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Dear Parents,

December News Update

Primary School Performance Tables 2014

In my previous newsletter, I mentioned that Castle Camps has been identified as one of the highest performing primary schools in Cambridgeshire. This was reported in the national press, as well as locally in the Cambridge Evening News.

As a school, we appreciate that every group of children is different and that results can fluctuate greatly year on year. This is particularly the case with small schools, like Castle Camps, when results are shown as percentages rather than point scores. However, we are extremely proud of our pupils and feel we should recognise their outstanding achievements. On the reverse side of this letter, you will find a copy of the League Table for the region. As you look at the table, you will see that Castle Camps is ranked as **3rd overall in Cambridgeshire** and that our pupils scored an incredible 100% Level 4 in Reading, Writing and Mathematics - Level 4 is the expected level for the age group. It should also be noted that many children exceeded this level last year, with a significant number scoring Level 5 or higher in Mathematics and English.

The league tables report solely on performance in Year 6, however we were also delighted with the end of year results across the entire school. These included:

- 70% of children achieving a Good Level of Development at the end of Reception
- 100% pass rate for the Year 1 Phonics Check
- 100% of children meeting (or exceeding) end of Year 2 expectations
- Good or outstanding progress in all year groups.

These fantastic results reflect the outstanding contribution made by all members of our school community and we look forward to building on this success in the future.

Key Stage 2 Christmas Production

On Saturday, the Cambridge Evening News reported that a number of vehicles had been targeted by thieves while parents were inside schools watching Christmas Nativity plays. Sadly, Castle Camps was one of the schools identified in the report. Please remember not to leave any valuables in cars during our Key Stage 2 productions this week. Thank you.

New School Library

Our new library has been installed and looks fabulous. Staff will be organising the Library on the morning of our INSET day on Monday, 5th January. Later on in the Spring Term, we will be inviting Marilyn Brocklehurst (from the Norfolk Book Company) to support us in developing our existing library stock.

Spring Term School Lunches

The cost of Spring Term lunches (Key Stage 2 children only) are listed below:

1st Half of Spring Term (5 weeks and 4 days): £62.35
2nd Half of Spring Term (5 weeks): £53.75
Cost for whole term: £116.10

Please accept our very best wishes for a peaceful and happy Christmas. We look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Tuesday, 6th January 2015.

Yours sincerely,

Miss A. O'Connor
Headteacher



HOW SCHOOLS MEASURE UP IN 2014 PRIMARY

Cambridgeshire

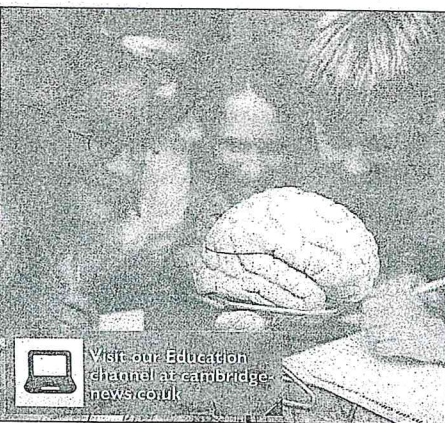
	Eligible pupils	Reading test	Reading progress	Writing progress	Maths progress	Combined	Points	Rank
Abbey Meadows	42	74	92	69	95	76	90	26.6 168
Abbots Ripton	15	93	100	87	77	93	92	87 28.3 47
Alconbury	31	87	96	90	96	90	96	81 29.1 78
Arbury	47	91	91	77	91	89	93	77 28.7 100
Babraham	11	91	91	91	100	91	91	29.0 21
Bar Hill	32	97	94	88	94	100	94	88 30.4 40
Barrington	18	72	78	89	100	72	83	61 27.2 164
Barton	19	95	95	100	89	89	89	31.4 35
Bassingbourn	35	89	94	83	100	94	94	80 29.6 84
The Bellbird	31	100	100	87	93	84	93	77 29.5 104
Bewick Bridge	43	74	71	67	71	65	63	49 25.9 180
Bottisham	40	90	92	95	100	90	88	30.2 38
Bourn	29	100	100	100	100	100	100	31.6 1
Buckden	28	100	100	93	100	96	93	89 30.8 30
Burrough Green	17	88	94	82	94	82	100	82 28.7 75
Burwell Village	60	88	93	73	82	88	87	73 28.2 125
Bury	29	97	100	97	97	97	97	30.7 7
Bushmead	26	96	100	88	92	100	88	29.5 41
Caldecote	28	100	100	93	96	96	96	89 30.9 31
Castle Camps	16	100	100	100	100	100	100	30.0 3
Cherry Hinton	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Chesterton	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Cheveley	19	95	89	95	95	84	79	84 28.7 65
Coates	13	92	100	85	92	85	100	35 29.0 59
Colville	25	80	95	76	90	76	95	72 27.2 138
Coton	16	100	100	100	100	100	100	31.9 4
Cottenham	69	90	88	87	96	91	94	83 30.0 66
Cromwell Park	30	97	92	83	92	97	92	80 29.3 86
Crosshall	114	91	77	88	71	80	56	76 28.3 108
Ditton Lodge	27	89	89	96	95	89	81	78 28.6 98
Downham Feoffees	30	90	90	97	100	80	87	73 29.3 130
Dry Drayton	6	83	n/a	83	n/a	67	n/a	67 25.8 158
Duxford	28	96	93	93	96	93	93	89 29.4 32
Earlith	22	82	77	23	23	68	59	23 25.2 186
Elsworth	21	100	100	100	100	95	95	31.7 9
The Elton	12	92	92	100	100	100	100	32 30.8 18
Ely St John's	59	92	93	95	98	90	91	85 29.3 57
Ely St Mary's	80	86	87	78	83	78	79	74 27.7 120
Eynesbury	30	97	97	83	90	80	77	73 28.5 131
Fawcett	26	92	96	85	92	81	84	73 28.7 134
Fen Ditton	19	84	89	89	95	74	84	68 28.8 152
Fen Drayton	16	100	100	88	94	88	81	81 29.3 79
Fenstanton and Hilton	37	84	97	78	100	92	92	78 28.0 97
Fordham	30	90	87	80	97	83	90	73 28.5 132
Fowlmere	12	92	92	83	83	67	75	67 27.4 156
Foxton	13	92	92	85	100	85	92	85 30.8 60
Fulbourn	18	100	100	100	100	94	100	94 31.4 10
Gamlingay Village	44	95	91	95	98	77	74	77 28.8 102
Girton Glebe	29	100	93	97	97	97	97	93 31.5 13
Glebelands	53	91	92	74	91	81	85	70 28.0 145
Godmanchester	58	100	100	97	98	95	95	91 30.8 19
Gorefield	12	83	92	92	92	83	92	75 27.9 117
Great Abington	14	93	93	86	100	100	86	31.9 54
Great & Little Shelford	24	96	92	83	92	96	96	83 29.5 71
Great Gidding	11	82	82	82	100	64	64	55 27.0 173
Great Paxton	23	91	100	87	100	91	91	87 29.9 46
Great Staughton	10	80	100	60	90	80	80	50 27.5 178
Great Wilbraham	6	100	100	83	100	100	83	29.0 73
The Grove	21	90	80	76	65	86	85	71 27.7 144
Guilden Morden	10	100	90	100	100	100	100	30.2 5
Guyhirn	11	100	91	91	100	91	91	30.5 22
Hardwick	43	88	90	81	95	86	90	74 29.0 121
Harston and Newton	20	100	100	85	72	100	94	85 30.5 58
Harford	53	94	92	94	98	89	85	89 29.0 29
Haslingfield	18	89	88	89	100	89	94	89 30.8 36
Hatton Park	26	96	96	81	83	100	80	77 30.0 105
Hauxton	6	83	83	83	100	67	83	67 29.0 159
Hemlingford Grey	25	92	88	84	96	92	92	80 28.7 87
Histon and Impington	36	94	96	93	98	86	90	84 30.2 62
Holywell	27	100	100	100	100	93	89	93 31.1 15
Houghton	27	100	100	100	100	89	89	89 30.3 34
Huntingdon	52	79	86	83	96	81	80	69 26.8 149
The Icknield	19	79	83	74	83	74	67	63 27.5 162
Isoham	28	93	93	93	96	93	96	93 30.5 14

Key to table

THE table shows each primary school, listed alphabetically within its local authority area. It also details:

Eligible pupils: the number of pupils on roll eligible for assessment in National Curriculum Key Stage 2 tests this year
Reading test: the percentage of pupils achieving Level 4 – the expected level for the age group – or above in the reading test
Reading progress: percentage of pupils who have made two or more levels of progress in reading between the ages of 7 and 11
Writing: percentage of pupils achieving Level 4 – the expected level for the age group – or above in writing (this is assessed by teachers)
Writing progress: percentage of pupils who have made two or more levels of progress in writing between the ages of 7 and 11
Maths: percentage of pupils achieving Level 4 – the expected level for the age group – or above in the maths test
Maths progress: The percentage of pupils who have made two or more levels of progress in maths between the ages of 7 and 11
Combined: The percentage of pupils achieving Level 4 or above in both the reading and maths tests and in writing
Points: The school's average points score. Pupils sitting the National Curriculum tests are given a set number of points for the level they achieve. Level 2 or below is worth 15 points, Level 3 is worth 21 points, Level 4 is worth 27 points, Level 5 is worth 33 points, Level 6 is worth 39 points. A pupil's average points score is calculated on their reading, writing and maths results and these are then used to calculate the school's average points score.

Rank: The school's ranking within its own local authority, according to the percentage of pupils achieving Level 4 or above in reading, writing and maths.



Jeavons Wood	30	100	96	73	84	0	n/a	0	n/a	187
Kennett	8	88	88	88	100	100	75	29.6	119	
Kettlefields	13	92	100	85	100	85	83	85	28.7	61
Kimbolton	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Kinderley	10	90	100	80	100	70	100	60	28.2	167
Kings Hedges	41	80	90	78	90	78	88	76	27.3	110
Kingsfield	47	79	87	57	57	87	82	47	25.3	182
The Lantern	52	90	90	92	90	88	86	83	29.6	68
Linton Heights	61	92	92	89	93	90	95	80	29.2	82
Little Paxton	40	98	93	95	98	93	95	88	30.1	39
Little Thetford	15	87	87	100	100	93	93	87	31.0	48
Mayfield	61	93	92	87	87	85	95	79	29.3	89
Mayfield	58	95	92	84	94	79	85	72	29.5	136
Meadow	42	100	98	90	98	98	93	90	30.2	25
Melbourn	42	83	90	86	98	76	73	76	28.7	109
Meldreth	22	91	95	77	91	95	95	77	31.4	106
Mepal and Witcham	9	89	89	78	78	78	89	67	26.3	157
Merridian	34	91	91	91	97	91	97	91	30.1	20
Middlefield	30	97	93	97	97	93	87	93	28.8	11
Millfield	29	76	85	69	81	76	85	55	26.3	172
Milton	57	93	96	88	93	91	91	82	29.7	74
Milton Road	57	89	85	91	93	86	87	84	29.7	63
Monkfield Park	61	85	92	82	95	80	77	72	28.2	135
Mortley Memorial	56	95	100	89	98	89	94	86	30.5	49
Newnham Croft	31	97	100	97	92	87	96	87	31.9	45
The Newton	11	100	100	100	100	91	100	91	29.9	23
Oakington	17	94	100	82	88	88	94	82	31.0	76
Offord	21	100	95	100	100	100	100	100	30.9	2
Orchard Park	8	100	100	88	100	100	88	28.9	43	
Orchards	37	73	84	59	88	76	84	57	25.8	169
Over	45	93	100	96	100	91	93	87	29.6	44

Park Street	11	91	89	91	89	91	100	91	29.6	24
Pendragon	45	87	91	80	93	80	81	71	28.3	142
Petersfield	16	81	81	88	100	69	81	69	29.1	150
Priory	61	84	88	80	92	89	90	75	29.0	114
Queen Edith	57	89	96	81	96	89	94	79	29.7	90
Queen Emma	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
The Rackham	43	88	91	88	100	91	95	86	29.4	50
Ramsey	61	92	88	92	97	82	81	77	28.4	99
Ridgefield	27	93	100	93	100	93	92	93	28.4	16
Robert Arkenstall	35	83	86	89	91	83	91	80	29.0	85
The Round House	24	83	83	88	100	79	92	75	28.7	116
St Alban's	30	100	96	93	96	100	100	93	31.5	12
St Andrew's	58	83	88	74	86	81	88	64	27.2	160
St Anne's	25	100	88	96	96	100	100	96	30.5	8
St Helen's	28	82	89	96	100	86	96	79	29.0	93
St John's	18	83	71	83	100	72	82	72	26.8	140
St Laurence's	30	90	87	83	90	73	93	73	28.3	133
St Luke's	16	100	93	100	100	81	93	81	30.3	80
St Mary's	15	73	87	67	93	67	80	53	26.2	177
St Matthew's	60	93	94	87	96	87	96	78	29.7	95
St Paul's	24	92	100	79	82	88	95	79	28.6	94
St Philip's	35	89	97	77	97	83	91	77	28.2	103
Sawtry	51	88	88	88	94	78	73	73	28.2	126
Shirley	45	89	98	82	100	87	95	80	27.7	83
Somersham	47	87	87	83	91	89	89	77	28.5	101
Spaldwick	31	100	90	94	97	97	100	90	29.8	26
The Spinney	30	100	100	97	100	100	100	97	32.7	6
Stapleford	30	87	97	87	87	87	93	83	29.9	70
Steeple Morden	27	85	81	89	93	88	81	74	29.0	122
Stilton	16	81	81	88	88	81	69	81	28.7	81
Stretham	24	96	91	88	91	96	95	89	30.1	42
Stukeley Meadows	47	96	89	57	80	72	83	53	27.3	176
Sutton	49	84	89	82	98	80	83	73	28.3	127
Swaffham Bulbeck	14	100	100	86	100	86	93	86	28.5	55
Swaffham Prior	21	100	100	86	90	90	95	86	29.1	52
Swavesey	49	100	100	92	96	96	98	92	30.6	17
Tewkesham	21	95	90	76	76	95	95	76	28.6	112
Thongsley Fields	39	74	86	90	100	77	89	67	27.5	153
Thorndown	47	83	80	81	89	81	85	70	28.1	146
Thriplow	10	100	100	100	100	90	90	90	30.2	282
Trumpington Meadows	6	100	n/a	83	n/a	50	n/a	50	27.0	179
Upwood	29	93	96	86	100	90	88	79	28.9	92
The Vine	58	93	95	88	98	86	93	81	29.1	77
Warboys	45	87	93	80	87	87	87	71	28.2	143
Waterbeach	36	81	85	86	97	86	97	72	29.8	137
The Weatheralls	44	84	82	80	84	84	82	73	27.1	128
Westfield	65	95	94	94	95	91	91	88	29.3	37
Westwood	91	86	83	77	76	90	85	69	27.8	147
Wheatfields	56	84	83	89	92	88	91	79	29.0	91
Wilburton	12	92	83	83	83	83	91	75	29.4	118
William Westley	31	97	100	90	85	94	93	90	29.9	27
Willingham	47	77	84	60	59	74	78	60	26.9	165
Winhills	28	86	86	86	86	86	89	75	27.9	115
Wyton on the Hill	21	90	86	86	95	86	90	76	29.0	113