

Top Tips for Parents

1. Make sure you know your child's expected SAT standard and how to help him/her reach it.
2. Read through your child's work and check their personal targets. If they still have not achieved them discuss with them and/or their teacher what they need to do to move on.
3. Use your school's support booklets/advice.
4. Know dates for SATs.
5. Help your child to make a home study plan.
6. Ensure your child has a quiet comfortable place to study.
7. Make sure he/she eats regularly and has plenty of rest and relaxation.
8. Encourage the rest of the family to be supportive.

What you can do

- Multiplication tables up to 12×12
- Telling the time and adding/subtracting time
- Reading timetables for buses/trains
- Weighing and measuring (cooking and DIY)
- Shopping (children to approximate bill, total the price for several items, work out how much change they should get.)
- Counting on and back in different amounts and from different starting points. (In wholes, fractions and decimals, in both positive and negative numbers)
- Reading scales (dials, weighing scales, speedometer)