



Tuesday 16th January, 2018.

Who is this meeting for, and why?

- All parents of children in Year 6.
- To provide you with information about SATs.
- To help you help prepare your child for SATs.

What are SATs and why do children take them?

Statutory Assessment Tests

End of key stage measure of attainment (expected standard or above) and pupil progress.

What are children tested on?

English:

- Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling test
- Reading test

Mathematics:

- Paper 1 test (arithmetic)
- Paper 2 test (reasoning)
- Paper 3 test (reasoning)

Attainment and Progress

ATTAINMENT

- The tests feature questions from the National Curriculum programme of study.
- Pupils working at a standard below the tests are assessed by the class teacher.
- Expected attainment for a pupil at the end of Year 6 is reaching a Scaled Score of 100+ (which is reflected as at least expected).
- Some children exceed this and go on to achieve a higher standard (Scaled Score of at least 110).

PROGRESS

- Pupils scores are linked to their levels at the end of Y2 and converted to a Prior Attainment Group. This generates their individual progress scores.

SCALED SCORE

- Pupils are awarded marks and these are converted to a Scaled Score (between 80 and 120). For example, scoring 26 on the reading paper in 2017 would give a child a Scaled Score of 100.

English Tests

Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

Test:

- Paper 1 – short answer questions covering grammar, punctuation and vocabulary (45 minutes) – worth 50 marks in total.
- Paper 2 – spelling test with 20 spellings (approximately 15 minutes) – worth 20 marks in total.

English Tests

Reading Test:

- One reading booklet – three texts
- One question paper – questions based on the three texts
- Questions of increasing difficulty – worth 50 marks in total.

Children have **ONE HOUR** for this test.

Mathematics Tests

- Paper 1 – arithmetic test (30 minutes) – worth 40 marks
- Paper 2 – reasoning test (35 minutes) – worth 35 marks
- Paper 3 – reasoning test (35 minutes) – worth 35 marks
- Total number of marks available for all three mathematics papers – 110 marks
- Children cannot use calculators for any of the tests.

When will the tests take place?

Date	Test
Monday 14 th May 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling
Tuesday 15 th May 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Reading
Wednesday 16 th May 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mathematics Paper 1• Mathematics Paper 2
Thursday 17 th May 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mathematics Paper 3
Friday 18 th May 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PARTY TIME!!



What do we expect during SATs week?

- Every child in school **EVERY DAY** and **ON TIME** (in school at 08:30).
- Breakfast from 08:30 each morning.
- Children 'showing off' everything they have learnt at Hyndburn Park!
- Positive attitudes!

What are we doing to help your child?

- Outstanding teaching!
- Additional intervention groups.
- Children coming to school from 08:30 each morning – homework, English and mathematics work.
- Homework...and lots of it!
- Easter School (Monday 26th March 2018 – Thursday 29th March 2018).

Parent Workshops

The Lancashire Adult Learning team will be offering two lots of 2 hour sessions in school. These will be **FREE** and will go through how you can help support your child in English and mathematics.

- 09:15 – 11:15 Tuesday 27th February
(English)
- 09:15 – 11:15 Thursday 1st March (Maths)

What can **YOU** do to help your child?

Make sure your child:

- Gets LOTS of sleep each night – aim to have your child in bed, and asleep, by 9pm.
- Has a balanced diet – not too much sugar!
- Comes to school EVERY day, and on time.
- Is supported with their homework – reading each night, spellings, English, grammar and mathematics homework books.
- Balances revision with breaks and physical activities.

School Vision

- 🏰 At Hyndburn Park, children are at the heart of all that we do.
- 🏰 We hope to inspire, nurture and encourage everyone to aim high, work hard, and fulfil their potential.
- 🏰 We promote a love of learning, and encourage everyone in school to become, and remain, independent, confident, thoughtful and considerate members of society, able to make well-informed decisions.
- 🏰 We aim to make learning fun, and to celebrate every success along the way.
- 🏰 We hope to instil in each person, the desire to become the very best they can.

School Values

In our school:



We are all differently EQUAL.



We TRUST each other.



We behave with HONESTY and INTEGRITY.



We treat each other FAIRLY and with RESPECT.



We BELIEVE in ourselves and in each other.

Finally...

Thank you for your
continued support in helping
to make Hyndburn Park the
amazing school it is!



Hyndburn Park Primary School...

HYNDBURN PARK

Dream

Believe

Achieve!

PRIMARY SCHOOL

