



## What we do to prepare pupils for 11+

Year 3 ↓	Year 4 ↓	Year 5	Year 6
Programme of intervention to maximise learning potential and for those not making expected progress	Continued programme of intervention to maximise learning potential and for those not making expected progress	Continued programme of intervention to maximise learning potential and for those not making expected progress	Continued programme of intervention to maximise learning potential and for those not making expected progress
Non Verbal Reasoning and Verbal Reasoning practice introduced at the end of Year 3	Weekly Non Verbal Reasoning and Verbal Reasoning practice CAT tests take place to assess innate ability through VR and Non-VR type questions	Weekly Non Verbal Reasoning and Verbal Reasoning practice. CAT tests take place to assess innate ability through VR and Non-VR type questions.	Weekly Non Verbal Reasoning and Verbal Reasoning practice. CAT tests take place to assess innate ability through VR and Non-VR type questions.
	<b>English:</b> Introduction of comprehension model in line with 11+ papers (in addition to National Curriculum non-Statutory Tests)	<b>English:</b> Follows 11+ curriculum with regular in-class assessment	<b>English:</b> Follows 11+ curriculum with regular in-class assessment
	<b>English:</b> Pupils continue to gain experience of planning and writing a variety of creative writing and essay types	<b>English:</b> Pupils apply their experience of planning and writing to a variety of creative writing and essay types to stringent timed conditions	<b>English:</b> Children receive discrete weekly 11+ comprehension practice in addition to the reading skills developed through the study of 'whole texts'
	<b>Maths:</b> Exposure to elements of 11+ papers	<b>English:</b> Introduction of 11+ reading comprehension tasks	<b>English:</b> Written tasks are planned which link to the question types which appear on 11+ papers
		<b>English:</b> End of year assessment with clear targets, discussed with parents	<b>English:</b> Children to complete timed assessments in exam conditions on a weekly basis
		<b>Maths:</b> Follows 11+ curriculum with regular in-class assessment	<b>English:</b> 11+ assessments in November with clear targets, discussed with parents
	<b>Maths:</b> Termly assessments using 11+ papers to assess progress and ability	<b>Maths:</b> Follows 11+ curriculum with regular in-class assessment	<b>Maths:</b> Opportunities for children to complete weekly timed 11+ assessments
	<b>Maths:</b> End of year assessment with clear targets, discussed with parents	<b>Maths:</b> End of year assessment with clear targets, discussed with parents	<b>Maths:</b> Opportunities for children to complete weekly timed 11+ assessments
	<b>Interview:</b> practice undertaken with an external body. Feedback given to support further practice at beginning of autumn term	<b>Interview:</b> practice undertaken with an external body. Feedback given to support further practice at beginning of autumn term	<b>11+ lessons:</b> Verbal Reasoning and Non-Verbal Reasoning practice takes place in specialised lessons. Discussion on current affairs takes place to support interview skill
	<b>Holiday homework:</b> comprehensive 11+ homework pack given to practise skillset in all areas	<b>Holiday homework:</b> comprehensive 11+ homework pack given to practise skillset in all areas	Practice interviews with peers, class teacher and Headteacher

At Weston Green School, we prepare children for moving on to a wide variety of secondary schools. As an Independent School we are not restricted by the National Curriculum. Our curriculum is personally structured and, in the later years, geared every step of the way for those who wish to take senior school examinations at 11+. Our curriculum is underpinned by requirements of the Independent Schools Examinations Board (ISEB) Common Entrance syllabus and individual syllabi of a variety of Independent Schools at 11+. The curriculum remains broad and balanced with a continued emphasis on creativity, questioning, and independent thinking.

