

All Saints Catholic College

A Voluntary Academy

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Dear parents and carers,

Please find enclosed your child's first Progress Report of the year. We have listened to parental feedback about how school report information and, as a result, have changed how school collate and report progress information to you. Our Key Stage Three (KS3) curriculum is based upon the National Curriculum, therefore the topics your child will study and assessments they will sit at KS3 are built around securing knowledge of these key concepts. Each year, at KS3, your child is assessed against these topics to ensure that they are becoming more knowledgeable in their subjects over time. You can keep track of your child's learning using the curriculum area of our website: <https://www.allsaintscatholiccollege.com/about-us/curriculum>

Your child's report includes a summary for each subject and the topics your child is currently learning. This is followed by statement(s) which link to this topic and an assessment of how well your child is accessing this part of the curriculum using the following terms:

- Emerging
- Developing
- Secure

Your child also has a specific target in each subject to help them improve, along with a comment about their Behaviour for Learning.

At the top of the report we have shared your child's numeracy and reading age. These are tested each term. School uses this information to help us plan extra intervention and adapt our teaching to support your child. If your child's reading and numeracy ages are below the expected level we recommend they engage with additional reading and numeracy using <https://www.sparxmaths.uk/> and accessing our school library or your local library, you can find information about this here: <https://www.tameside.gov.uk/libraries>.

Information about our reading offer can be found on the website in the curriculum area.

We really value your feedback, so that our school can continue to improve and offer the best education for our children. We want you to understand the journey your child is on during their time at All Saints Catholic College; therefore, a short evaluation will follow so that you can share your thoughts about the new reports.

Yours faithfully,

Ms Gilligan
Deputy Headteacher

