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The Priory Catholic Voluntary Academy End of Year 6 SATs results overview for 2016

The Priory % of pupils meeting Age Related Expectations (ARE) and Scaled Scores Summer Term 2016 for the 31 pupils in Key Stage 2	Priory School	National
% Achieving Expected Standard in Reading	81%	66%
% Achieving Higher Standard in Reading	35%	19%
Pupils' Average Scale Score for Reading	106.6	102.6
% Achieving Expected Standard in Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	90%	72%
Pupils' Average Scale Score for Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	108	-
% Achieving Expected Standard in Writing (Teacher Assessment)	94%	74%
% Achieving Higher Standard in Writing (Teacher Assessment)	13%	15%
% Achieving Expected Standard in Maths	84%	70%
% Achieving Higher Standard in Maths	42%	17%
Pupils' Average Scale Score for Maths	107	103
% Achieving Expected Standard in Reading, Writing (TA) and Maths	77%	53%
% Achieving Higher Standard in Reading, Writing (TA) and Maths	10%	5%

Congratulations to the class of 2016

In July last year, nervous Year 6 pupils as well as parents and carers awaited the outcome of their end of primary school SATs results. Equally nervous were the teaching staff and assistants, as we had concerns about the raised standards to be taught in line with the new curriculum –of course we had full faith in the children!

It was wonderful to eventually send out the end of year reports containing their individual results –as you will see from the overall figures, this was largely met with joy and happiness. It is true to say that the class of 2016 did themselves proud.

The headline figure is 77% of children attaining the expected (higher) standard in all three combined areas of Reading, Writing and Mathematics. Congratulations to all the pupils and the staff of The Priory Catholic Voluntary Academy on this wonderful achievement. The teachers and pupils have adapted to the higher standards of the new curriculum extremely well, with our school results –as can be seen in the above table – being much higher than those attained nationally.

It is proof that hard work, family support, constant encouragement and motivation pay off. We wish the class of 2016 every success in the future –most of who are now at our partner secondary school: Saint John Houghton Catholic Voluntary Academy.

This is a fantastic achievement for the students, their families, their teachers and for the whole school community. I am very proud of their hard work and commitment.

Anthony Harrison