

24th September 2018

Dear Parent/Carer

We are delighted that our GCSE results this year improved yet again compared to last year. The school's Progress 8 score, which measures students' progress, has risen to put Barnhill Community High in the top 10% of the country.

English and Maths grades were well above the national average with 50% of students achieving the new and challenging Grade 5 or above in both subjects. An impressive 64% of students achieved Grade 4 or above in English and Maths this year.

Top GCSE grades were also excellent with 24% of students achieving Grade 7 or higher in English and Maths.

Barnhill's annual Open Evening for prospective Year 7 pupils and their parents will be held on **Wednesday 3rd October 2018** from 6.00pm to 8.00pm.

To allow for preparation, students will be dismissed at 1.10pm (the end of period 4) on that day.

School will start at normal time on Thursday 4th October.

If you know of any families with an interest in Barnhill, please direct them to our website www.barnhill.school.

Thank you for your continuing support of the staff and students at this very busy time of year.

Yours faithfully



Mr J Jones
Head of School