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Annwyl Rieni a gofalwyr,

### Year 11 GCSE Results

I am very pleased to announce our wonderful GCSE results for this academic year. Huge congratulations to all our pupils on your excellent achievements. They reflect your amazing efforts and determination to achieve highly, your unwavering willingness to embrace challenge with positivity, and your determination and courage to never give up. We are all so proud of you.

There has been another significant rise in our Capped 9 Score. This is now 394.9, an impressive increase of 12.9 points from 2024, and an increase of 27.4 points from 2023. This score is the main measure for schools in Wales, it includes the grades in the top nine subjects, including literacy, numeracy, and science, for every pupil. On average, this means that every pupil now achieves 6Bs and 3Cs. The national average score in 2024 was 352.1.

The % of grades at A\*-A is very high at 29.2%. This is 9.7% above the national average and a rise of 3.2% from last academic year. An impressive 30.4% of pupils achieved five or more grades at A\*/A, a rise of 5.4%.

68.2% of GCSE grades were A\*-C. This is 5.7% above the national average.

69% of pupils achieved A\*-C in Maths or Numeracy. 65.2% of pupils achieved A\*-C in Mathematics, this is 16.2% above the national average. 67.4% of pupils achieved A\*-C in Numeracy, this is 15.4% above the national average.

69.6% of pupils achieved A\*-C in English Language or Literature. 63.6% of pupils achieved A\*-C in English Language, 8% above the national average.

32.6% of pupils achieved A\*-A in Welsh Bacc, 14.5% above national average. 89.1% achieved A\*-C, 1.9% above national average.

Thank you to our incredible staff for the wonderful education and experiences you have provided our Year 11 pupils. Thank you for believing that they can achieve this highly, and for going the extra mile to support them to do so. Congratulations to our whole community for achieving these great successes.

Thank you for your positivity and support.

Yn gywir,

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