

SATs

Tuesday 9th - Friday 12th May
2023



Key Stage 2 SATs take place nationally in the week commencing 9.5.23 (Tuesday-Friday).

Statutory tests will be administered in the following subjects:

- **Reading (60 minutes)**
 - **Spelling (approximately 15 minutes)**
 - **Punctuation, Vocabulary and Grammar (45 minutes)**
 - **Mathematics**
 - **Paper 1: Arithmetic (30 minutes)**
 - **Paper 2: Reasoning (40 minutes)**
 - **Paper 3: Reasoning (40 minutes)**
- All tests are externally marked.**
- Writing will be teacher assessed internally, as in recent years**

- **The tests all take place in normal school time, under test conditions.**
- **Pupils will not be allowed to talk to each other during the tests.**
- **The completed papers are sent away to be marked externally.**
- **Results are returned to school in July.**



- **The marked tests will provide the following information:**
 - **A raw score (i.e. number of marks)**
 - **A scaled score**
 - **An indication of whether the national standard has been met.**



In scaled scores, a score of 100 represents the national standard.

There are no longer separate tests for higher attaining pupils, but they might expect a scaled score of closer to 120 which would indicate the pupil is working above the expected standard.



- There is no writing SATS test.
- Writing assessments will be formed from judgements made by the teacher, looking at evidence from writing collected over the course of the year.
- The teacher will moderate their assessments with other professionals to make sure there is a consistent standard across the country.
- Final judgements will be reported to parents at the same time as the other assessment results.



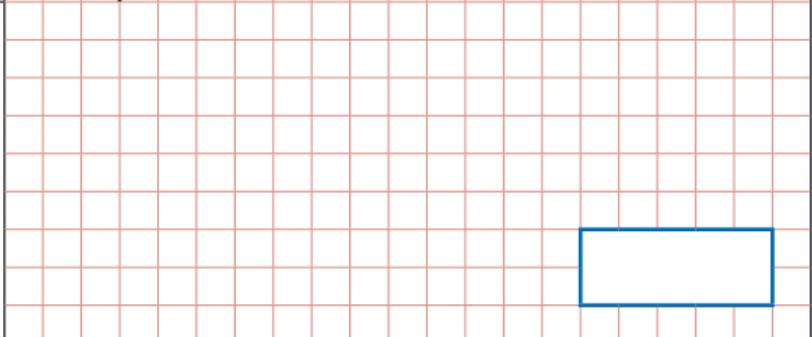
Mathematics

- **Children will sit three tests: paper 1, paper 2 and paper 3.**
- **Paper 1 is for arithmetic lasting for 30 minutes, covering calculation methods for all operations, including use of fractions, percentages and decimals.
(Marks out of 40).**
- **Questions gradually increase in difficulty.**
- **Papers 2 and 3 cover problem solving and reasoning, each lasting for 40 minutes.
(Marks out of 35 on each paper).**
- **The three papers are added together to give a raw score out of 110.**

Sample Questions

Maths Paper I: Arithmetic

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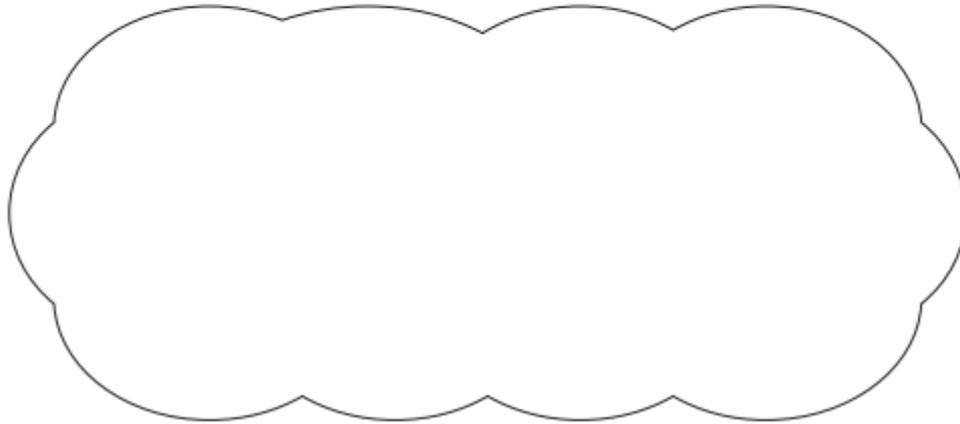
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Maths Paper 2 / Paper 3 : Reasoning

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$$5,542 \div 17 = 326$$

Explain how you can use this fact to find the answer to 18×326



1 mark

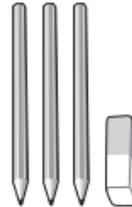
Maths Paper 2 / Paper 3 : Reasoning

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6 pencils cost **£1.68**

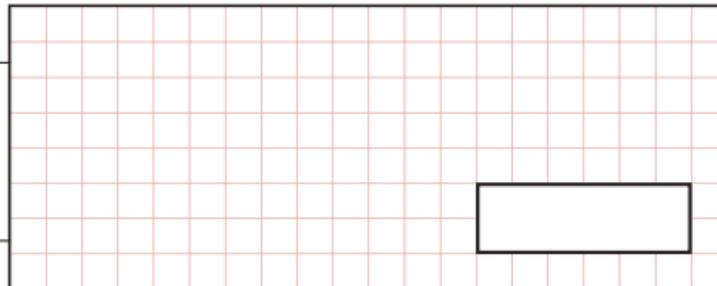


3 pencils and 1 rubber cost **£1.09**



What is the cost of **1 rubber**?

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2 marks

Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

- A spelling test is administered containing 20 words, lasting approximately 15 minutes. (Marks out of 20).
- A separate test is given on punctuation, vocabulary and grammar. (Marks out of 50).
- This test lasts for 45 minutes and requires short answer questions, including some multiple choice.
- Marks for these two tests are added together to give a total for spelling, punctuation and grammar. (out of 70)

40

Tick one box in each row to show whether the sentence is written in the **active voice** or the **passive voice**.

Sentence	Active	Passive
Otters live in clean rivers.		
Fish are eaten by otters.		
Usually, otters are playful creatures.		

Reading

- The reading test consists of a single test paper with three unrelated reading texts.
- Children are given 60 minutes in total, which includes reading the texts and answering the questions.
- A total of 50 marks are available.
- Questions are designed to assess the comprehension and understanding of a child's reading.
- Some questions are multiple choice or selected response; others require short answers and some require an extended response or explanation.

