

Year 6 SATs

National Curriculum Assessments



SATs

- **In May 2025, children at the end of Key Stage 2 will complete the National Curriculum Assessments.**

Dates to remember . . .

Date	Test
Monday 12 th May	Grammar and Punctuation Test Spelling Test
Tuesday 13 th May	Reading Test
Wednesday 14 th May	Maths 1 – Arithmetic Test Maths 2 – Reasoning Test
Thursday 15 th May	Maths 3 – Reasoning Test
Friday 16 th May	Wellbeing activities

English grammar, spelling and punctuation

Component	Description	Number of papers	Number of marks	Timing of component
Paper 1: questions	grammar, punctuation and vocabulary	1	50	45 minutes
Paper 2: spelling	spelling (20 words)	1	20	15 minutes (not strictly timed)
	Total	2	70	60 minutes

Reading Test

Component	Description	Number of papers	Number of marks	Timing of component
English reading test: booklet 1	reading booklet and separate answer booklet (a selection of texts, 1500–2300 words)	1	50	60 minutes (includes reading time)
	Total	1	50	60 minutes

Maths

Component	Description	Number of papers	Number of marks	Timing of component
Paper 1: arithmetic	arithmetic assesses pupils' confidence with the range of mathematical operations	1	40	30 minutes
Paper 2 and Paper 3: mathematical reasoning	mathematical fluency, solving mathematical problems and mathematical reasoning	2	70 overall 35 per paper	80 minutes 40 minutes per paper
Total		3	110	110 minutes

Tests Results

- The tests will be externally marked (on screen) by trained markers.
- The raw score on the test (the marks achieved out of the total marks available) will be converted into a **scaled score**.
- Each pupil will receive an overall result indicating whether or not he or she has achieved the required standard/pass mark on the test.
- In order for your child to achieve the required standard, their scaled score has to be 100 or more.
- If your child gains less than 100, they will not have achieved the expected standard.

Maths test scores

Raw score	Scaled score
0 - 2	No scaled score
3	80
4	80
5	80
6	81
7	82
8	82
9	83
10	84
11	84
12	85
13	85
14	86
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108	118
109	120
110	120

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$$\boxed{} - 100 = 1,059$$

1 mark

14

$$50 + (36 \div 6) =$$

1 mark

15

$$\frac{4}{6} \times \frac{3}{5} =$$

1 mark

25

$$37.8 - 14.671 =$$

1 mark

26

$$\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{10} =$$

1 mark

27

$$\frac{4}{5} \div 4 =$$

1 mark

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Insert a pair of commas in the correct place in the sentence below.

I enjoy sitting in my bedroom even though it is quite small and listening to music.

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Which underlined group of words is a **subordinate clause**?

Tick one.

If you want to, you can walk with us.

This is the best fishing spot we have found.

We change places when the bell rings.

We planted the parsley next to the mint.

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Insert **full stops** and **capital letters** in the passage below so it is punctuated correctly.

Declan has always been fascinated by animals he has read many books about exotic creatures jellyfish interest him the most and he would like to study them when he is older

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Insert two **hyphens** in the correct places in the sentence below.

The children have been busy cooking some healthy sugar free snacks and learning some well known traditional songs for visitors to enjoy.

Helpful booklets & websites

- Rising Star revision books (orange, purple, blue – loaned to the pupils by the class teachers)
- CGP revision books (white – given to the pupils for them to keep)
- Online websites:
SPAG.com (grammar and punctuation)
Purple Mash (spelling)
TT Rock stars
Mathletics (Maths)
Learning By Questions (Reading, Maths and grammar/punctuation/spelling)

Sample Test Papers

Please feel free to support your child's progress by accessing past test papers.

Our only request is that you do not use the tests from 2024 as these will be the tests that we use to see how well they are achieving.

Please **[click here](#)** to go to the website for the past papers.