Y6 SATs Parent Meeting

Tuesday 7th February 2023

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Aims and Expectations

Aims:

- -Give parents a clear idea on the SATs process and the results.
- -Give parents an opportunity to understand how the next few months will look

To note:

- -Balance with other subjects and focus weeks doesn't change. School committed to providing a balanced curriculum.
- -Asking for no more than their best and fulfilling their potential.
- -Preparation for tests and being secondary school ready.

Breakdown of SATs week including timings

Date	Before Break	After Break
Tuesday 9 th May	English grammar,	English grammar,
2023	punctuation and	punctuation and
	spelling paper 1 (45	spelling paper 2:
	mins)	Spellings
Wednesday 10 th	English reading	
May 2022	paper 1 (1 hour)	
Thursday 11 th May	Mathematics paper	Mathematics paper
2022	1: Arithmetic (30	2 (40 mins)
	mins)	
Friday 12 th May	Mathematics paper	
2022	3 (40 mins)	

Note: Monday 8th May 2023 is a Bank Holiday for the King's Coronation

Breakdown of SATs week including timings

Results: TBC but probably week starting Monday 10th July 2023

A Typical day during SATs

Date	Before Break	After Break
Monday 9 th May 2022	English grammar, punctuation and spelling paper 1 (45 mins)	English grammar, punctuation and spelling paper 2: Spellings

- -If your child is unwell or something happens that might impact them during these tests, please let the school know ASAP so arrangements can be made.
- -Keep routines similar to a normal day (breakfast)
- -Children start the day in exactly the same way at the normal time.
- -Children will register together as normal but tables will be separated and room will have all displays covered.
- -No equipment will be on tables.
- -Some children may work in other rooms with a dedicated adult. This might be 1:1 or as a small group. These children leave at this point.
- -Staff member leading will hand out resources and the test paper.
- -Head of School will distribute sealed papers and these will be opened just before test.
- -Children will have instructions read to them and opportunity to ask any questions.
- -Time of test starting will be written on the board and a count down timer will also operate.
- -Children expected to **use all time available to them**. Nothing on tables for them that may distract.
- -Children will be told when half-way through the test and when 5 minutes remain.
- -When time up, tests are collected in.
- -Children then relax, have a snack and take an extended break.
- -Process repeated at approximately 10:30 where there is a second test in the day.

Marks and scores.

	Reading	Writing (Teacher Assessment made)	Maths	English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	Science (Teacher Assessment made)
Not accessing standards					
Not at the expected Standard		Working Towards the Expected Standard			
Working at the Expected Standard					
Working at Greater Depth					

Marks from the SATs tests (raw score).

	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Total
Reading	50 marks			50 marks
	available in			29: Exp St
	one test			41: GD
				(2022 papers)
Maths	40 marks	35 marks	35 marks	110 marks
	available in	available in	available in	58: Exp St
	Arithmetic	reasoning	reasoning	96: GD
	test	test	test	(2022 papers)
English	50 marks	20 marks in		70 marks
Grammar,	available in	spelling test		35: Ex St
Punctuation	test			55: GD
and Spelling				(2022 papers)

Converting marks (raw score) to a scaled score

Children and parents will receive a scaled score for reading, maths and grammar. The scaled score (between 80 and 120) remains the same every year. 100 and above is always the expected standard and 110 and above is always greater depth.

English reading			
Raw score	Scaled		
	score		
17	93		
18	94		
19	94		
20	95		
21	96		
22	97		

English reading			
Raw score	Scaled		
raw score	score		
34	106		
35	107		
36	108		
37	108		
38	109		
39	110		

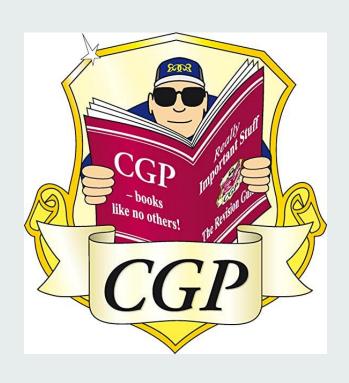
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	Not at the Expected Standard	At the Expected Standard	Greater Depth	Raw Score
Reading	80-99 (3-28 marks [2022])	100-109 (29-40 marks [2022])	110-120 (41-50 marks [2022])	50 marks
Maths	80-99 (3-57 marks [2022])	100-109 (58-95 marks [2022])	110-120 (96-110 marks [2022])	110 marks
English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling	80-99 (3-34 marks [2022])	100-109 (35-54 marks [2022])	110-120 (55-70 marks [2022])	70 marks

Preparation for SATs including in-school support and ways to help at home.

- Daily teaching.
- 1:1 and group support
- Mock SATS tests (please do not do these with your child. We will be using these in class)
- Training in answering style of questions.
- Time management training including size of answers compared to time needed/used (versus marks available).
- CPG guides (support & marking)



- These will form an integral part of revision for your child.
- Weekly homework set 4 times a week in either reading or maths.
- Levelled books that are suitable for your child's current needs.
- Spelling Shed will continue but no Mathletics

CGP guides homework			
Day	Subject Pages		
Tuesday			
Wednesday			
Thursday			
Friday			

- All children to be given a homework journal to fill in daily.
- Children will be responsible for filling their homework in every morning.
- Expectation of teacher to have homework ready on the board for your child to copy in daily. Homework diaries must be in bags every day but not guides.
- After completion of pages an adult must sign the pages off and mark the work with the child. Red pens will be provided.

CGP books

- These books must be in on a Monday to be checked by an adult. We will be checking that these have been signed off by an adult at home and the pages have been completed and marked.
- Failure to do so will result in <u>lunch time</u> detentions.
- The reasons for upping the responsibility:
- a) to prepare your child for secondary school
- b) to help them understand the importance of being responsible for own learning and revision
- c) to get them into the mindset of working hard for their assessments

Example of a week's entry in the homework journal

Day	Subject	Pages	Signature
3.3.23	Reading (fiction)	2-6	SMC
4.3.23	Maths	2-5	SMC
5.3.23	Maths	6-8	SMC
6.3.23	Reading (poetry)	2-6	SMC

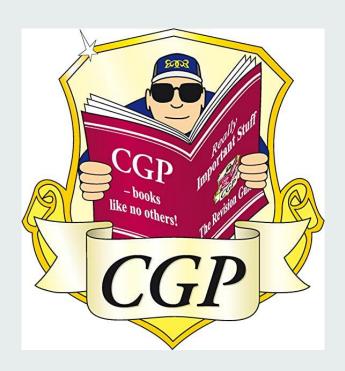
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- It a decision for you and your child as to how and when your child does the work set.
- Our recommendation is daily bursts of the work set rather than leaving everything to the weekend.
- We do understand there are days when your child has other responsibilities however as previously mentioned we are starting to get the children prepared for secondary school.



- Expectation from an adult at home:
- to support your child if they need help using the revision guide in maths
- to support marking of the homework in red pen
- to let the teacher know of any difficulties or challenges
- to sign off the completed pages

CGP books



School Gateway is open for payment of **£11** for the books. This is a discounted price compared to if you bought these in the shop.

Your child will receive:

Maths question book (stretch or standard)

the questions we will ask the children for homework

Maths revision guide (stretch or standard)

a teaching manual of the year 6 maths curriculum to support you and your child

Reading (foundation or stretch)

this is 3 booklets of fiction, non-fiction and poetry texts and questions

Books will hopefully be ready in the first week back after half term.

Your child will not receive the books until payment has been made.

