

Welcome to Year 6!

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Topics

The Vikings

Natural Disasters

World War II

Fairtrade

Trips

Dunstable Downs

Hindu Mandir

RAF Hendon

Camp

Legoland

Events

Young Enterprise

Transition to High School

Leavers' Assembly

Learning Behaviours

In Year 6, we expect the children to become more independent as they are moving closer to High School.



How can I support my child?

- *Encourage your child to use their logins for Times Tables Rock Stars and Oxford Reading Buddy
- *Hear them read at least three times per week
- *Help them remember their times tables (they should be able to quickly recall up to 12×12)

Reading at home

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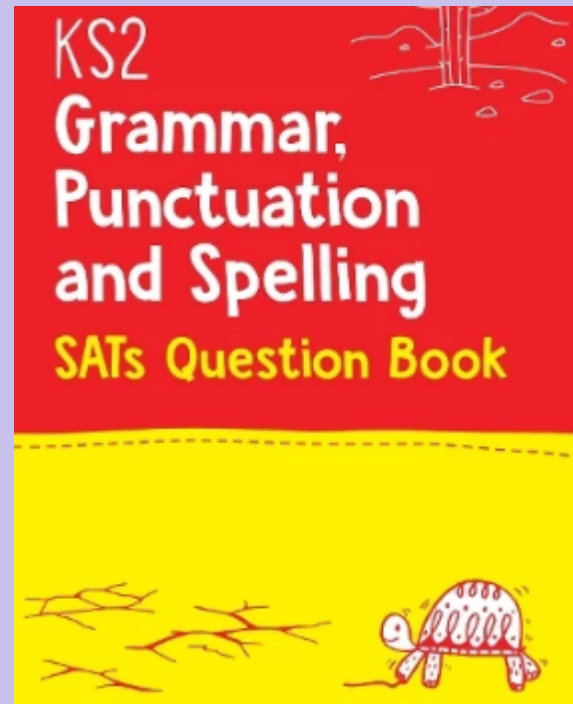
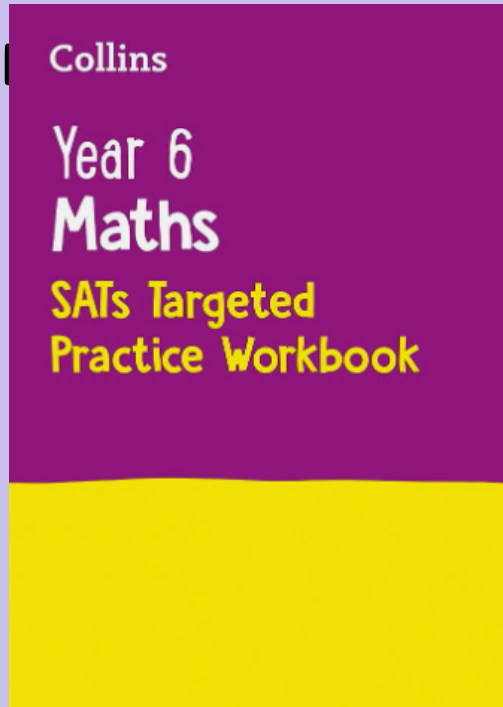
Year 6 children are required to read a minimum of **three times per week** using the **Oxford Reading Buddy** platform. While children should read at home, dedicated time will be provided in school for them to complete the digital quizzes.

Children reading at a 'Greater Depth' level may choose to read independently rather than aloud to an adult. However, a parent or guardian must still sign this record to confirm the reading took place.

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Weekly homework:

- Maths and Grammar workbooks
- regular





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Learning

Curriculum

- Art
- Computing
- Design & Technology
- English
- Geography
- History
- Languages
- Maths
- Music
- Personal, Social & Health Education
- Physical Education
- Religious Education
- Science



OUR
TWITTER



QUICK
LINKS

Year 6 SATs

Monday 10th - Thursday 13th May

Achieve Standard (E)

Exceed Standard (GDS)

Maths

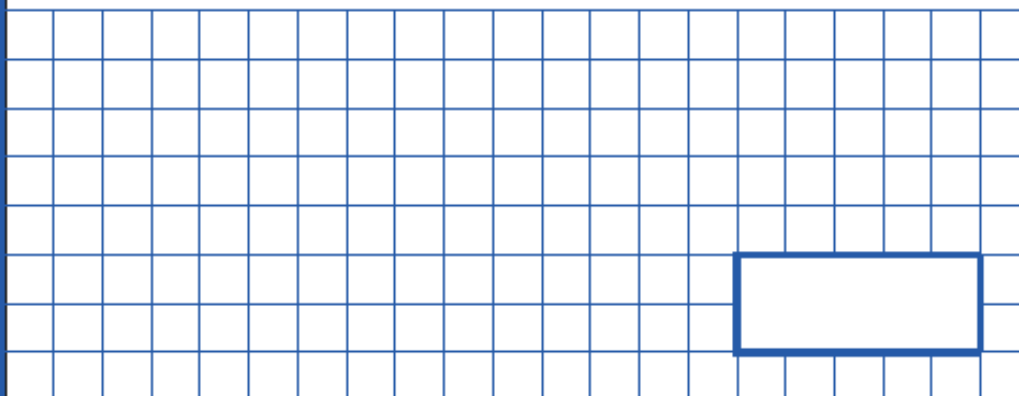
2 Reasoning papers (40 minutes for each)

1 Arithmetic Paper (30 minutes for 36 questions)

+ - $\times$ $\div$ $\frac{3}{4}$ %decimals

16

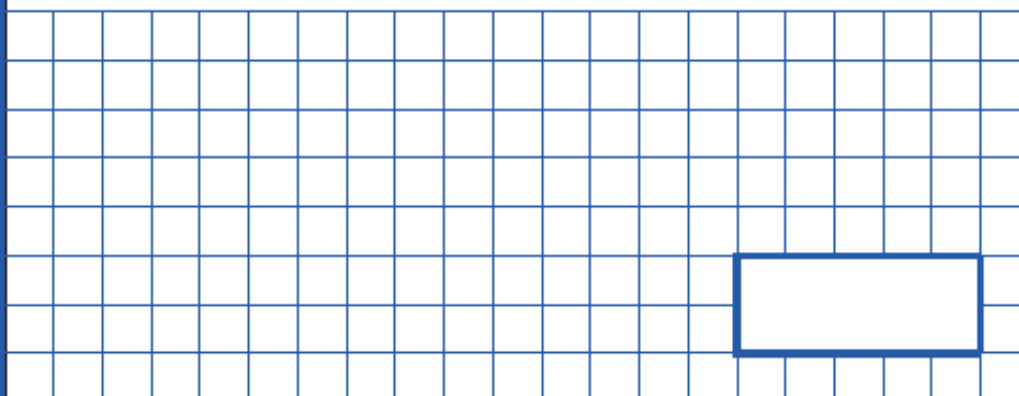
$$1,440 \div 12 =$$



1 mark

17

$$20\% \text{ of } 1,500 =$$

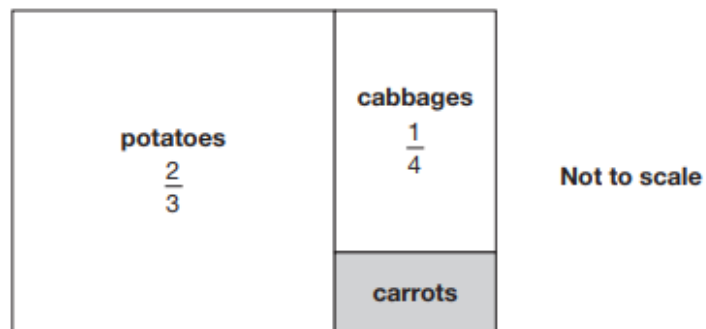


1 mark

18

This is a diagram of a vegetable garden.

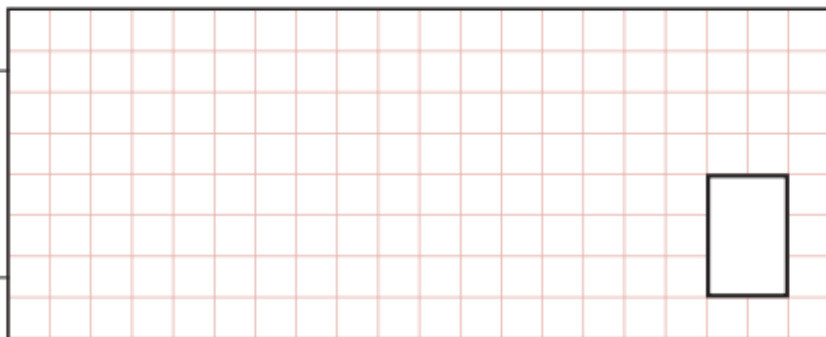
It shows the fractions of the garden planted with potatoes and cabbages.



The remaining area is planted with carrots.

What **fraction** of the garden is planted with carrots?

Show
your
method



2 marks

20

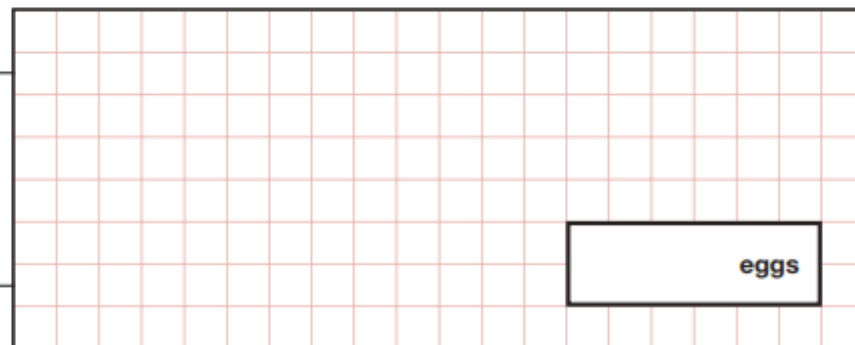
In March, Ken collects 2, 3 or 4 eggs each day from his hens.

In the first 20 days, Ken collects 57 eggs altogether.

There are 31 days in March.

What is the **greatest** number of eggs Ken can collect in March?

Show
your
method



2 marks



Reading

1 hour test

Reading 3 texts

Answering comprehension
questions

Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

32

Which sentence is the most **formal**?

Tick **one**.

She suggested that her mother be present.

☐

She really hopes to be ready on time.

☐

Don't forget to lock the door!

☐

If Johnny's late, we'll start without him.

☐

What is the **word class** of each underlined word?

Josef has beautiful writing. _____

Josef writes beautifully. _____

35

Explain how the position of the **apostrophe** changes the meaning of the second sentence.

1. What are your brother's favourite toys?
2. What are your brothers' favourite toys?

1 mark

Around 49 questions in 45 minutes.

20 spellings.

Plus a 20 question spelling test

Writing

Teacher assessed over the whole year.

Handwriting must be joined for a child to achieve the expected standard.

MOCK Tests

Children will complete 'practice papers' in the lead up to their SATs exams.

Please do not look at papers from 2020 onwards with your child.

Extra learning

Many children will be receiving extra help in lessons and in interventions in the afternoons. Please ensure your child is in school daily.

Some children may be invited in for free tuition sessions before/after school.

High School Applications

Deadline for applications: 31st October



Downside P.E. Kit



A plain black hoodie or jumper.		
A plain white polo or round neck T-shirt		
Plain black tracksuit bottoms or shorts		
Plain black or white trainers. These can be velcro or laces depending on your child.		

Every day matters.

There are 190 teaching days in a year.

Amazing

98 - 100%

0 - 3 days
absence

Good

95 - 97.9%

4 - 9 days
absence

Worrying

91 - 94.9%

10 - 18 days
absence

Poor

0 - 90.9%

19 + days
absence

We provide support when a child is unhappy or struggling with school.



Please let us know if your child is unhappy coming to school and we will do our best to support them and you.

You can contact us via:

Year Leader Yr?@downside-primary.co.uk

Family Worker familyw@downside-primary.co.uk

Attendance Officer attendance@downside-primary.co.uk

Please help us by ...



- encouraging your child to attend every day.
- contacting us if your child is unhappy/struggling with attendance.
- letting us know the reason for any absence - please do this in the morning of every absence.
- taking holidays/ time abroad in the school holidays.
- letting us know if you have moved away – we will need a new address, a new school if you have one or flight details if you are moving abroad.

Finally:

- If a child is very unwell/ has a temperature – stay at home
- If a child has a vomiting or diarrhoea bug - stay home for 48 hours
- If a child has a cough or cold – come to school
- If a child is at the end of antibiotics – come to school
- If a child feels better by lunchtime – come to school for the afternoon
- Medication can be taken to the main office



Thank you!

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