Dear Parent/ Guardian,

As part of our assessment programme we use several sets of student data to monitor your child's progress and inform our teaching. One of the tools we use is the CAT4 Test from GL Assessment to give us an acute understanding of a student's potential.

This data is considered alongside other assessments made throughout the year, formal or informal, to inform our teaching.

An assessment week will take place next week (week beginning Monday 17th September), where students will sit a number of cognitive ability tests.

These tests take place on the computer and students will be required to bring a set of headphones in.

These tests do not require revision.

The school will use the data to continue to understand the needs of each student, set individualised targets and customise interventions.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Miss Hughes

Learning Intervention Manager for Years 7 and 8