

## 2016 Test Results at St Bernadette's Catholic Primary School

### KEY STAGE 2 Tests 2016

Context: Children sitting this year's SATs for 11-year-olds have been tested on a new, more demanding curriculum. The expected standard has been raised. There are no "levels" so we cannot compare the test results to how children in previous years performed. However, the government has worked out the average national scores for the summer 2016 tests. Using these figures, we can see how our children did when compared to all the 11-year olds in the country.

This year, children's test papers have been given a score, not a "level". If pupils are performing as expected, the score will be 100. The score range runs from 80 to 120.

To help parents get some idea of how our school is doing when we are compared to all other primary schools in England, the scores for both St Bernadette's and the national scores are given in the table below:

% of pupils attaining the expected standard (a score of 100+) in Key Stage 2 tests in 2016 (15 pupils in the year group, each child = 6.6%)		
SUBJECT	St Bernadette's %	National %
Reading	80%	66%
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	100%	72%
Mathematics	87%	70%
Writing (assessed by teachers, not SAT test)	93%	74%
All Subjects (children attaining the expected standard of 100 in all areas)	80%	53%
Average scores of St Bernadette's pupils compared to average national scores		
SUBJECT	St Bernadette's Score	National Score
Reading	106.3	103
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	106.6	104
Mathematics	105.6	103
<b>St Bernadette's above national outcomes in all areas</b>		

## Key Stage 1 Tests 2016

Context: The national assessments for 7-year-olds have also changed this year. The standards children are expected to reach at the end of Year 2 in primary school have been adjusted upwards. Just like Key Stage 2, the expected score for the end of year tests is 100 in each subject. Teachers mark the tests; their marking is then checked by other professionals; and a score is calculated. Teachers also use their detailed knowledge of pupils' classwork during the year to get a clear and fair picture of attainment for each pupil. This then gives an overall picture of what proportion of the year group is working at or above the expected standard. Teachers also identify those pupils who need additional support in order to move more quickly to the new, raised standard.

% of pupils attaining the expected standard or above in Key Stage 1 assessments in 2016 (13 pupils in the year group, each child = 7.7%)	
S U B J E C T	% at or above expected standard
Reading	77%
Writing	70%
Mathematics	70%

Year 1 Phonics Check for 6 year-olds - the government also sets an early reading test for pupils in Year 1. In 2016, all but 1 of the year group attained the expected standard.