**Initial Analysis of GCSE results 2016**

Please note that P8 and value added scores are provisional as they are currently compared to last year’s data sets as this years are not yet available. The school results below do not include agriculture and horticulture.

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| **Measure** | **Whole****School** | **Upper (2)** | **Middle (12)** | **Lower (14)** | **PP** | **SEN (8)** | **Boarder** | **OB** |
| **P8** | **+0.47\*** | +0.62 | +0.31 | +1.07 | +1.08 | +0.38 | +0.84 | +0.45 |
| **A8** | **4.68** | 6.13 | 4.87 | 4.66 | 4.40 | 3.57 | 5.13 | 4.06 |
| **A\*-C EM** | **51%** | 100% | 50% | 71% | 40% | 38% | 61% | 40% |
| **5A\*-C EM** | **46%** | 100% | 50% | 57% | 40% | 38% | 52% | 40% |
| **VA** | **1034** | 1035 | 1010 | 1064 | 1023 | 1023 | 1048 | 1022 |
| **3 LoP E** | **94%** | 100% | 83% | 100% | 80% | 88% | 100% | 78% |
| **4 LoP E** | **53%** | 100% | 50% | 64% | 60% | 38% | 70% | 29% |
| **3 LoP M** | **73%** | 100% | 58% | 85% | 60% | 57% | 80% | 64% |
| **4 LoP M** | **31%** | 50% | 32% | 25% | 0% | 14% | 35% | 28% |

\*0.61 according to 4 Matrix

**Trends**

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| **Measure** | **2012** | **2013** | **2014** | **2015** | **2016** | 2008 |
| **Value added** | 1010.3 | 1013.5 | 1006.3 | 975.9 | **1034** |  |
| **5A\*-CEM** | 27% | 33% | 17% | 37% | **46%** | **11%** |
| **3 LoP E** | 70% | 76% | 74% | 73% | **94%** | **66%** |
| **3 LoP M** | 66% | 57% | 55% | 69% | **73%** | **55%** |
| **P8** |  |  |  | -0.28 | **+0.47** |  |
| **A8** |  |  |  | N/A | **4.68** |  |

It is pleasing to report the highest results in the school’s history across all key measures. The floor standard for progress 8 (P8) is -0.50 which Brymore is comfortably above. Brymore currently places sixth in Somerset for achievement (P8). The value added score is also extremely high. Maths results were good (our highest ever for 3 levels of progress) which placed us 2nd in Somerset for progress. English results were exceptional placing the school second in Somerset with English Literature the highest in Somerset and likely in the top few percent nationally for value added. DT and PE scored well ranking 4th in Somerset with Science and history 12th (out of 30)

**Groups/Closing the gaps**

All significant groups achieved a positive P8 score with pupil premium students out-performing the rest of the school. The results for lower ability students were exceptional with boarders consistently out-performing outboarders.

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**Subject performance (percentage A\*-C and Average Levels of progress)**

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|  | **2012** | **2013** | **2014** | **2015** | **2016** | **Average****LoP** |
| **English Lang** |  |  |  |  | **70%** | **3.45** |
| **English Lit** |  |  |  |  | **70%** | **3.53** |
| **English** | 35% | 48% | 48% | 44% | **77%** | **N/A** |
| **Maths** | 52% | 45% | 43% | 60% | **54%** | **3.20** |
| **Science – core** |  | 57% | 59% | 87% | **45%** | **2.38** |
| **Science-add** |  |  | 72% | 25% | **38%** | **2.18** |
| **History** |  |  | 22% | 35% | **28%** | **2.35** |
| **Geography** |  |  |  |  | **25%** | **2.00** |
| **DT-RM** | 76% | 78% | 72% | 79% | **60%** | **3.07** |
| **Art** | 80% | 8% | 31% | 51% | **78%** | **3.10** |
| **PE** |  |  | 5% | 50% | **62%** | **3.19** |
| **ICT** | 96% | 100% | 0% | 0% | **86%** | **3.93** |
| **Engineering** |  |  |  | 87% | **100%** | **4.00** |
| **Agriculture** | 92% | 95% | 89% | 79% | **100%** | **3.78** |
| **Horticulture** | 64% | 88% | 89% | 89% | **75%** | **3.13** |

Practical subjects did well with Engineering producing outstanding results, with strong results from agriculture, horticulture, art, PE and resistant materials. Science, history and geography results were disappointing and will become a focus for the work of the Deputy Headteacher (Vicky Davis) this year.

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