Week 4

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	Escherichia coli cfu/100ml	Intestinal enterococci cfu/100ml	Quality
Bouley Bay	05 June 2018	64	31	***
Greve de Lecq	05 June 2018	60	23	***
Plemont	05 June 2018	140	46	***
Watersplash	05 June 2018	<10	<3	***
Le Braye	05 June 2018	10	3	***
Beauport	05 June 2018	45	34	***
St Brelade's Bay	05 June 2018	40	6	***
La Haule	05 June 2018	100	54	***
Victoria Pool	05 June 2018	10	<3	***
Grouville Bay	05 June 2018	<10	3	***

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.



Excellent Water Quality: Indicates this sample meets the following standard: less than or equal to 250 *Escherichia coli* 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 *Escherichia coli* per 100ml; less than or equal to 200 Intestinal enterococci per 100ml



Poor Water Quality: Values are above 500 *Escherichia coli* per 100ml and above 200 Intestinal enterococci per 100ml

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