

SATS
information





The SATS are week beginning the 11th May:

Monday 11th May: SPaG and Spelling papers

Tuesday 12th May: Reading paper

Wednesday 13th May: Arithmetic and Maths paper 2

Thursday 14th May: Maths paper 3

Writing is assessed separately using evidence collected through the year.



How are they completed?

The children will be in groups around the school with different adults.

Spelling, punctuation and grammar (paper 1: Grammar/ Punctuation) – 45 minutes


Spelling, punctuation and grammar (paper 2: Spelling) – 15 minutes

Reading – 60 minutes

Maths (paper 1: Arithmetic) – 30 minutes

Maths (paper 2: Reasoning) – 40 minutes

Maths (paper 3: Reasoning) – 40 minutes



After the tests are completed, the papers are sent away to be marked externally.

The results are then sent to the school in July.



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Understanding the SATS results

To help you better understand the attached results, please find attached a table below which shows their results. The **raw score** is the marks they achieved on the paper, which is then converted to a **scaled score**. The scaled score takes into consideration everyone's results across the country. A **scaled score of 100** means that your child has met the **expected** standard for this subject. A **scaled score of 110 or above** means that your child is working at **greater depth** in this subject.



	SPaG	Reading	Maths
Scaled score			
Outcome			

Writing and science are assessed by teachers, and will either be awarded WTS (working towards), EXS (expected) or GDS (greater depth).



How can you help to prepare?

The children are doing lots in school at the moment to prepare, but if you want to help at home, here are some tips:

- Go through your child's homework/ practice paper packs with them and help them to understand where they might be going wrong
 - Reducing screen time and encouraging your child to get outside or do more active hobbies
 - Ensuring your child is getting enough sleep
 -  Keep things going over Easter while they are off – reading daily, practicing arithmetic, times tables, etc
 - Encourage your child that as long as they try their best, that's all we want.
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What do I do if my child is ill?

If your child is ill on the day of the test, please:

- Telephone the school office as soon as possible.
- Remove access to your child's mobile telephone and the internet.

It is important to make sure that your child is not able to access information about the tests or able to communicate with other pupils during their absence.

There are strict protocols which have to be followed for absences during test week.



If you have any further questions specific to your child, please contact their teacher.



Thank you!

