

SATs Summary

At the end of Year 6, children complete assessments in:

- Reading
- Maths
- Spelling, punctuation and grammar

These tests are both set and marked externally, and the results are used to measure the school's performance (for example, through reporting to Ofsted and published league tables). Your child's marks will be used in conjunction with teacher assessment to give a broader picture of their attainment.

Reading Test

The reading test is composed of questions based on passages of text. There will be a selection of question types, including:

- Ranking/ordering, e.g. 'Number the events below to show the order in which they happen in the story'
- Labelling, e.g. 'Label the text to show the title of the story' Find and copy, e.g. 'Find and copy one word that suggests what the weather is like in the story'
- Short constructed response, e.g. 'What does the bear eat?'
- Open-ended response, e.g. 'Look at the sentence that begins Once upon a time. How does the writer increase the tension throughout this paragraph? Explain fully, referring to the text in your answer.'

Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

The grammar, punctuation and spelling test consists of two parts: a grammar and punctuation paper requiring short answers, lasting 45 minutes, and an aural spelling test of 20 words, lasting around 15 minutes.

The grammar and punctuation test will include two sub-types of questions:

- Selected response, e.g. 'Identify the adjectives in the sentence below'
- Constructed response, e.g. 'Correct/complete/rewrite the sentence below,' or, 'The sentence below has an apostrophe missing. Explain why it needs an apostrophe.'

Maths

Children sit three papers in maths: Paper 1: arithmetic, 30 minutes Papers 2 and 3: reasoning, 40 minutes per paper

Paper 1 will consist of fixed response questions, where children have to give the correct answer to calculations, including long multiplication and division. Papers 2 and 3 will involve a number of question types, including:

- Multiple choice

- True or false
- Constrained questions, e.g. giving the answer to a calculation, drawing a shape or completing a table or chart
- Less constrained questions, where children will have to explain their approach for solving a problem

SATs Week - Key Dates:

The KS2 SATs this year will take place the week starting Monday 11th May 2020

Monday May 11th 2020: SPaG Test- Grammar/Punctuation- 45 minutes

Monday May 11th 2020: SPaG Test- Spelling- 20 minutes

Tuesday May 12th 2020: Reading Test- 60 minutes

Wednesday May 13th 2020: Maths Paper 1 (Arithmetic)- 30 minutes

Wednesday May 13th 2020: Maths Paper 2 (Reasoning)- 40 minutes

Thursday May 14th 2020: Maths Paper 3 (Reasoning)- 40 minutes

Over the coming term, we will be busy preparing and revising so that when the time comes we are ready and fully equipped to do our very best.

SATs Presentation:

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SATs Revision and Homework Help

Spelling:

<https://spellingframe.co.uk/>

Statutory Spelling List: Year 5/6

New Curriculum Spelling List Years 5 and 6

accommodate	conscience	existence	muscle	rhythm
accompany	conscious	explanation	necessary	sacrifice
according	controversy	familiar	neighbour	secretary
achieve	convenience	foreign	nuisance	shoulder
aggressive	correspond	forty	occupy	signature
amateur	criticise	frequently	occur	sincere
ancient	curiosity	government	opportunity	sincerely
apparent	definite	guarantee	parliament	soldier
appreciate	desperate	harass	persuade	stomach
attached	determined	hindrance	physical	sufficient
available	develop	identity	prejudice	suggest
average	dictionary	immediate	privilege	symbol
awkward	disastrous	immediately	profession	system
bargain	embarrass	individual	programme	temperature
bruise	environment	interfere	pronunciation	thorough
category	equip	interrupt	queue	twelfth
cemetery	equipped	language	recognise	variety
committee	equipment	leisure	recommend	vegetable
communicate	especially	lightning	relevant	vehicle
community	exaggerate	marvellous	restaurant	yacht
competition	excellent	mischievous	rhyme	



Maths:

<https://garyhall.org.uk/Ultimate-KS2-Maths-SATs-Organiser-Y5-6-1.pdf>

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/primary-numeracy-glossary-for-parents>



Grammar:

<https://uk.ixl.com/ela/year-6>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/7-11-years/spelling-and-grammar>

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/primary-grammar-glossary-for-parents>

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/primary-literacy-glossary-for-parents>