

**Social Class Inequalities in Educational Attainment: Measuring Social Class using
Capitals, Assets and Resources**

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Table S1: Descriptive Statistics of the Parental Social Class Measures (Unweighted).

Variable	n	%
NS-SEC		
1. Large employers & higher management	53	8.59
2. Higher professional	76	12.32
3. Lower management & professional	176	28.53
4. Intermediate	79	12.80
5. Small employers & own account	60	9.72
6. Lower supervisory & technical	37	6.00
7. Semi-routine	101	16.37
8. Routine	35	5.67
CAR Class Measure		
1. Elite	-	-
2. Established Middle	194	31.44
3. Socially Engaged Middle	-	-
4. Culturally Engaged Middle	66	10.70
5. Traditional Working Class	219	35.49
6. Precariat	120	19.45
Total n	617	

Note: - indicates that the values in the cell have been suppressed for statistical disclosure control purposes.

Table S2: OLS models of GCSE points score (adjusted for survey design and weighted).

	Coef.	Model 1 SE	Coef.	Model 2 SE
Academic Year				
2009/2010	4.83	(3.93)	5.53	(3.75)
2010/2011	Ref.		Ref.	
2011/2012	-2.04	(1.93)	-2.86	(1.95)
2012/2013	1.12	(1.97)	0.59	(2.00)
Sex				
Female	Ref.		Ref.	
Male	-5.33	*** (1.51)	-4.22	** (1.52)
Ethnicity				
White	Ref.		Ref.	
Mixed	-0.13	(3.28)	0.61	(2.81)
Asian	4.54	(3.38)	7.46	* (2.86)
Black	-3.45	(5.04)	0.20	(4.68)
Other	2.73	(3.99)	14.22	* (7.08)
Parent's Education				
No Degree	Ref.		Ref.	
Degree	10.98	*** (1.81)	9.85	*** (1.79)
NS-SEC				
1. Large employers & higher management	0.15	(2.75)		
2. Higher professional	4.65	(2.47)		
3. Lower management & professional	Ref.			
4. Intermediate	-1.75	(2.52)		
5. Small employers & own account	-5.48	(3.59)		
6. Lower supervisory & technical	-13.13	*** (3.44)		
7. Semi-routine	-10.62	*** (2.53)		
8. Routine	-14.87	*** (3.54)		
CAR Class Measure				
1. Elite			2.50	(5.24)
2. Established Middle			Ref.	
3. Socially Engaged Middle			3.29	(2.91)
4. Culturally Engaged Middle			3.10	(2.44)
5. Traditional Working Class			-8.90	*** (2.03)
6. Precariat			-	*** (2.58)
			16.26	
Pseudo R ²	0.24		0.26	
n	616		616	

Note: The constant has been removed for statistical disclosure control purposes. The sample size reduces by one case in the weighted analyses as one sample member has a weight of zero (unweighted n = 617). * p < 0.05, ** p < 0.01, *** p < 0.001