

KEY STAGE TWO TEST BRIEFING

END OF YEAR TEACHER ASSESSMENTS AND TESTS

2022-23

Before the end of July, the children will be assessed in two ways, via:

- 1. **a teacher assessment** of writing (including handwriting and spelling) (Teachers judge the level of attainment of each child from evidence seen in lessons, assessments, work, tests etc. against national standards.)
- 2. tests in reading (one paper), spelling (one paper), punctuation and grammar (one paper) and maths (an arithmetic paper and two reasoning papers) during the week beginning Monday 8th May.

Your child **cannot be assessed as having reached the expected standard in <u>writing</u> if they cannot spell all the words in the Year Three/Four Word List and almost all the words in the Year Five/Six Word List consistently within their writing on a daily basis. Your child is also expected to correctly use all common words taught throughout their time at school.**

Both these word lists can be found at the front of each child's Spelling Booklet as well as in this document.

TESTS					
Event Week Beginning					
Mock End of Key Stage Two Test Week	Likely to be Monday 27 th February 2023				
End of Key Stage Two Test Week	Monday 8 th May 2022				

During the week beginning **Monday 27th February 2023**, the children will likely have their Mock End of Key Stage Two Test Week.

The test week will allow the:

- children the opportunity to experience test conditions before the 'real thing' in May;
- staff the opportunity to identify those areas of the curriculum which children still need to focus on and to find ways in which we can best support your child.

All children sit the same test.

Each maths paper becomes gradually harder.

The reading paper has increasingly harder texts.



The 'Punctuation and Grammar' paper tests each child's understanding of the <u>full range</u> of punctuation, as well as knowledge of the parts of a sentence, such as determiners, adverbials, parenthesis, modal verbs and clauses. Tense choice will also be tested. There will be a focus on grammatical vocabulary. Spellings linked to grammar, such as contractions, may also be assessed.

The spelling test contains twenty random words.

Each child's attainment will be measured using a scaled score. The raw score from the tests will be converted to the scaled score. A score of one hundred will represent the expected standard.

The timetable is as follows:

All Children								
Date TBC (w/c 8 th May)	English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Test: Paper One – Short Answer Questions 45 minutes Paper Two – Spelling Approximately 15 minutes	Date TBC (w/c 8 th May)	English Reading Test 60 minutes					
Date TBC (w/c 8th May)Mathematics: Paper One Arithmetic Test30 minutesMathematics: Paper Two Reasoning Test40 minutes		Date TBC (w/c 8 th May)	Mathematics: Paper Three Reasoning Test 40 minutes					

All the tests are marked externally and we have no influence over the marking and grades awarded.

During the test week, there are various provisions, all of which are used as part of normal classroom practice.

• **<u>Transcription</u>** Staff can transcribe part or all of a paper so that the marker can read what the child has written. Nothing may be added or removed.



- <u>Scribes</u> An adult will write for a few of the children. Answers will be dictated by the child; adults cannot add anything.
- <u>**Readers**</u> Some children will have their maths, grammar and punctuation papers read to them (not the reading test). All children will have the spelling test read to them.
- <u>Additional Time</u> Children who have an EHCP and those children who have met the criteria will receive extra-time.
- **<u>Prompter</u>** Some children who have severe attention challenges will have a prompter.
- **<u>Rest breaks</u>** Again these are given for those children who have this as part of normal classroom practice.

If a child requests it, a question may be read to him/her. (Please encourage your child to ask for assistance should they need it.) The staff are unable to give any assistance in explanation, but reading the text aloud often helps – especially if the child is nervous. No text can be read aloud to any child during the reading test.

No child will be given an unfair advantage.

If a child is absent during the week, they will sit the test upon return.

What you can do to help your child

Ensure they:

- o_can spell correctly all the words in the Year Three/Four Word List;
- o_____is supported whilst completing their spelling and other home learning;
- o reads **daily** and has opportunities to discuss their reading with an adult;
- knows all the multiplication and division facts up to 12x12 and, if they do not, have opportunities to practise these facts daily such as using the <u>TTRockstars</u> website;
- regularly visits online learning support such as <u>Century</u> and practise areas they find challenging. Speak to the class teacher about extra resources if needed.
- has a normal week. Whether it's sport, music lessons or Scouts and Guides; sticking to your normal routine of out of school activities demonstrates to your child that SATs are not the be all and end all of Year Six.
- stay positive. Many children enjoy taking the tests as they see it as a challenge and like the importance and the feeling of being special that SATs give Year Six.



Maths Calculations: Promoted Methods

A7b: Column Addition



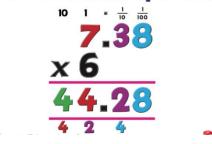
Sllb: Column Subtraction



M7c: Column Multiplication



M9e: Column Multiplication



A7e: Column Addition With Decimals 73.4 + 5.67 = 79.07 $10 \ 1 \ 100$

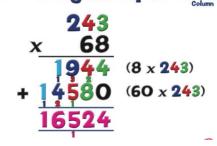
Sllg: Column Subtraction

12.4 - 5.97 = 6.43
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M9a: Long Multiplication

6.43





D10c: Short Division 5978 ÷ 7 = 854



D10d: Short Division 169.2 $5/8^{3}4^{4}6.0$ $846 \div 5$ 169r1 $5/8^{3}4^{4}6$ $5/8^{3}4^{4}6$ $5/8^{3}4^{4}6$

Long Division

432 ÷ 15 becomes

			2	8	8
1	5	4	3	2	0
		3	0	\downarrow	
	2	1	3	↓ 2	
		1	2	0	\downarrow
			1	2	Ò
			1	2	0
		,	8		0

Answer: 28.8



Virtual Resources: Apps and Websites

School subscribed websites:

Century: https://app.century.tech/login/

Accelerated Reader: https://ukhosted28.renlearn.co.uk/2051095/HomeConnect/

Accelerated Reader Bookfinder: <u>http://www.arbookfind.co.uk/UserType.aspx</u>

Times Tables Rockstars: <u>www.ttrockstars.com</u>

Other suggested websites:

https://www.thenational.academy/ Oak National Academy site with a range of lessons

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary BBC site with a range of lessons

www.maths-drills.com (calculations requiring formal methods)

www.sats-papers.co.uk (old test papers with answers) please do not use 2018 or 2019 papers

http://www.timestables.me.uk/printable-pdf-quiz-generator.htm (times tables test generator)

www.mathseverywhere.org.uk (general maths website)

www.readworks.org (American-based reading comprehension resources)

http://www.chompchomp.com/ (American-based grammar website)

https://www.khanacademy.org/ (A website with a large number of different lessons)

iOS Apps					
Math Duel	King of Maths				
A+ Spelling Test	Kahoot!				
Exciting Sentences: pupil edition	Factor Samurai				
Times tables Rockstars	PiXL Unlock				



Lower School Word List

The list below is the government's statutory list of words that pupils in Year Three and Four must know.

They are a mixture of words pupils frequently use in their writing and those that they often misspell.

They are included in this booklet for reviewing as appropriate.

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		accident(ally)	26	disappear	51	interest	76	pressure
2	2	actual(ly)	27	early	52	island	77	probably
3	3	address	28	earth	53	knowledge	78	promise
4	t	answer	29	eight/eighth	54	learn	79	purpose
5	5	appear	30	enough	55	length	80	quarter
6	5	arrive	31	exercise	56	library	81	question
7	7	believe	32	experience	57	material	82	recent
8	3	bicycle	33	experiment	58	medicine	83	regular
0	1	breath	34	extreme	59	mention	84	reign
10	0	breathe	35	famous	60	minute	85	remember
1	L	build	36	favourite	61	natural	86	sentence
Ľ	2	busy/business	37	February	62	naughty	87	separate
k	3	calendar	38	forward(s)	63	notice	88	special
P	4	caught	39	fruit	64	occasion(ally)	89	straight
R	5	centre	40	grammar	65	often	90	strange
10	6	century	41	group	66	opposite	91	strength
Т	7	certain	42	guard	67	ordinary	92	suppose
18	8	circle	43	guide	68	particular	93	surprise
P	9	complete	44	heard	69	peculiar	94	therefore
2	0	consider	45	heart	70	perhaps	95	though/although
2	.1	continue	46	height	71	popular	96	thought
2	2	decide	47	history	72	position	97	through
2	3	describe	48	imagine	73	possess(ion)	98	various
2	4	different	49	increase	74	possible	99	weight
2	5	difficult	50	important	75	potatoes	100	woman/women



Upper School Word Låst

The list below is the government's statutory list of words that pupils in Year Five and Six must know.

They are a mixture of words pupils frequently use in their writing and those that they often misspell.

They should be reviewed alongside the spelling rule for each week, as five of the spellings in the test will be selected from this list.

In addition, the entire spelling list will be tested at the end of the year.

1accommodate26correspond51identity2accompany27criticise (critic + ise)52immediate3according28curiosity53individual4achieve29definite54interfere	78 79	queue recognise recommend relevant
3according28curiosity53individual4achieve29definite54interfere	78 79	recommend
4 achieve 29 definite 54 interfere	9 79	
		relevant
	80	
5 aggressive 30 desperate 55 interrupt		restaurant
6 amateur 31 determined 56 language	81	rhyme
7 ancient 32 develop 57 leisure	82	rhythm
8 apparent 33 dictionary 58 lightning	83	sacrifice
9 appreciate 34 disastrous 59 marvellou	J S 84	secretary
10 attached 35 embarrass 60 mischieve	ous 85	shoulder
II available 36 environment 61 muscle	86	signature
12 average 37 equip (-ped, -ment) 62 necessar	y 87	sincere(ly)
13 awkward 38 especially 63 neighbour	r 88	soldier
14 bargain 39 exaggerate 64 nuisance	89	stomach
15 bruise 40 excellent 65 occupy	90	sufficient
16 category 41 existence 66 occur	91	suggest
17 cemetery 42 explanation 67 opportun	nity 92	symbol
18 committee 43 familiar 68 parliamer	nt 93	system
19 communicate 44 foreign 69 persuade	94	temperature
20 community 45 forty 70 physical	95	thorough
21 competition 46 frequently 71 prejudice	96	twelfth
22 conscience 47 government 72 privilege	97	variety
23 conscious 48 guarantee 73 professio	on 98	vegetable
24 controversy 49 harass 74 programm	me 99	vehicle
25 convenience 50 hindrance 75 pronuncie	ation 100	yacht



Physical Resources: Books

If you would like to purchase additional resources for your child, we have negotiated a discount for all parents. Complete the form below and send in your payment to school by Friday 25th November 2022 – cheques payable to Crosshall Junior School.

KS2 CGP English and Maths: PRACTICE PAPERS

Child's Name: Class:

	Retail	School Price	Quantity
KS2 MATHS SATS Practice Paper Bundle: Packs One and Two MHB2P24	£10	£5.50	
KS2 ENGLISH SATS Practice Paper Bundle: Packs One and Two EHB2P24	£10	£5.50	
KS2 MATHS SAT BUSTER Ten Minute Tests – Book One MXP23	£4.95	£2.50	
KS2 ENGLISH SAT BUSTER Ten Minute Tests: Reading - Book One EXPR24	£4.95	£2.50	
KS2 ENGLISH SAT BUSTER Ten Minute Tests: Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling - Book One EXPG23	£4.95	£2.50	
KS2 Maths Revision Question Cards MHF21	£6.66	£3.75	
KS2 Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling Revision Question Cards EGF21	£6.66	£3.75	

Total cost:

If your child receives Free School Meals, you do not need to pay for these resources. Simply tick the box below and there is no need to include payment.

My child receives Free School Meals