



04 March 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

As some of you may be aware we are having our "Practice SATs" week starting on Monday 9 March. The aim of this week is to familiarise the pupils with the experience that they will have when they sit their SATs in May. It will replicate this experience as much as possible in terms of rooms, timings and other logistics, as well as the different types of questions that may be asked.

The results will be analysed in order to help inform planning for the next few weeks and will be shared with the pupils. The results will not contribute to their final grades.

Any subject-specific stationery will be provided by the school, but pupils will need to ensure that they have at least two pencils, as well as a ruler, rubber and sharpener.

Pupils will need to ensure that they arrive at school on time, as all revision and test sessions will run from 8.45am. They will all be finished by break time at the latest.

The timetable for the papers is as follows:

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| Monday 9 | Literacy | (Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling) |
| Tuesday 10 | Literacy | (Reading) |
| Wednesday 11 | Numeracy | (Paper 1 – Arithmetic + Paper 2 - Reasoning) |
| Thursday 12 | Numeracy | (Paper 3 – Reasoning) |

We will be providing you with further information about how you can best support and help your child in their SATs preparation. There will also be a SATS information evening on Tuesday 10 March starting at 6pm.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

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'Let your light shine before others' Matthew 5 v 16

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