



**GCSE Results Day 2014**

***'Academic Excellence'***

**We are delighted to announce that there has been a phenomenal improvement in our GCSE results again this year!**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>
<b>L2 Inclusive</b> (at least 5 A* - C GCSEs including C or above in English & Maths)	<b>32%</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>56%</b>
<b>L2</b> (at least 5 A* - C GCSEs)	<b>70%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>94%</b>
<b>L1</b> (at least 5 A* - G GCSEs)	<b>84%</b>	<b>93%</b>	<b>98%</b>

Fairwater High School has transformed into a high achieving, academic school. There have been phenomenal improvements across all areas of the school. We have now established a culture of high expectations, challenging targets and ambitious goals for every pupil. The outcome of these improvements is to give our pupils the best skills and qualifications they can possibly achieve to improve their life chances.

I am extremely proud of all the pupils at Fairwater High School, especially our Year 11 pupils who have produced outstanding GCSE results that far exceeded their targets. I would like to say a massive thank you to the pupils, teachers, parents and governors for working as a team to make this happen.

These results put Fairwater High School as one of the highest achieving schools in Torfaen, as well as the most improved.

I look forward to improving these results again next year and working closely with Llantarnam High School to plan and prepare for the opening of "Cwmbran High School" in September 2015.

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HEADTEACHER**