



# The HENRY BEAUFORT School

*At The Henry Beaufort School there are no limitations to individual success; we do not accept mediocrity or complacency*  
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Dear Parents

As you may be aware this is the time of year when the school receives the outcomes from GCSE appeals we have placed on behalf of a number of students.

I am delighted to inform you that as a result of these appeals the school's Gold Standard has now increased from 74% to 75%.

Maths GCSE A\*- C grades has risen from 84% to 85% and English GCSE A\*- C grades have risen from 82% to 83%. English Literature has risen from 83% to 84%.

This places the school within the top 10 schools in Hampshire for Gold standard results.

I know that you will share in our delight at this news and feel as proud of The Henry Beaufort School as I do.

If you have visited the school in the last few weeks you will be aware that the school buildings are being redecorated, a further example of the Local Authorities investment in the school. The media suite has opened and I would like to thank the Parents Association for their very generous financial contribution to the creation of this new facility for our students.

The Parent's association has also asked us to pass on to you an easy way to raise money for the school that won't cost you a penny!

If you shop online you can register with [EasyFundraising.org.uk](http://EasyFundraising.org.uk) and they will donate to the school in the following way:

## Register with **Easy Fundraising** when you shop online

- Go to the website [Easyfundraising.org.uk](http://Easyfundraising.org.uk)
- Register your support for our cause:  
**'Henry Beaufort Association'**
- 'Search for a retailer' and select 'go shopping'
- If your chosen retailer is registered (and most are!) the retailer will make a donation to our cause usually based on a percentage of your purchase
- Sometimes the individual donations may only be a few pence. Don't be put off they all add up!

So far we have raised over £600 in donations from Easy Fundraising  
We currently have 65 members registered to donate to our cause

The nights are now drawing in and the days are certainly cooler than a few weeks ago. This has resulted in a just a few students wearing hoodies. These are not permitted as part of the school uniform and will be confiscated for the day if students arrive wearing them. Could I also take this opportunity to remind parents that girls must not wear leggings under their school trousers. This makes them appear skin tight and they will then be challenged for inappropriate school uniform. Skirts also need to be worn appropriately and we have a number of students who are wearing skirts that they have outgrown. The students do have the choice of wearing appropriate trousers or new skirts can be purchased from the school shop.

Could I also remind parents that if children are cycling to and from school they must be wearing a cycle helmet and reflective clothing.

Finally, can I thank all of you for your messages of support and condolence. It has been an incredibly tough week for the school but our students have been magnificent in the way in which they have pulled together as a community. I could not be more proud of them.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "S. Hearle", is placed on a light pink rectangular background.

Miss Hearle  
Headteacher