



**SATs**

**Information**



# How to help your child



- ✓ **Set up a homework-friendly area.** Make sure children have a well-lit, quiet place to complete homework and revision. Keep distractions to a minimum - no TV, loud music, or phone calls.
- ✓ **Schedule regular study time.** Some children work better following a snack and play period; others may prefer to wait until after dinner.



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- ✓ **Help them make a plan.** Encourage your child to break up the work into manageable chunks. Create a work schedule for each evening, taking into consideration their extra-curricula activities.
- ✓ **Be a motivator and monitor.** Ask about their tasks, offer to discuss tricky parts with them and give them encouragement. In particular, praise their effort.



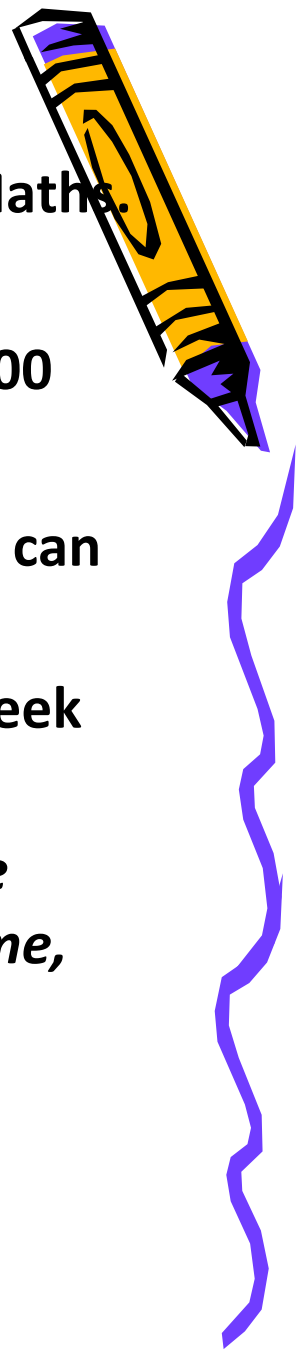
*By taking an active interest in your child's homework and revision, you are showing them that it is important.*

## **Revision**

**Homework** tasks and revision booklets will help them prepare.

**Mymaths** (English curriculum) has whole lessons on areas of maths which have clear explanations and tasks for them to try. Work will be dropped in to their personal portal for them to work through – this will be monitored by the teacher. Don't forget there are lots of fun games that are designed to practise mathematical skills.





**Revision Booklets** are available to buy for English and Maths.

Maths study book is £2.50 and the work book is £2.00

English book – spelling, grammar and punctuation is £3.00

We advise a little but often, not all in one go!

After Easter there will be less homework so the children can focus on their own areas of study.

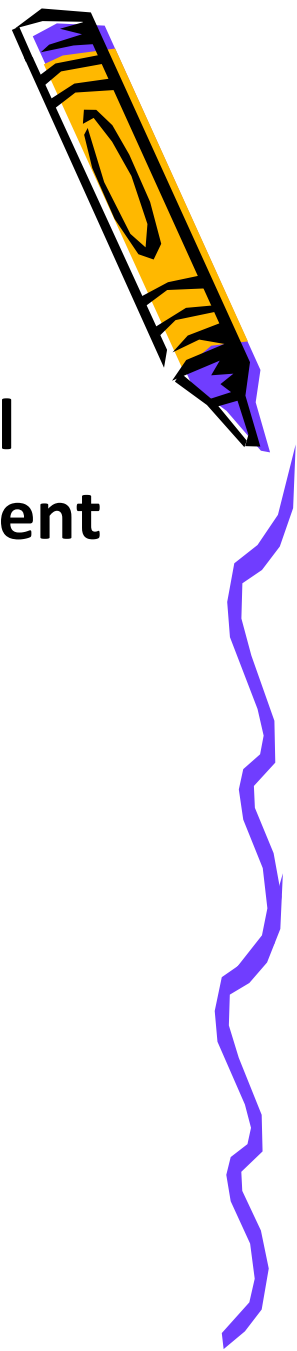
**Reading** – make sure children read 3 or more nights a week and for at least half an hour or more.

*During the year, every effort is made to help prepare the children for the tests. So along with your support at home, we know the children will be ready and confident.*



# SATs Week

- **Time:** We begin the tests as soon as possible each day. Try not to be late or arrange dental appointments etc. during that week. Equipment for the test will be provided.
- **Breakfast:** This will definitely be provided on the first morning - juice, toast, cereal and croissants. We will be asking for helpers! If possible, we would like to provide it every morning.



# General Year 6 reminders



- Please make sure children have pens, pencils, rulers and all equipment needed for lessons.
- Please make sure they are wearing school shoes and have a change of shoes for playtime.
- All long hair needs to be tied back and jewellery and nail varnish are not permitted.
- P.E. kits need to be in school all week.

