades, you only need Student IDs and Subjects.

You now also have the option of adding your own target grades to the import. The custom targets will be your own internal targets, viewed alongside the Alps generated MEGs.

When the data has been added and subjects mapped, click ‘Add to Connect’.

**GRADES DATA**

	Student Id	Exam Type	Subject	Custom Target
1	Yr-9-Stu1	GCSE	GCSE - English Language	8
2	Yr-9-Stu1	GCSE	GCSE - English Literature	1
3	Yr-9-Stu1	GCSE	GCSE - Biology	7
4	Yr-9-Stu1	GCSE	GCSE - Chemistry	9
5	Yr-9-Stu2	GCSE	GCSE - English Language	5
6	Yr-9-Stu2	GCSE	GCSE - English Literature	6
7	Yr-9-Stu2	GCSE	GCSE - Polish (9-1)	7
8	Yr-9-Stu2	GCSE	GCSE - Biology	4
9	Yr-9-Stu2	GCSE	GCSE - Chemistry	4
10	Yr-9-Stu3	GCSE	GCSE - Polish (9-1)	6
11	Yr-9-Stu3	GCSE	GCSE - English Literature	6
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FIX UNMAPPED SUBJECTS

Student Id

Search

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Year11-Stu2

Year11-Stu3

Yr-9-Stu1

Yr-9-Stu2

Yr-9-Stu3

Yr-9-Stu4

**ADD TO CONNECT**

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Simply download your Targeting Tools from the Connect Homepage, including an Excel Sheet and PDFs, ready to use to set aspirational targets for your students.

Welcome to Alps Connect

The screenshot displays the Alps Connect homepage with the following sections:

- INTERACTIVE**: Strategic, Subjects, Students.
- TARGET SETTING**: Download your targets. Options: Export as Excel, Targets by Tutor Group, Targets by Subject, Targets by Teaching Set. Link: Find out more about Target Setting on the Knowledge Base.
- RESOURCES**: User guides, briefing papers and other resources. Options: User Guides, Downloads. Link: Find more resources on our main website.
- MANAGEMENT TOOLS**: Import data and manage user access. Options: Data, Settings. Text: Connect Data is our new tool for adding data directly into Connect. Connect Data will replace our existing data collection tools from Summer 2018. To find out more about preparing for results day, sign up for one of our webinars.
- NEWS**: Essential Updates for 2018 Results.
  1. **New 2018 Benchmarks** - We have updated A, AS and KS4 2018 benchmarks for England. [Read more](#)
  2. **Connect Interactive Benchmark Selector** - [Read more](#)
  3. **Connect Data** - The new way to send data to Alps. [Read more](#)
  4. **Important - Subjects Awaiting 2018 Benchmarks:**
    - o KS4 DA- Combined Science
    - o 2016 BTECs
    - o Foundation/National Skills Challenge Certificate (Wales)[Read more](#)
  5. **Immediate Reporting via Alps Connect** - [Read more](#)
  6. **Connect Interactive - Fantastic additional features available on Results Day** - [Read more](#)
  7. **Target Setting in September** - [Read more](#)

**YOU NOW HAVE YOUR ALPS MINIMUM EXPECTED GRADES!**

Full details can be found in our user guide, which you will find in the resources area in Connect

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