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Dear Parents/Carers

Today the government's Performance Tables have been published, showing a summary of last summer's exam results.

We're thrilled with what they show. When Haileybury began sponsoring Haileybury Turnford, and when I joined as Principal last year, we made it our mission to improve results at the school. It's working. And we're sure our students will do even better this summer.

## **Year 11 results**

Our Year 11 results mean that our performance has jumped amongst local schools when you look at 'Progress 8' scores (the government score that compares how similar students across the country did).

I'm really proud that this is such a big step in the right direction, and proves we're doing the right things to make a difference to our students' lives.

Our great Progress 8 improvement was down to excellent results in the new, more challenging English and maths GCSEs, as well as in a wide range of other subjects including dance, drama, media, PE and product design.

## **Year 13 results**

Our Year 13 results remain very strong both for A Levels and vocational qualifications. They show the great progress our sixth formers make through our sixth form, whatever path they take. It's why they're hugely successful in their applications to competitive university courses and higher apprenticeships.

## **Disadvantaged students close the gap**

We've also radically reduced the gap in performance between the students the government defines as 'disadvantaged' and all other students in Year 11. In Year 13 our 'disadvantaged' students actually outperformed other students. (The government calls this group 'Pupil Premium' students.)

Again, I'm really pleased that the hard work is paying off for the students who most need a great education, and good results, to help them make their way in the world.

Thank you for all your support as we continue to make such progress to improve the education we offer your children.

Yours faithfully



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