

KS2 SATs 2024

Welcome

SPAG

- **1 short answer paper (45 minutes) 50 marks.**
- **Greater focus on knowing and applying grammatical terminology with full range of punctuation.**
- **Technical terms in grammar tested.**
- **Spelling test (approx 15 minutes) 20 marks (completing sentences with a word missing - spelling patterns tested).**

English tests

Reading:

1 hour

- **Greater focus on fiction texts.**
- **Greater emphasis on comprehension elements- point-evidence-explain.**
- **3-4 unrelated texts of increasing difficulty.**
- **Mixture of text types.**

Maths

- **3 papers**
- **1 arithmetic paper (Grid paper provided)**
- **36 questions, 40 marks, 30 minutes**
- **Addition & subtraction**
- **Complex calculations with fractions**
- **Long division & multiplication questions**
- **2 mathematical reasoning papers**
- **40 marks each (total 80) 40 minutes each paper**

Results / Scores

- **Results will be given using scaled scores.**
- **Scaled scores are based on their raw score (raw score = the total number of marks a pupil scores and based on the number of questions they have answered correctly).**
- **Conversion tables will be published on GOV. UK on return of results day.**
- **Pupils to receive a raw score, scaled score and confirmation of attainment of the national standard.**

Scoring

Scale

- **100 will always represent the 'national standard'**
- **Scaled score based on raw score – total marks**
- **Due to small differences in difficulty between tests, the raw score (total number of correct responses) could differ slightly when generating the scaled score**
- **Raw score to scaled scored will be made using a conversion table**

Scoring

- 80 is the lowest scaled score that can be awarded.
- 120 is the highest
- A pupil awarded a scaled score of 100 or more has met the expected standard in each test.
- A pupil awarded a scaled score of 99 or less has not met the expected standard.
- <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/scaled-scores-at-key-stage-2>

Timetable

- Monday 12th May 2025: English SpaG - short answer questions (paper 1)
Spelling test (paper 2)
- Tuesday 13th May 2025: English Reading paper
- Weds 14th May 2025: Mathematics Arithmetic (paper 1) and Mathematics reasoning (paper 2)
- Thursday 15th May 2025: Mathematics Reasoning (paper 3)

No tests on Friday 16th May 2025

Revision

- <http://www.sparkyteaching.com/resources/thinkingskills/themfiles.php>
- <http://uk.ixl.com/math/year-6>
- <http://www.compare4kids.co.uk/maths.php>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zrybvk7#zs82p9q>



Useful information

- <https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/standards-and-testing-agency>
- <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/key-stage-2-tests-2018-mathematics-test-materials>
- <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/results-at-the-end-of-key-stage-2-information-for-parents>