



# The Kingswinford School

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Dear Parent / Carer

Welcome back after what I hope has been a fantastic Summer holiday for all. Certainly, for The Kingswinford School, we have much to celebrate with some of our most impressive exam results ever. 44% of our students have achieved a strong pass in both English and Maths with 70% achieving the standard pass or better. This is a significant improvement on last year and I expect will ensure that we become the best school in our area in terms of student progress.

The English team, in particular, have had a phenomenal year and almost  $\frac{3}{4}$  of all students achieved a level 5 or better in English. There were some incredibly high performers amongst the students as well. Our Head Boy, Jack, achieved 6 grade 9s and 4 grade 8s alongside 4 other students who averaged an 8 or better across all subjects; making them some of the top students in the country. A further 18 students averaged a grade 7 or better across all of their subjects (equivalent to an 'A' grade under the old system).

I would like to thank the students and the parents of the outgoing Year 11 and particularly the staff for their hard work and effort in ensuring our students were able to do so well in their exams, and look forward to even better results again next year!

This year, I hope you will see further changes and improvements to the way we are running the school. Over the Summer there have been some cosmetic changes and we will be updating our practices as the year progresses. I would like to have the opportunity to meet more of our parent community, particularly those with students in Year 7 and so, invite you to an informal "Meet the Headteacher" evening this coming Wednesday from 5.00 pm until 6.00 pm in our Refectory. This is an opportunity to hear some of my plans for the year and my vision for the school as well as a chance to have a cup of tea or coffee with my Senior Leadership Team. If you would like to come along, please just drop in on the night.

I look forward to seeing you all soon.

Yours faithfully

T Macdonald  
Headteacher

