



## Student Writing Achievement Mid-Year 2011

**Interpretation Key:**  
**Red numbers = Boys**  
**Black numbers = Girls**

New Zealand National Standards

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	
						Well Above
					<b>17%</b>	Above
					16% 18%	
				<b>5%</b>	<b>73%</b>	At
				0% 9%	68% 78%	
			<b>7%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>10%</b>	Below
			4% 11%	67% 83%	16% 4%	
		<b>2%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>20%</b>		Well Below
		0% 6%	75% 89%	33% 8%		
	<b>2%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>12%</b>			
	0% 4%	75% 94%	21% 0%			
<b>0%</b>	<b>79%</b>	<b>15%</b>				
	71% 88%	25% 0%				
<b>92%</b>	<b>19%</b>					
91% 93%	29% 8%					
<b>8%</b>						
9% 7%						

All data shown above is based on rigorously moderated overall teacher judgements (OTJs) based on all the assessment evidence gathered about the students - both formative and summative. It is not as simple as just sitting one test to decide whether students have met the national standard or not.

- Our target of 85% of students being at National standard has been achieved in Year 1, 3, 4&6 with only a small % being above the standard with the exception of Year 6 with 17% of students performing above.
- The 19% of students below the standard in Year 2 and 20% in Year 5 suggest that these groups would benefit from being targeted in 2012 and 2013 whilst having a school wide focus on writing.
- The target to increase overall achievement in writing appears necessary as we have only a small % of students in each cohort performing above the National Standard, apart from the Year 6 students who will be leaving at the end of this year.
- The literacy team will be exploring the possible implementation of the PM Writing Programme throughout the school in 2012 and 2013. The programme is described as a complete learning, teaching package that places an emphasis on the development of the writing process. PM Writing provides explicit and systematic instruction in writing, incorporating shared, guided and independent writing.