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Dear Parent/Carer

KS2 ASSESSMENT OUTCOMES

Your child's end of Key Stage Two assessment outcomes can now be seen on your My Child At School (MCAS) account. They are available in the 'reports' section of the MCAS app or the web-version of MCAS. Should you have any issues accessing your MCAS account, please refer to the original [letter](#), which includes a range of troubleshooting queries. We also have a dedicated email address mcas@bredon.worcs.sch.uk.

The report contains your child's scaled score and whether they have met the expected standard in the national curriculum tests taken, along with the outcomes of their science and English writing, both of which are teacher assessed. The Key Stage Two assessments test pupils on their knowledge across the whole of Key Stage Two, from years 3-6 inclusive.

Scaled scores help test results to be reported consistently from one year to the next. The national curriculum tests are designed to be as similar as possible year on year, but slight differences in difficulty will occur between years. Scaled scores maintain their meaning over time so that two pupils achieving the same scaled score on two different tests will have demonstrated the same attainment. On the scale, 100 will always represent the 'national standard'. Due to the way scaled scores work and how they link to test scores on individual papers, a scaled score of 99 doesn't necessarily mean a child was one test mark off achieving the national standard.

We are very much aware that the Key Stage Two assessments only take into account a small amount of what a pupil can do and their abilities across a narrow range of assessment taken in tests over the course of one week. Whilst they are an important measure, they should also be looked at alongside the end of year report and the many other talents your child has that go beyond the academic, encompassing our school values of Belief, Honesty and Aspiration. We are incredibly proud of all of our pupils at Bredon Hill Academy and the part they have played in our community over this academic year.

Thank you for your support.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mike Horton'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'M'.

Mike Horton
Assistant Headteacher

