

From Head of Learning Support: Celia Collins

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Dear Parent

First Year Screening Tests in Literacy

As part of our baseline testing and screening procedure at Abingdon, all boys in First Year are routinely tested to ascertain their levels of attainment in reading, spelling and writing.

These assessments enable us to identify and if necessary offer support to any boys whose results suggest disparities between their academic potential and current attainment in these skills. Whilst of course we expect all boys to take testing seriously, there is nothing specific your son can do to prepare for these tests.

Reading tests will be taking place during library lessons, with spelling and writing tests to take place in English lessons during the coming week.

Yours sincerely

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