

Eastlea Primary School KS2 SATs results 2016

This year the SATs taken by Year 6 were different to those set in previous years and reflected the new national curriculum which the children had just started to follow. This is significantly more challenging than the previous curriculum.

You may have seen in the press that the outcomes nationally are much lower than in previous years because the tests are much harder. Only half (53%) of the children in the country reached the 'expected standard' in reading, writing and maths combined. This does not mean that the children have done less well this year or that standards in the country have fallen – simply that expectations have been significantly increased and that what the government had deemed to be acceptable in previous years is not seen as acceptable this year. At Eastlea we were in line with the national figures for this standard with 50% pupils achieving the combined measure.

Despite this additional level of challenge, children at Eastlea have continued to perform <u>above expectations</u> in terms of progress compared to national data, which we are delighted about. Please see the table below to see how Eastlea performed including how we compared with other schools nationally.

	Eastlea % meeting the expected standard	National % meeting the expected standard	Eastlea % achieving the high standard	National % achieving the high standard	Eastlea Average scaled score	Eastlea Progress score
Reading test	59	66	6	19	100	-0.6
SPaG test	63	72	13	23	101	
Maths test	78	70	9	17	103	2.2
Writing Teacher assessment	81	74	0	15		1.4
Combined (reading, writing and maths)	50	53	0			