



ESCRICK CE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

SUMMER TERM 2 – 14th July

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we enter the final week of the school year, I want to share with the wider school family how well our Year 6 children did in their recent SATs tests. These tables show the percentage of pupils and their attainment in the Key Stage 2 Tests and Teacher Assessments in 2024 at a national level and for 2025 at a school level. The number of pupils at the end of key stage 2 in 2025: 27

	National Results (%)	Your School's Results (%)	Difference in Percentage Points (+ or -)
Achieving the expected standard and above in English reading	74	85	11
Achieving the expected standard and above in English writing (TA)	72	81	9
Achieving the expected standard and above in mathematics	73	89	16
Achieving the expected standard in English reading, English writing (TA) and mathematics	61	78	17
Achieving the expected standard and above in grammar, punctuation and spelling	72	85	13
Achieving a higher standard in English reading	28	63	35
Achieving a higher standard in English writing (TA)	13	30	17
Achieving a higher standard in mathematics	24	52	28
Achieving a higher standard in English reading, English writing (TA) and mathematics	8	22	14
Achieving a higher standard in grammar, punctuation and spelling	32	22	-10

SATs results are one part of the child's journey but as a staff team we want all of our children to be as secondary ready as possible as this gives them the best start at Secondary school. All of the Year 6 children should be very proud of themselves and their achievements, they worked hard and have got the best start for their next chapter. A huge thank you to the staff team for supporting our children to truly FLOURISH as all staff have played a part in their primary journey.

This week, we reflect and celebrate, the Year 6 children's primary education at the Church Leavers' Service and in an assembly next Monday. Leaving primary school is milestone and as we approach this time, we want to wish all of our Year 6 children the very best for the future, they are all lovely individuals and I know they will continue to enjoy their learning and experiences.

A message from Jen Fenton – Chair of Escrick PTA - After three amazing years, I've decided it's time to step down as Chair of the PTA. It's been a real privilege to be part of such a fantastic school community, and I'm so proud of everything we've achieved together. From ice cream sales to movie nights, discos and of course the unforgettable Colour Runs - it's been a joy to help bring people together and raise funds that have made a real difference to Escrick school.

I've been lucky to work alongside the most incredible PTA team — a group of hardworking, creative, and fun individuals who have given their time and energy to make things happen. None of it would have been possible without their support, and I'm so grateful for everything they've done.

A huge thank you as well to everyone who's helped along the way — whether by volunteering, donating, or simply showing up to support an event. Your involvement has meant a lot and truly made all the difference.

I really hope someone will feel inspired to take on the role. It's such a rewarding experience and a brilliant way to get involved in school life, meet new people, and be part of something positive.

Thanks again for everything — it's been a pleasure!

Jen

I would also like to thank the PTA for their commitment and hard work over the year, which has ensured many fun events for the children and families and also the support they offer to school when raising much needed money. THANK YOU for all your hard work, we are so truly grateful.

All of the staff and children would also like to extend their huge thanks to Ruth and Kirsty for another wonderful year of forest school lessons. The children gain so much from these lessons both socially, personally and have fun. So thank you and we look forward to next year!

TEAM POINTS – Congratulations to Ouse for winning last week. They can have their non uniform day this coming Friday for their reward.

Final dates:

Tuesday 15th July @ 2.30pm Rock steady concert- parents invited.

Thursday 17th July - Crucial Crew trip to Year 6.

Friday 18th July 9.15am: Leavers' Service in Church

Monday 21st July: Whole school games and picnic lunch before finishing at 1.30pm

On a personal note I would like to extend my sincere thanks for your ongoing support, especially with the new leadership model we have here at school. The support for the changes and Mr Broxup has been overwhelmingly positive and we look forward to continued success next year.

We wish you a very happy, restful and safe summer holidays.

Best wishes



Miss Emma E Miller

'Every person is an individual and also part of a community'

1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Safeguarding children – if you have any concerns for the welfare of a child, please contact Miss Miller or Mr Broxup (if in school hours) or alternatively the NYCC safeguarding team can be contacted via this link <https://www.safeguardingchildren.co.uk/about-us/worried-about-a-child/>

Respecting staff – our staff are dedicated professionals. We will not accept any abuse towards our staff