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Dear Parents/Carers

In order to provide the best education for our students, it is important that we are able to identify academic achievement and academic potential. The end of year tests sat in Year 6 provide information on a student's achievement, but we know that some students have untapped potential.

As part of our continual assessment of your son/daughter, Year 7 students will be doing Cognitive Ability Tests (CAT) next week. These tests provide a good indicator of academic potential, demand problem solving and reasoning skills and cannot be revised for. The results will help teachers to better understand a student's strengths and weaknesses and provide appropriately to support their learning, ensuring that all students achieve their potential.

If you would like to find out more about the Cognitive Ability tests I have included a link to the website <https://www.gj-assessment.co.uk/products/cognitive-abilities-test-cat4/>

Yours sincerely,

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