

Monday 27th April 2026

Year 6 SATs 2026

Dear Parents / Carers,

As you are aware, children in Year 6 will be sitting their national SATs tests from Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May, along with every Year 6 pupil in the country. We are writing to you to outline the organisation for SATs week.

The children have been put into groups for the SATs tests based upon previous mock papers. Some children will complete the SATs in the morning and some mid-morning. If your child is not sitting the tests, you will already have been informed. When they are not completing the SATs, there will be short revision sessions, various organised activities and time spent in other classes which will help keep the children relaxed but focused. To ensure the security of the SATs content some children will not be able to mix with each other for parts of the day until they have completed them.

The timetable of tests for the week is as follows:

Monday 11 th May	Grammar and Punctuation (Questions) and Spelling
Tuesday 12 th May	Reading
Wednesday 13 th May	Maths Paper 1 (Arithmetic) and Maths Paper 2 (Reasoning)
Thursday 14 th May	Maths Paper 3 (Reasoning)

It is essential that all children arrive at school at 8:15 each day where the school will be providing a breakfast for them. Please make every effort to ensure that your child is not late, as tests cannot be taken at a later time or date, except in agreed exceptional circumstances.

If your child is unwell, and their condition is serious enough for them to be unable to attend the tests, please phone the school to let us know by 8:00am.

It is really important that your child goes to bed at a sensible time so that they get enough sleep. We would also encourage children to have relaxing evenings and ensure that they have a fun weekend before the start of the tests. If you feel your child is overly anxious about the SATs week, please alert their class teacher as soon as possible so that we can do everything we can to reassure them.

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity to say how proud we are of the children and the dedication that they have shown during the year – especially in this final run up to their SATs. We have been continually impressed with the standard of their work, both in school and at home, and many children have developed a very independent and responsible approach to their studies. The support from home has been fantastic and we're sure you will join us in wishing all the children the very best of luck for their tests.

Kind Regards,
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