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Dear Parents and Carers / Annwyl Rieni a gofalwyr,

Re: Year 11 GCSE Results

I am delighted to announce a very strong set of GCSE results.

The main performance measure for schools in Wales is the Capped 9 score which includes the grades in each pupil's top nine subjects, including Literacy, Numeracy, and Science. Our Capped 9 score has increased by 15.8 points from 367.5 points (2023) to 383.3 points (2024). This is an impressive achievement considering that results in Wales have fallen to 2019 (pre-pandemic) levels. The national average will be published during next term. In 2023 the national average for this measure was 358 points and in 2019 it was 354 points.

- The % of our GCSE grades at A* and A is very high at 26%. This is considerably above the national average.
- 25% of our pupils have achieved five or more A* and A grades.
- 10% of our pupils have achieved ten or more A* and A grades.
- The % of our grades at A*-C has increased from 63% to 68%. This is above the national average. Our % has increased whilst the national average has fallen.
- The % of pupils gaining 9 or more qualifications has risen from 88% to 96%.
- The % of pupils achieving A*-C in English Language or Literature has risen from 71% to 74%, with results in English Language considerably above the national average.
- 67% of our pupils have achieved A*-C in Mathematics or Numeracy. Results in Mathematics and Numeracy are significantly above national averages.
- 89% of pupils achieved A*-C in WBQ Skills Challenge Certificate. This is above the national average.

These results reflect the amazing determination, courage, and positivity of our pupils. Congratulations Year 11, you really deserve these results.

Thank you to all our dedicated staff for the first-class teaching and support you provide.

Thank you for your positivity and support.

Yours sincerely / Yn gywir,

Mr J. Watson
Headteacher
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