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Key Stage 1 SATs

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will be aware children in Year 2 are required to undertake national curriculum tests (commonly called SATs) during the month of May. The children will be tested in Reading Comprehension and Mathematics. The tests are not strictly timed and most children will not realise that they are taking them as the tests will be incorporated into normal classroom practice.

| Subject | Test paper |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| English: reading comprehension | Paper 1: short text and questions |
| | Paper 2: longer text with separate |
| | questions |
| Mathematics | Paper 1: arithmetic |
| | Paper 2: reasoning |

The results from these tests, along with the work your child has completed throughout the year, will be used to make a judgment about how your child is progressing by the end of Key Stage 1. These teacher assessment judgments will be reported to you by the end of the summer term.

| Teacher assessment judgment | Test paper |
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| PKS | Pupil is working below the test standard |
| WTS | Pupil is working towards the expected |
| | standard for Year 2 |
| EXS | Pupil is working at the expected |
| | standard for Year 2 |
| GDS | Pupil is working at a greater depth |
| | within the expected standard for Year 2 |

I hope you find this information useful. If you have any questions or queries, please do come and ask. I will be available on Thursday 4th May in the classroom from 3.15 until 5 o'clock. There will also be examples of Year 2 SATs papers for you to look at.

Yours faithfully

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