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Dear Parents

Thank you for the feedback given in relation to your child's end of year school report, we appreciate all comments.

I am delighted to report that our KS1 and KS2 SATS results continue to be strong and reflect the hard work and supportive links developed between home and school. The results are as follows:

KS1 results (end of Year 2)	Reading	Writing	Maths	Science	Combined (reading, writing and maths)
ARE (age related expectations)	74%	65%	72%	78%	65%
GDS (greater depth)- above average	30%	22%	28%	Pupils are not assessed for GDS at the end of KS1	13%

KS1 results (end of Year 2)	Reading	Writing	Maths	Science	Grammar, punctuation & spelling	Combined (reading, writing and maths)
ARE (age related expectations)	76%	73%	86%	86%	90%	63%
GDS (greater depth)- above average	29%	11%	35%	Pupils are not assessed for GDS at the end of KS1	47%	14%

PHONICS SCREENING	% PUPILS ACHIEVING EXPECTED STANDARD
Year 1	90%
By the end of Year 2	91%

Pupils achieving good levels of development (GLD) at the end of Reception
71%

We anticipate that the results will be at least in line with National averages or in many subjects above. Our priorities for the next academic year will be around writing across the school and developing our whole school curriculum to ensure pupils have greater opportunities to apply their core skills. A new initiative 'Votes for schools' has been introduced this year and promotes speaking and listening skills related to discussion of topics in the news. Our aim for next year is to link this to writing and give pupils more opportunities to write for a range of purposes. Unfortunately, owing to a dip in writing, our combined attainment (pupils need to pass in reading, writing and maths to achieve combined age-related expectations) has dropped compared to 2018. However, we are confident that this can and will be addressed next year.

Congratulations to all our pupils for achieving great results. We look forward to next year to further improve to ensure improved attainment in writing which will result in higher attainment for combined subjects.

Yours sincerely

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