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Dear Parents,

At the end of November 2021, your child was assessed using the statutory 'Phonics Screening Check'. This check is usually conducted when your child is in Year 1, however due to school closures in early 2021 the Government postponed these statutory checks until Autumn 2021.

The check is not about passing or failing but checking appropriate progress is being made. If children do not reach the required threshold, then the class teachers will ensure your child will receive additional, tailored support with their phonics in Year 2. Children progress at different speeds so not reaching the threshold score does not necessarily mean there is a problem. Your child will re-sit the 'Phonics Screening Check' in the summer term 2022.

The threshold score set by the Government is 32 correct answers out of 40.

If you have any questions or queries, please discuss this with Mrs Wiedman or Miss Taylor.

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Mrs D.A.Maxwell **Head Teacher**

Name of Child:

Score out of 40:















