

Dear Parents and Carers,

There has been a return this year of SATS, and other statutory assessments, in primary school following a two-year absence caused by the pandemic. There is much for us to be proud of regarding the data below - particularly in the achievement of pupils leaving Berrywood - in comparison to national averages. There will be some target areas for us to improve going forward, but I cannot fault the effort that whole staff team have shown in supporting our children.

My professional standpoint for a long time has been that the SATS system, and other forms of testing in primary education, need substantial reform. Our commitment at Berrywood has always been to ensure that the curriculum is not narrowed, and that our focus remains the development of the whole child.

On Friday this week, you will receive your child's annual school report. Some of you will receive print outs, that we are required to provide, showing school performance compared to national averages from 2019... the tables below provide a more up-to-date, and hopefully useful comparison. You will also receive Berrywood Assessment Model data, along with the regular Learning Dispositions Assessment. It is our view that these provide really important curriculum attainment information as well as comprehensive breakdown of your child's learning skills.

Kind regards,

Chris Reilly

EYFS (Year R)	National Result 2022	Berrywood Result
Good Level of Development	65%	66%

Phonics Results	National Results 2022	Berrywood Results
Year 1	76%	74%
Year 2 (Retake)	49%	41%

KS1 (Year 2 SATS)	National Results	Berrywood Results
Maths	68%	66%
Reading	67%	71%
Writing	58%	42%

Year 4 Multiplication Check	National Results	Berrywood Results
Pupils scoring 20 -25 marks	<i>National data not yet published. We understand ours compares favourably.</i>	80%
Pupils scoring 24 or 25 marks (maximum mark 25)		60%

KS2 (Year 6 SATS)	National Results	Berrywood Results
Maths	71%	84%
Reading	74%	77%
Writing	69%	84%
Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling	72%	73%
Combined RWM	59%	72%