

SATS information evening

Wednesday 15th January 2025

What you will learn tonight

- ★ Brief History of SATS
- ★ SATS structure and scoring
- ★ SATS timetables for 2025
- ★ How to help your child

History of SATS

- ★ SATS tests were introduced in 1991
- ★ By 1998 children were tested at ages 7, 11 and 14
- ★ Until 2016 the KS2 SATS papers graded pupils from level 3 to level 5
- ★ There was an additional paper (level 6) to challenge the most able pupils

2016 Changes

- ★ In 2016 there were significant changes to the SATS tests.
- ★ **All** children now take the same papers. There is no separate level 6 paper.



2024 SATS paper structure

English

- ★ Reading
- ★ Grammar
- ★ Spelling



Mathematics

- ★ Arithmetic
- ★ Reasoning 1
- ★ Reasoning 2



Mark scheme

English

- ★ S.P.A.G. 45 minutes (50 marks)
- ★ Spelling test 15 minutes (20 marks)
- ★ Reading 1 hour (50 marks)

Mathematics

- ★ Arithmetic 30 minutes (40 marks)
- ★ Reasoning 40 minutes (35 marks)
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Mark scheme

English

- ★ S.P.A.G and spelling test score added together to give an overall mark
- ★ Reading

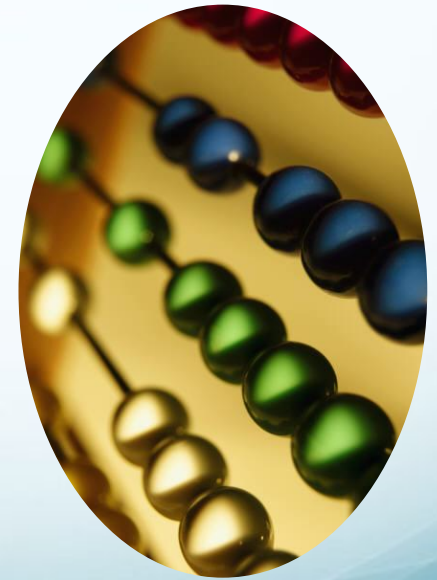
Mathematics

- ★ All 3 maths papers added together to give one score

2024 SATS scoring

The results are produced as

- ★ A raw score then converted into a scaled score
- ★ A scaled score
 - 80 is the lowest score
 - 120 is the highest score



Meaning of the scaled score

- ★ A score of 80 \square 99 means the pupil **has not met** the expected standard
- ★ A score of 100 \square 120 means that the pupil **has met** the expected standard with 110 – 120 as greater depth.



Example 2024 Conversion table

English reading - Possible 50 marks

26	99
27	100
28	101
29	101
30	102
31	103
32	104
33	104
34	105

35	106
36	107
37	108
38	108
39	109
40	110

2024 Conversion table

Maths Conversion - possible 110 marks

53	99	61	101	70	103	92	109
54	100	62	101	71	103	93	110
55	100	63	102	72	104	94	110
56	100	64	102	73	104	95	111
57	100	65	102	74	104	96	111
58	101	66	102	75	104	97	111
59	101	67	103	76	105	98	112
60	101			77	105	99	112

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Writing

★ Writing will be assessed in school by the class teacher.

2025 SATS timetable

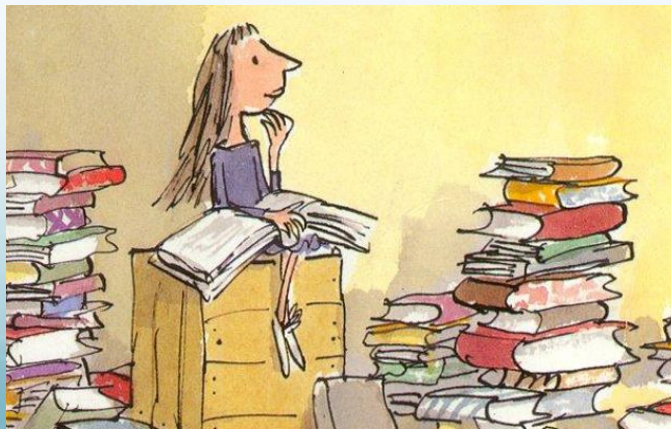
On Monday and Wednesday there will be a break in-between each test.

KS2 Year 6 SATs Dates - May 2025

Date	Test
Monday 12th May 2025	Grammar & Punctuation test - 45 minutes Spelling Test - 20 minutes
Tuesday 13th May 2025	English Reading Test - 60 minutes
Wednesday 14th May 2025	Mathematics Arithmetics (Paper 1) - 30 minutes Mathematics Reasoning (Paper 2) - 40 minutes
Thursday 15th May 2025	Mathematics Reasoning (Paper 3) - 40 minutes

How to help your child

- ★ Encourage your child to read as much as possible.
- ★ Make sure they relax and have other interests when they are not at school
- ★ Encourage your child to do their homework



Breakfast in SATS week!

- ★ Breakfast will be provided for all the children during SATS week. We ask the children to arrive at school early and they all eat together in the hall. There will be things like bacon rolls, cereals, toast, juice etc. Dietary requirements will be catered for. It is a time for them to relax and prepare. We have found that the children are much more resilient if they have this time together.

Reporting arrangements

How SATS will be reported to parents –

You will receive a letter with your child's end of year report detailing their scaled score and if they have achieved the expected standard, are working towards the expected standard or have achieved above the expected standard.

We will praise the children whatever they achieve as we know how hard they work and a test result doesn't show a child's overall ability and attitude.

We are very proud of all the children
and know that they will have tried
their best!

