



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School
Diocese of Clifton

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With St Therese as our guide we do little things with much love to make a big difference for everyone.

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Dear parents/carers

Attached with your child's report is the result of their phonics screening check. This is a statutory assessment that took place in June and shows how well the children's reading and phonics skills are developing. The scoring is based on a national standard. Your child is given a mark out of 40. The pass mark is 32. The results are reported to the local authority but are not published. If your child did not achieve 32, they will be given the opportunity to take the check again in year 2.

I would like to thank you all for the reading that you do at home with your children. The practise that they get is invaluable. Reading is the most important skill that we teach and your regular support has helped them to do so well.

We are so proud of our Year 1 children. They really do work hard to be the best that they can be- that is shown in their great results. Should you have any questions about your child's phonics screening check, please do not hesitate to ask.

Kind regards,

Clare Howells

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