



BANWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents

YEAR 6 SATs: Monday 13th May – Thursday 16th May 2024

On the dates above, the children in Year 6 will be sitting their SATs. These are tests which are taken by every year six child across the country, on the same days. The tests include a:

- Spelling and Grammar Test
- Reading Comprehension Test
- Maths Tests: an Arithmetic test, and two Reasoning Tests

The tests last between 30 to 60 minutes.

The children have had experience of doing these tests throughout the year and they are used to them. In the last couple of weeks before SATs, the children have had some revision time and some extra practice, so that they feel confident when doing them.

The children will be told which rooms they will be in and which staff members will be supervising them during the tests. Some children have been allocated extra time, which we have applied for, and they are fully aware of who they are as they have been having extra time during the year. If you have any questions regarding this, please let me know.

During SATs week, we would like to invite the children to come into school at **8:15 a.m.** We will be providing breakfast which will include cereals, toast, fruit and drinks. Whilst we will provide this food for all children we would appreciate a small financial contribution of **£3** from parents to help fund this please. This will be set up on Parentpay if you are able to make a donation. The breakfast will enable the children to spend time with their friends, eat breakfast, relax and be ready for the day. This will happen every day of the SATs, **Monday to Thursday**. It is always a great experience for the children, so we hope they can all come.

The children will need to line up outside the main school gates at 8:15 a.m. prompt as we will not be able to keep coming back to the gate after this time to let late-comers in. Please ensure your child is on time if they want to be part of the breakfast group.

During the times when we are not doing tests, the children will continue with their project learning, revise for upcoming tests and have time for some additional physical activities such as sports and outside games.



Timetable for the week:

KS2 SATs 2024 DATES - TESTING PERIOD

Monday 13th May 2024

Spelling, punctuation and grammar
(Grammar/Punctuation Test) - 45 min

Spelling, punctuation and grammar
(Spelling Test) - 20 mins



Tuesday 14th May 2024

Reading Test - 60 mins



Wednesday 15th May 2024

Maths Paper 1 (Arithmetic) - 30 mins

Maths Paper 2 (Reasoning) - 40 mins



Thursday 16th May 2024

Maths Paper 3 (Reasoning) - 40 mins



If you have any questions regarding the information about SATs please don't hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Mr M Farmer

