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Year 6 SATs

Dear parents and carers,

Next week, Year 6 children will sit their SATs exams. The timetable for the week is below:

Monday 9th May	Tuesday 10th May	Wednesday 11th May	Thursday 12th May
English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2	English reading	Maths papers 1 and 2	Maths paper 3

From Monday to Wednesday the children will need to come to school at **8.20am**. The children can arrive at the usual time on Thursday and Friday. This is so that we can talk to the children about the tests and so that we can stagger the tests and run them in small groups. Please make sure your child comes into school on time. If your child is running late, please contact the office to let us know.

We understand that tests can be worrying for children. We have spoken to the children about how tests only show a tiny amount of all the many different things they're good at. SATs are just for people to see how the school is doing. The children just need to try hard, we are already very proud of how much they've improved this year!

Please could you support your child by:

- Making sure they get plenty of rest and sleep in the week. We will be helping children with revision, extra revision at home is not necessary.
- Making sure they get a good breakfast.
- Giving them a bottle of water to bring into school.
- Reassuring them that SATs are just for other people to see how the school is doing and that they just need to try their best.

If you have any questions about the SATs, please do come and speak to me.

With best wishes,

Amy Scott
Upper Key Stage 2 Phase Leader