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Dear parents and carers,

Following their release earlier this week, I am delighted to be able to share with the school community the End of Key Stage 2 (Year 6) Standard Assessment Tests (SATs) 2022 results.

Year 6 children take tests in Reading, Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling and Maths. These, alongside teacher assessments of English writing and science, provide vital information to parents about their child's attainment, support the transition to secondary schools and identify where additional support is best targeted to individuals.

Due to COVID-19, SATs were suspended for the last two years, however a full programme of tests took place this year.

We are thrilled to share the overall SATs results with the whole school community.

Key Stage 2	Esher Church School 2022		National 2022	ECS v National 2022
	At and above expected standard	Greater depth	At and above expected standard	At and above expected standard
Reading	89%	54%	74%	+15%
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	96%	63%	72%	+24%
Writing	84%	22%	69%	+15%
Maths	96%	63%	71%	+25%
Science	96%		79%	+17%
Combined (Reading, Writing and Maths)	80%	22%	59%	+21%

On behalf of all the staff and Governors, I wanted to say a huge congratulations to all our Year 6 children who have consistently demonstrated our school values of **Wisdom, Hope, Dignity** and **Community** throughout the year. They have all worked so hard, shown resilience and determination, and have made such wonderful progress across the year. These results are amazing and all the children should be exceptionally proud of all their efforts. The school community also needs to say a huge thank you and congratulations to our amazing Year 6 team of teachers and learning support assistants who have supported and challenged our Year 6 cohort throughout the year.

I know the Year 6 children will want me to thank Mrs Skingle, Mrs Carleton, Miss Knothe, Mrs Messiah, Mrs Tullet and Mrs Whyte. We must also thank our 11+ tutors (Mrs Leppard, Mrs Solomon and Mrs Messiah) for their additional teaching for those children who choose to apply for an independent sector school. All these educators have worked so hard in ensuring every child has had exciting and memorable learning experiences across their final year.



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However, these amazing SATs results have not just been made in Year 6. It is also essential to thank all teaching staff at ECS. Most of our Year 6 children started their educational life at ECS in Reception and have moved through the year groups, learning and progressing each year. These results are a celebration of the strong teaching and exciting curriculum across the school, ensuring that all Year 6 children are ready and prepared for Secondary School.

Our Year 6 children move on to several state and independent Secondary Schools, with an approximate 50:50 split between the maintained and private sector education systems. Many of our children who are moving on to independent secondary schools do so with academic, sports and music scholarships.

The Secondary Schools our Year 6s are moving to this year include:

- City of Freemans
- Claremont Fan Court
- Cobham Free School
- Esher High School
- Guildford High School
- Hinchley Wood School
- Reed's School
- Royal Grammar School
- Surbiton High School
- Tiffin Girls' School
- Tiffin School
- Tormead School

We look forward to the remainder of this academic year and some special events with our children : School disco, Open afternoons, Year 2 tie assembly, Platinum Jubilee Ball, Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 Sports Day, Year 6's production and the Year 6 lever's assembly. We hope that you can make some of these events.

Yours faithfully

Mr Foley
Headteacher