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Dear Parents/ Carers,

Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Re: Year 6 SATs (Standard Assessment Tests) Information

As you know, our children will be sitting their standard assessment tests (SATs) on the 9<sup>th</sup> May. The children have worked really hard in order to prepare for their tests and it is very important to support them as much as possible. Here we enclose some reminders about the children's needs, which are particularly relevant for SAT's week.

- **Sleep** – The children need adequate sleep. They also need time to relax before they go to bed. We would recommend ten hours sleep a night and no television, computer or screen use for at least an hour before they go to bed. Children sleep better if their phone is in another room to their bedroom.
- **Breakfast** – All Y6 pupils may come to breakfast club between 8.00am and 8.30am for a free breakfast during SATs week. This really is the most important meal of the day. If eating at home, then please ensure that your child has a nutritious breakfast, which will enable them to have the energy to do two tests every morning.
- **Snack** – we will provide the children with fruit between tests.
- **Clothing** – The children should wear school uniform as usual. Please make sure they have layers, so if they are too warm or cold during a test they can remedy the situation quickly themselves.
- **Revision** – please ensure the children continue to do homework and revision (including reading) for a short period every day.

Please ensure the children are on time for school. Should there be an emergency, such as your child being ill, please telephone the school as soon as you can. Most importantly, try to avoid your child being upset or stressed during SATs week. It is a difficult time for young children and we need them to be as positive as possible.

Timetable

Date	Activity
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (SPaG) Paper 1: Questions English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (SPaG) Paper 2: Spellings
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	English Reading
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Mathematics Paper 1: Arithmetic Mathematics Paper 2: Reasoning
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Mathematics Paper 3: Reasoning
If your child does not take the tests they will not be able to re-sit them. They will receive a zero mark officially; as all children have to be given a mark.	

If you have any further questions about the tests, please get in touch with the school.

Kind regards,

Miss Laurie & Mrs Allman

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