A-Level joy for Sunway students

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IT was happy pandemonium at Sunway College, in Petaling Jaya, when the June Cambridge A-Level examination results were announced recently. The students, who were from the January 2001 intake of A-Level students, did themselves proud and passed with flying colours.

The overall pass rate was 98 per cent and more than half of the 121 students who sat for the exam scored an 'A' in at least one subject.

Among the jubilant students were Oh Yann Kai, Rajaraman Ramanan, Jaclyn Chan Su Phin, Lim Chui Yan, Seow Jun Zeung and Sharan Kaur Randhawa — all of whom scored six straight As.

An elated Oh, who was ill during the final examination, said she did not expect such good results: "I managed to do well with God's grace and also through the group study sessions I had with my classmates," said an elated Oh.

A violinist, Oh will continue her studies at Cambridge University, Britain, where she will read Mathematics. She was awarded the Special Malaysian-Cambridge Bursary worth £2,000 (RM11,200).

Seow of Penang found the one-and-a-half-year A-Level course an invaluable learning experience.

"I am not as playful as before and appreciate the importance of studying and understanding what is being taught," said Seow, who has been accepted into Durham University. With the scholarship he received, Seow will be able to subsidise half his undergraduate tuition fees.

Another high achiever, Lim Chin Hong who obtained 'As' in all four subjects found the course challenging: "I am happy to have done well and owe it to my classmates for motivating me to study hard and do my best."