



SATs preparation

We would like to request that you help your child to prepare by considering:

- An early night (during the weekend preceding the SATs and the night before each test)
- A good, nutritious breakfast before school to help keep up their energy levels throughout the morning.
- They will also need to have time to unwind each evening to feel rested and ready for the next day.
- Children are also permitted to bring in an extra snack to have after each test.
- Children may bring in water bottles (without any labels or writing) and should **not** be wearing any watches with alarms.
- School will provide all other materials needed.

Mornings of the SATs

- We are organising an Early Morning Social Club on the mornings of the tests (Monday to Thursday).
- This will begin at 8.35am in Bonsai class. Children to come straight to Bonsai class when they arrive in the morning.
- They will be given a drink and a biscuit and will have the chance to chat with their friends and relax before we begin each morning.

Timetable

Monday 11th May

SPAG and Spelling Papers - starting at 9am

Tuesday 12th May

Reading Paper - starting at 9am

Wednesday 13th May

Maths Paper 1 followed by Maths Paper 2 - starting at 9am with a short break in between

Thursday 14th May

Maths Paper 3 - starting at 9am

Writing Assessments

- The children's writing is assessed by the teacher and is based on a collection of their independent writing throughout the year.
- The deadline for this is 26th June
- We would ask that any holidays/absences still be avoided during this time

Mini Enterprise

Monday 11th May – Friday 15th May

Monday 18th May – Friday 21st May

Mini Enterprise

What is Mini Enterprise?

Mini Enterprise is a project whereby Year 6 pupils create their own products to create and bring them to real life (they have already had their learning log for this).

Why do we do it?

- Develop their personal & business skills.
- Explore the world of work and create their own business idea.
- Develop key skills: communication, confidence, organisation, teamwork and resilience.

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In a few weeks, Year 6 will be engaging in the annual task of setting up their own companies to produce goods for sale in their Enterprise Challenge. The pupils will be split into groups and form companies with the task of designing, making and marketing items which they feel other pupils may wish to buy.

Each group will present a business plan to our very own 'Dragon's Den' in order to secure a repayable (interest free) loan of up to £30.00. This money will be used to buy materials and hire equipment to help them in the manufacturing stage and they will have to think carefully about how best to market and advertise their wares to their customers.

During Mini Enterprise Week the rest of the school will have the opportunity to purchase items produced by the companies.

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Through Mini Enterprise, we aim to help all of our children develop a better understanding of money by working towards a common goal.

Each company will keep a percentage of any profits made (50%) and donate the remaining profits to a Year 6 fund which funds the Year Six Bouncy Day. The leading company last year made a profit of over £125 and the combined Year 6 companies made over £550, so as you can see a good idea can go a long way.

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