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Dear Parents and Carers,

From Monday 12th October, the children will be completing some practice SATs papers in school.

The purpose of these practice papers is to help us see where the children are currently at in their learning, including what they are already confident with and any areas where they may need some additional support. They will also give the children an opportunity to become familiar with the format and style of the SATs tests, so that they know what to expect and can begin to feel prepared, confident and comfortable when completing the papers.

Please be assured that we do not expect the children to revise at home for these practice papers. We want the papers to give us an accurate picture of what the children can already do so that we can use this information to plan teaching and provide the right support in school.

We do, however, ask that you make every effort to ensure your child attends school during this period. If a child misses one of the practice papers through absence, they will need to complete it at another time during the school day.

We will make the experience as calm and positive as possible, and there is no need for the children to worry about the practice papers. They are simply an opportunity to become familiar with the process and to help us support them as they continue to prepare for their SATs.

Thank you for your continued support,

Miss Veevers
Class Teacher

Monday 12th October AM	Reading Paper
Tuesday 13th October AM	Spelling Paper Grammar Paper
Wednesday 14th October AM	Maths Paper 1 Maths Paper 2
Thursday 15th October AM	Maths Paper 3

