

26 March 2024

Dear Parents

I am writing to you to outline some of the important information about the upcoming SATs week.

1. On the week of the tests (week commencing 13th May) it would be great if every child would attend the breakfast club starting at 8:00am. The primary intention is to support the children's mental health and well-being in a relaxed, supportive atmosphere before the tests each day. We can also provide breakfast for them before sitting the tests, work through important revision topics and it is nice for everyone to be together during what can be a stressful week for the children. We will be starting our tests promptly at the normal start time for the school day, so it will also ensure that everyone is accounted for before the start. A Google Form ([link here](#)) has been created for you to provide your order for food and drink for your child. Please complete this by **Friday 26th April** at the latest, so we have enough time to order the required items.

2. The tests will be carried out in the following order:

- Monday 13th May - Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar Paper 1 and Paper 2 (Spelling)
- Tuesday 14th May - Reading Paper
- Wednesday 15th May - Maths Paper 1 (arithmetic) and Maths Paper 2 (reasoning)
- Thursday 16th May - Maths Paper 3 (reasoning)

3. It is imperative that the children have a good night's sleep before each day of testing. Please ensure that your child settles at an appropriate time so that they are well rested and able to get to school on time (8:00am).

4. We have provided the children with a wealth of materials to revise from. Over the next few weeks, I urge you to support them with this. They have been provided revision materials on LBQ, Google Classroom and practice tests on SATs Companion.

5. If your child is unwell on the day of a test, we will arrange for the tests to be carried out at a later date. Should this happen, please contact the office and we will inform you of the date and time for it to be carried out.

If you have any other questions, please contact the office and I will endeavour to respond as soon as possible.

Thanks for your incredible support so far this year. Not long left!

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