

St Michael's CEP School

2025-2026 End of Key Stage Outcomes

2026 Early Years Foundation Stage - % achieving a 'good level of development':

These are the results of the assessment that takes place at the end of Reception Class.

		St. Michael's	National	Bolton
% achieving a 'good level of development'	2025	59%	68%	64%
	2026	59%	72%	

2026 Year 1 Phonics Screening - % achieving the expected level:

At the end of Year 1, pupils undertake the Phonics Screening Check, in which their recognition of phonics is tested. Any child who does not meet national standards will re-take the test at the end of Year 2.

		St. Michael's	National	Bolton
% achieving the expected level	2025	81%	80%	79%
	2026	85%	82%	

2026 Year 2 Phonics Screening - % achieving the expected level:

In Year 2 the phonics screening test is repeated for those who did not reach the expected standard in Year 1. The table below shows the percentage of children who have passed after both Year 1 and Year 2 tests.

		St. Michael's	National	Bolton
% achieving the expected level	2025	92%	89%	86%
	2026	90%	91%	

2026 End of Key Stage 2 - % achieving the expected level:

*The 2026 KS2 results **DO NOT** include the removal of International Arrival Children therefore our final percentage will be higher once these children have been removed.

In May of Year 6 children take a test to ascertain whether they are at the expected standard for a child of their age. Below shows the percentage of children who reached the expected standard in 2024.

		St. Michael's	National	Bolton
READING: % achieving	2025	71%	75%	73%

the expected level	2026	73%	75%	
WRITING: % achieving the expected level	2025	75%	72%	71%
	2026	75%	73%	
MATHS: % achieving the expected level	2025	70%	74%	75%
	2026	73%	75%	
READING, WRITING & MATHS COMBINED: % achieving the expected level	2025	59%	62%	61%
	2026	58%	63%	

2026 End of Key Stage 2 – Average Point Score:

		St. Michael's	National	Bolton
READING: (Average Scaled Score)	2026	104.5	106.0	
MATHS: (Average Scaled Score)	2026	104.1	105.0	

2026 End of Key Stage 2 – 'Greater depth.'

Some children in Year 6 will achieve above the expected standard. This table shows the percentage of children who achieved the higher standard or 'greater depth.'

		St. Michael's	National	Bolton
READING: % achieving the 'greater depth' standard	2025	25%	33%	29%
	2026	25%	30%	
WRITING: % achieving the 'greater depth' standard	2025	20%	13%	15%
	2026	17%	13%	
MATHS: % achieving the 'greater depth' standard	2025	29%	26%	28%
	2026	18%	27%	
READING, WRITING & MATHS COMBINED%	2025	16%	8%	10%

achieving the 'greater depth' standard:	2026	5%	8%	
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