

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

In preparation for the upcoming Key Stage 2 SATS in May, we are planning that Year 6 children will next week complete a round of practice SATS. In order to prepare children as much as possible for their SATS experience, we will be conducting these tests in similar conditions to those that the children will be completing SATS in May. This will be the final occasion that we will carry out a practice SATS week with the Year 6 children.

As well as preparing the children for their SATS experience in May, the results of the test will also be analysed by the Year 6 teachers in order to identify teaching points for lessons over the coming weeks. It is important that the children complete these next week so that we can tailor their learning to best suit their needs. As always, it is important that the children do not feel stressed or under pressure; please reassure them that they are simply expected to do their best and speak to one of us if you have any concerns.

Thank you for your support,

Yours faithfully,

Mr. A. Crossley  
Principal