

Common Road Infant & Nursery School

Preparation for end of Key Stage One Tests

YR 2 Assessment and reporting

- ▶ All children at the end of KS1 are assessed in English Reading, Writing and Mathematics
- ▶ There are 3 standards used for reporting -Working towards the National Standard -Working at the expected standard -Working at greater depth within the expected standard.
- ▶ Science -Not working at the expected standard
Working at the expected standard

Your child will be assessed by:

- ▶ Teacher assessment -ongoing throughout the year and evidence is secured against all the standard statements
- ▶ Teacher assessment is consistent evidence and is moderated internally, with other schools and by the LA

Tests

- ▶ New tests in 2016 to match the New Curriculum in May 2016
- ▶ Can be administered whole class or in groups
- ▶ There are 6 papers English Reading Paper 1 English Reading Paper 2 English Grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 1: spelling English Grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 2: questions Mathematics Paper 1: Arithmetic Mathematics Paper 2: Reasoning

English Paper 1

- ▶ Short texts which children will read independently and answer questions
- ▶ Example:
- ▶ Ants are insects that you can often see in a garden, in the park or often on the pavement. They usually live underground. Retrieval -Find and name two places where you might find ants. Explanation -What kind of animal is an ant?

English Paper 2

- ▶ Children will read two texts and answer questions in a separate booklet. Some questions are finding information from the text others will ask your child to explain their understanding in more detail.
- ▶ Example Retrieval -Why did the King want to have blackbird? When were plastics first made?
Explanation -Why can plastics be dangerous when they melt?

English Grammar Paper 1

- ▶ Children will spell 20 words. The word will be missing in a sentence for them to write in. They consist of spelling patterns taught in KS1.
- ▶ Example Starter words - Hannah ran faster than Lee. Yesterday it was very sunny.
- ▶ Challenging words - I saw a beautiful rainbow. It was peaceful in the garden.

Mathematics Paper 1 Arithmetic, number and calculation skills.

► Example Starter $3 + 7 =$ $8 \times 10 =$

► Challenging $65 + \underline{\quad} = 93$ $\frac{3}{4}$ of 40 =

Mathematics Paper 2 -this requires reasoning, using Maths to solve problems.

- ▶ Example Starter - Sita puts two shoes in each of these 7 boxes. How many shoes are there altogether?
- ▶ Challenging -Complete the number sentence $3 \times 8 = 2 \times \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Marking and Results

- ▶ Your child's score will be converted to a scaled score
- ▶ If achieving 100 they will be at the expected level - threshold
- ▶ If above they will be working at greater than expected
- ▶ Your child's attainment will be reported to you in July 2016 in their Summer Report.

How can you support your child?

- ▶ Reading Champions - Read regularly at home and question your child's understanding, What did he find? How did he feel? Why did he want to go to the park?
- ▶ Practise homework spelling -Read, say, cover, write, check. • Maths homework - Times tables x2,3, 5,10 to know even jumbled
Number bonds to 10, 20, 100

▶ How can we help?

- ▶ Home learning will be sent each week
- ▶ Booster Clubs
- ▶ Re-organisation of Y2 children
- ▶ Emphasis on reading, writing, maths and science (E.g. daily sustained writing - cross curricular)

Thank you for your support

- ▶ Any questions?
- ▶ Please come and see me if you have any questions or concerns.