



IXWORTH FREE SCHOOL

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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 any other assessments made throughout the year, formal or informal, to inform our teaching. As part of this process we also do a comparison of student CAT4 results with their grade at KS2. This gives us a very useful report as part of an ongoing assessment programme at the school.

CAT4 Test will be taking place on Friday 29 September for all Year 7 and Year 10 students. These tests are to assess the cognitive ability of the students and so revision is not necessary. Results from the test will be sent to you and your child shortly after the testing process.

Please ensure that your child has their Chromebook and a set of headphones with them at school on Friday 29 September 2017.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Yours faithfully

Mr A King
Assistant Headteacher

