

## School Performance Data

### GCSEs 2024

Helsby High School continues to be proud of students' performance, and success was spread across both students and subjects. Year 11 students celebrated excellent GCSE results with 90% of the cohort achieving 8 or more GCSE or vocational qualifications, with nearly 80% achieving the 'English Baccalaureate' suite of subjects: English, Maths, Science, a Modern Foreign Language and one of the Humanities subjects, Geography or History. Three quarter of students achieved a Grade 4 or above in English and nearly three quarters did so in Maths. In addition, across all subjects, one quarter of all grades achieved were at Grade 7, 8 or 9.

	Helsby High School	Local Authority (Cheshire West & Chester)	England State funded schools
% of cohort achieving a 'Standard Pass' (i.e. Grade 4 or higher) in both English and Mathematics	67%	64%	65%
% of cohort achieving a 'Strong Pass' (i.e. Grade 5 or higher) in both English and Mathematics	49%	44%	46%
% of cohort entered for the English Baccalaureate (EBACC)	79%	41%	40%
% of cohort achieving the English Baccalaureate at Grade 4+	44%	27%	25%
% of cohort achieving the English Baccalaureate at Grade 5+	26%	18%	18%
Average EBACC Average Points Score (APS)	4.55	4.01	4.07
Attainment 8 (i.e. average GCSE score in Attainment 8 subjects)	48.3	45.2	45.9
Progress 8 (i.e. average progress from KS2 compared to national average)	+0.04	-0.06	-0.03

For further details regarding our school performance data at KS4 please visit the DfE website through the following link:

<https://www.compare-school-performance.service.gov.uk/school/111440/helsby-high-school>

Students' achieving a 'standard pass' in the Core subject areas:

- 75% of students achieved a Grade 4+ in English
- 73% of students achieved a Grade 4+ in Mathematics
- 67% of students achieved a Grade 4+ in both English and Mathematics
- 74% of students achieved a Grade 4+ in Science
- 69% of students achieved two Grade 4+ in Science

Students' achieving a 'strong pass' in the Core subject areas:

- 59% of students achieved a Grade 5+ in English
- 57% of students achieved a Grade 5+ in Mathematics
- 49% of students achieved a Grade 5+ in both English and Mathematics
- 56% of students achieved a Grade 5+ in Science
- 52% of students achieved two Grade 5+ in Science

In 2024, 79% of all students were entered for the EBACC (English, Mathematics, Science, a MFL and a Humanities subject).

- 44% of all students achieved a Grade 4+ in all the EBACC subjects
- 26% of all students achieved a Grade 5+ in all the EBACC subjects

### Student Destinations

This data is for students who finished two years before the year of publication, i.e. the 2024 table shows students who finished Year 11 in 2022. This is the most recent published destination data.

- Students staying in education or employment for at least 2 terms after key stage 4 was 92% compared to 92% at local authority state-funded schools and 93% England state-funded schools.
- Students staying in education for at least 2 terms after key stage 4 was 85% compared to 83% at local authority state-funded schools and 86% England state-funded schools.