

Friday 28th April

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will no doubt be aware, Key Stage 2 SATS are fast approaching and we just wanted to update you on the arrangements for the week. The assessments will take place on the following dates:

| Monday 8.5.17 | Reading |
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| Tuesday 9.5.17 | Spelling Punctuation & Grammar |
| Wednesday 10.5.17 | Maths 1 – Arithmetic Maths 2 – Reasoning |
| Thursday 11.5.17 | Maths 3 – Reasoning |

We would like children to attend breakfast club – free of charge for Year 6 children – during SATS week so we can ensure they are settled and happy ahead of the morning's assessments. Breakfast club begins at 8:00 am each morning. Once breakfast club is finished, children will go to their classrooms for registration before the SATS. Should there be any issues with children feeling ill on those days, please inform school as soon as possible so that alternative provisions can be made.

SATS will be undertaken across different rooms in school to ensure all children get the conditions that they need to achieve their best. Some children will work in small-group situations to ensure that adults can provide support with reading questions as appropriate. If children would like to bring a small mascot or a photo for reassurance, this is acceptable.





The children have worked incredibly hard during Year 6 to make good progress and we are proud of their achievements. All we ask from them during the SATS week is that they continue to work hard and give their best efforts. If you have any concerns that your child is anxious about the SATS, please speak to myself or your child's class teachers.

As a reward for their hard work throughout Year 6 and during SATS week, we will be having a Year 6 party day on Friday 12th May to celebrate the end of SATS. It will be non-uniform for Year 6 only and we will be putting some lists outside the two Year 6 classrooms for children to sign up to bring some party food into school on that day.

If you have any queries or concerns about the arrangements for SATS week, please feel free to come into school and speak to us.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

M.J. A. Crossley