

Equality objective 1:

Narrow the gap between attainment of boys and girls at KS2 in Reading, Writing and Maths

Why we have chosen this objective:

Historically girls achieve higher standards than boys at KS2 by the time they leave for secondary school. The gap was particularly high in 2016. There has been ongoing action to ensure teaching is sufficiently focused to address all children's individual needs and plan engaging and motivating teaching for all and the gap reduced in 2017. However this needs continued focus to strengthen and consolidate so that all our children achieve excellent outcomes.

SMART objective

Narrow gap between attainment of boys/girls to 2% or less in any subject for reading, writing and maths

Progress we are making towards achieving this objective:

	2016	2017
Reading expected standard	Girls 55% Boys 33%	Girls 76% Boys 70%
Reading exceeding standard	Girls 18% Boys 3%	Girls 27% Boys 26%
Writing expected standard	Girls 67% Boys 28%	Girls 73% Boys 65%
Writing exceeding standard	Girls 9% Boys 3%	Girls 14% Boys 7%
Maths expected standard	Girls 64% Boys 47%	Girls 76% Boys 72%
Maths exceeding standard	Girls 12% Boys 6%	Girls 15% Boys 15%