

Week 14




The Department of the Environment collects seawater samples on a weekly basis during the bathing water season. This is to measure bacterial levels in line with the 2006 Bathing Water Directive.

| Bathing Water | Sampling date | <i>Escherichia coli</i> cfu/100ml | Intestinal enterococci cfu/100ml | Quality |
|------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Bouley Bay | 14 August 2018 | 40 | 31 | ★★★★ |
| Greve de Lecq | 14 August 2018 | <10 | 6 | ★★★★ |
| Plemont | 14 August 2018 | 10 | 20 | ★★★★ |
| Watersplash | 14 August 2018 | 10 | 9 | ★★★★ |
| Le Braye | 14 August 2018 | 10 | 17 | ★★★★ |
| Beauport | 14 August 2018 | 50 | 6 | ★★★★ |
| St Brelade's Bay | 14 August 2018 | 60 | 34 | ★★★★ |
| La Haule | 14 August 2018 | 10 | 3 | ★★★★ |
| Victoria Pool | 14 August 2018 | 40 | 31 | ★★★★ |
| Grouville Bay | 14 August 2018 | 291 | 231 | — |

cfu (colony forming units)

< (is less than the given value)

The above ratings are a weekly snapshot of bathing water quality, however, the full classification is calculated annually for each bathing water site, based on all of the samples from the previous four years.

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|  | Excellent Water Quality: Indicates this sample meets the following standard: less than or equal to 250 <i>Escherichia coli</i> per 100ml; less than or equal to 100 Intestinal enterococci per 100ml |
|  | Good Water Quality: Indicates this sample meets the following standard: less than or equal to 500 <i>Escherichia coli</i> per 100ml; less than or equal to 200 Intestinal enterococci per 100ml |
|  | Poor Water Quality: Values are above 500 <i>Escherichia coli</i> per 100ml and above 200 Intestinal enterococci per 100ml |

The bathing water profiles can be found at www.gov.je/seawater

