

Dear Parents/Carers,

End of KS1 & KS2 Assessments (SATS) & Multiplication Check Information Evening

We would like to invite you to a meeting about the end of KSI and KS2 Assessments (SATS), Year 4 multiplication check and Pupil Well Being on Wednesday 24^{th} January 2024. This will take place in your child's school from $3.30 - 4.30 \, \text{pm}$. You are welcome to put your children in after school Club, for the duration of the meeting, free of charge, with advance booking.

The main purpose of this evening is to provide you with information on the 2024 Key Stage I and 2 statutory tests and teacher assessment requirements for the end of KSI and 2 along with information about the Year 4 multiplication check.

Below is an End of KS2 Assessment test timetable for your information. All tests will be administered in the morning and the children will be given breaks between papers.

Statutory Test Dates for 2024

KS2 SATs 2024

Here are the dates for when the National KS2 SATs will take place in May 2024.

Tuesday 14th May to Friday 17th May 2024

Test	Date
English grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 1: short answer questions (45 minutes)	Tuesday 14th May 2024
Paper 2: spelling (15 minutes)	
English reading Paper I: Reading comprehension (60 minutes)	Wednesday 15th May 2024
Mathematics Paper I: arithmetic (30 minutes) Paper 2: reasoning (40 minutes)	Thursday 16th May 2024
Mathematics Paper 3: reasoning (40 minutes)	Friday 17 th May 2024

EYFS (Reception/FS2) Baseline Assessments

Schools must complete the reception baseline assessment for each child in the first 6 weeks after they enter reception.

KSI Assessments for Year 2 children

KSI test period is over the month of May. The children will complete KSI SAT papers – this is timetabled by the school but all have to completed in the month of May.

Phonics Screening Check for Year 2 children

Children who did not achieve the pass mark for their phonics screening check at the end of Year I will retake another assessment in the week beginning 10th June 2024.

Phonics Screening Check for Year I children

Year I children will complete their phonics screening check in the week beginning Monday 10th June 2024.

Multiplication check for Year 4 children

Year 4 children will complete the multiplication check within the 3 week periods starting Monday 3rd June 2024.

Please also find below useful links to further parent information leaflets:-

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/6543c1ef9e05fd0014be7c64/2024_Information_for_parents_Multiplication_tables_check_PDFA_v1.1.pdf

We ask that you please avoid making any out of school appointments during this week. If your child has music lessons during SATs week, these will be rearranged to ensure they take place in the afternoon.

This is an important time in your child's education and we hope that you will be able to attend the meeting. If you are unable to attend, you will be able to access the End of KS1 & KS2 Assessment & Multiplication check presentation via the school websites.

Kindest regards

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