



Dear Parents and Carers,

## **Key Stage 2 SATs – May 2026**

I am writing to inform you about the upcoming **Key Stage 2 SATs**, which your child will take in **May 2026**. These national tests assess children's learning at the end of Year 6 and are taken by pupils across England.

### **SATs Week**

The tests will take place during the week beginning **Monday 11th May 2026** and will be completed by **Thursday 14th May 2026**. All tests are taken in the morning under formal test conditions.

The timetable is as follows:

- **Monday 11th May** – English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (Paper 1) & Spelling Test
- **Tuesday 12th May** – Reading
- **Wednesday 13th May** – Mathematics Arithmetic
- **Thursday 14th May** – Mathematics Reasoning Papers 1 and 2

There are no tests on Friday.

### **What the Tests Cover**

#### **English**

- Reading (1 hour)
- Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (Grammar paper and spelling test)

#### **Mathematics**

- Arithmetic (30 minutes)
- Two Reasoning papers (40 minutes each)

The tests assess whether children are working at the expected standard for the end of Key Stage 2.

### **How Results Are Reported**

You will receive your child's results in their end-of-year report. SATs results are shared as **scaled scores**, where:

- **100** indicates the expected standard
- **110+** indicates a higher standard

Secondary schools also receive these results to support transition and planning.

### **How You Can Help**

You can support your child by:

- Encouraging completion of homework and revision tasks
- Using online resources such as **KS2 BBC Bitesize**
- Ensuring your child gets plenty of sleep and attends school every day, especially during SATs week

We will continue to prepare the children in school and ensure they feel confident and supported. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely,

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