



26th April 2017

Dear Parents and Carers

Year 6 KS2 SATs week 8th – 11th May 2017

As you are aware the end of Key Stage 2 tests are fast approaching. This is the timetable for the tests; you will note that there is at least one test every day.

Monday 8th May	Tuesday 9th May	Wednesday 10th May	Thursday 11th May
Reading test	SPAG test (Spelling, punctuation and grammar) Spelling test	Maths paper 1: Arithmetic Maths paper 2: Reasoning	Maths paper 3: Reasoning

Attendance

During the week of the tests it is especially important that we have 100% attendance in Year 6. Please ensure no appointments are made during this week and that your child arrives to school every day in plenty of time.

If your child is feeling ill on the morning, please bring them to school regardless. We will send them home if needs be on completion of their tests. Due to the importance of these tests for your child's future and the academy, if they are sick we will accommodate them in a separate room. This means for this week the normal 48 hour rules **do not** apply to sickness.

It would help enormously if they had early nights and not too much happening out of school hours in SATs week, this will enable them to perform to their best of their ability.

Free Breakfast Club

It is proven that children do better in tests when they have eaten a hearty breakfast. On the morning of the assessments, we will be offering each child in Year 6 a **free breakfast**. This will be served in the school Hall. The children must arrive no earlier than 8:10am as there will be no one to supervise them prior to this, they will need to go straight to the hall.

Useful Website Links

Here is a list of SATs websites that also provide useful revision support.

Exam Ninja

<http://www.examninja.co.uk/>

Award winning website for exam preparation materials like revision guides, workbooks and practice papers.

Woodland's Junior School

<http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/revision/index.html>

The Woodlands Junior School website is known worldwide for housing a fantastic collection of primary school resources. A large proportion of the content on there is very good indeed.

BBC Bitesize KS2

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/>

The BBC Bitesize resources website is a fantastic website that's got some very unique learning games.

Higham St John's SATs website

<http://sats.highamstjohns.com/>

A great little year 6 SATs revision website.

Compare 4 Kids

<http://www.compare4kids.co.uk/resources.php>

A paid (but good value) SATs revision resources website. Superb structured boot camp courses that get pupils in shape for their SATs.

ICTeachers

http://www.icteachers.co.uk/children/children_sats.htm

ICTeachers has some fantastic SATs revision resources with many hundreds of questions.

We would be grateful if you could work with us and provide your child with as much support as possible leading up to these tests, so they can reach their true potential.

If you require any more information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your support



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