

Millfield Primary School

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25th April 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you will no doubt be aware, we have all been working extra hard over the past few months in Year 6. The children have been preparing for their SATs, a word which at one time caused mild panic amongst some of the children. This is of course no longer the case. The children have shown they are all confident and ready for the 'real thing'.

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support in the homework tasks which have played a vital role in the revision and consolidating of work completed in class.

I would like also to ask for your further support in the week beginning the 14th May when the children will, like all Year 6 children throughout the country, be taking their tests. We have as a class discussed the importance of a 'good night's sleep' and a healthy and sustaining breakfast to see us through these busy mornings. Although we normally only allow fruit and vegetables for mid morning snacks, Year 6 children will be encouraged, for SATs week, to eat a snack such as a banana or cereal bar to give them that 'slow release energy' throughout the second part of the morning when tummies sometimes start to rumble! Tired or hungry children – and adults – find it hard to concentrate and do their best, so I thank you for your support and cooperation.

The timetable for SATs week is as follows:

Key Stage 2 SATs Timetable Monday 14th May - Friday 18th May 2017

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Monday 14 th May	SPAG		SPAG
	Spelling, punctuation and	В	Spelling, punctuation
	grammar Paper 1		and grammar Paper 2
Tuesday 15 th May	Reading Test		
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Wednesday 16 th May	Mathematics Paper 1		Mathematics Paper 2
	(Arithmetic)	Ε	Reasoning
Thursday 17 th May	Mathematics Paper 3		
	Reasoning	Α	
Friday 18 th May			End of SATs Party
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As one of the things which can aid concentration levels during the school day is having a good breakfast, we are offering all Year 6 pupils the opportunity to participate in a Year 6 Breakfast club during SATs week. This service does entail a small cost of £1.50 a day and we will try to provide a range of filling breakfast options to cater for a range of tastes. The children should be at school for 8.15am and go straight to the Activity Room through the Reception playground.

If your child would be interested in taking part in the SATs breakfast, please pay £6 on Parentpay (Yr6 SATS breakfast) as soon as possible so that we know how many to cater for.

To mark the end of SATs it would be great if we could hold on the Friday afternoon a celebration party so if you would like to send in a food/drink contribution to help us celebrate then please do.

If you have any queries about any of the above, please do not hesitate to come and have a chat.

Thank you again for your continued and much appreciated support.

Yours sincerely

Ms Cooper