

# Year 6 Statutory Test Information



## The structure of the tests.

At the end of Year 6, during a week in May, your child will sit tests in:

**\*Reading**

**\*Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG)**

**\*Maths**

These tests will be both set and marked externally, and the results will be used to measure your child's progress.

## Key Stage 2 Reading

The Reading Test consists of a single test paper with three unrelated reading texts.

Your child will be given 60 minutes in total, which includes reading the texts and answering the questions. A total of 50 marks are available.

The questions are designed to assess the comprehension and understanding of your child's reading.

## **Key Stage 2 Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Test (SPaG)**

The grammar, punctuation and spelling test will consist of two parts: a grammar and punctuation paper requiring short answers, lasting 45 minutes, and an aural spelling test of 20 words, lasting around 15 minutes.

# Key Stage 2 Maths

Your child will sit **three** tests:

Paper 1 is for '**Arithmetic**' lasting for 30 minutes, covering calculation methods for all operations ( addition, subtraction, multiplication and division), including use of fractions, percentages and decimals.

There will be 36 questions in total on the paper; therefore it is important that your child can work at speed, with accuracy and stamina.

Papers 2 and 3 cover '**Problem Solving and Reasoning**', each lasting for 40 minutes.

Your child will still require calculation skills but will need to answer questions in context and decide what is required to find a solution.

## Key Stage 2 **Writing**

Writing will be 'Teacher Assessed' by your child's Class Teacher, who will look at a range of your child's writing. There is no set writing test.