

SATs 2023

Information for parents



“ Action stations. SATs - love them or loathe them, they are nearly here. It's not just children that need our help either. ”



Dear
parents...

Year 6 teachers across the country are working incredibly hard to prepare your children for their SATs. In fact some parents say, there is too much focus!

You'll hear parents talking about the SATs in the playground and maybe worried about how you should help your child.

More importantly, when your child comes home it almost inevitable that they will talk about the SATs and you will want to know what to say.

At Key Stage 2, your child will be very aware of the preparation they are doing, not only in the school day but before and after school, to give even more support to children.



What & when?

- Standard Assessment Tests
- SATs exams are set and marked outside the school.
- Formal assessments in Maths & English

- SATs week
- 9th – 12th May 2023
- Bank Holiday Monday



Papers

Maths

- Three papers - one arithmetic and two reasoning papers

English

- Three papers - one reading, one grammar and one spelling

English - Writing

- Teacher assessed

Science

- Teacher assessed



Example questions

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Jim has listed the following ingredients to make a pastry.

Once the pastry is made using the given ingredients, it weighs 20% less than combined weight of the given raw ingredients.

Calculate the **weight** of the pastry?

250g Dried fruit
1.5 kg Flour
950 g Sugar
Milk weighing 1.25 kg
50 g Baking powder

Show your method

2 marks



School
support

- Practise, practise, practise
 - Encouragement
 - Praise
 - Handy hints
 - Stay positive
 - Resources
 - Booster clubs & drop in sessions
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- During SATs week:
 - Year 6 Breakfast club
 - Hard work vs fun





What can you do at home?

- Talk
- Reading (AR)
- Play mental games
- Learning style
- Practise
- Normality
- Avoid late nights
- Fresh air
- No pressure
- Stay positive



Reading is power





What can
you do at
home?

Helpful websites practise:

- www.tinyurl.com/dk98jpc
- <https://www.cgpbbooks.co.uk/resources/ks2-sats-online-10-minute-tests>
- [21 Best Free Year 6 SATs 2023 Revision Resources for KS2 Maths \(thirdspacelearning.com\)](http://thirdspacelearning.com)
- BBC Bitesize

“ The best praise is when you tell them how hard they have worked or tried rather than for the score they have achieved. If they feel they have not got a good score in their practices, the important word here is 'yet', they haven't got a good score yet! ”



Remember...

Very well done!
Luv it!
Super!
That's fantastic!
Aren't you clever!
Wonderful!
Stupendous!
Fabulous!
What talent!
Marvelous!

You're the best!
How cute!
Awesome!
Magnificent!
Terrific!
Delightful!
Great!
Amazing!
Very good indeed!
Wotta Star!

Lovely!
Well done!
Really Amazing!
Superb!
That's Lovely!
Beautiful!
Unbelievable!
That's gorgeous!
Brilliant!



Questions?

