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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to update you regarding the publication of this year's Key Stage 2 (SATs) results for our Year 6 pupils.

As previously communicated, schools across England have been informed by the Department for Education that there has been a national delay in the release of Key Stage 2 results. Schools were originally due to receive pupils' results on 7 July; however, these will now be made available to schools on **16 July 2026**. This delay is affecting all primary schools nationally.

I appreciate that many families will be eager to receive their child's results, particularly as we approach the end of your child's primary education. While this delay is understandably disappointing, I would like to reassure you that it does not affect the accuracy or validity of the assessments. We have been informed that the delay relates solely to the timing of the release of results.

Our Year 6 pupils have worked exceptionally hard throughout the year and have approached their assessments with maturity, resilience and determination. The SATs represent just one aspect of their primary school journey, and we remain immensely proud of everything they have achieved during their time at St Edmund's. Their academic progress, personal growth, contributions to school life and readiness for the next stage of their education are all worthy of celebration.

To help families better understand the information that will be shared when results are released, I have attached a leaflet published by the Standards and Testing Agency entitled *Assessment Results at the End of Key Stage 2: Information for Parents*. This guide explains how results are reported and what the different outcomes mean.

As soon as we receive the results on 16 July, we will ensure that they are shared with parents as quickly as possible.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely

Henry Huxtable
Academy Head



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