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From: The Head of Learning Support, Sarah Beynon

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First and Third Year Screening Tests in Literacy

Dear Parents,

As part of our baseline testing and screening procedure at Abingdon, all students in the 1st and 3rd Year are routinely tested to ascertain their literacy levels (reading, spelling and writing speed).

These assessments enable us to identify, and if necessary offer support to, any students whose results suggest disparities between their academic potential and current attainment in these skills. Whilst of course we expect all 1st and 3rd Years to take the assessments seriously, there is nothing specific they can do to prepare for these tests.

The tests will be taking place during English lessons during the week beginning Monday 27 September. If the results indicate a need for support or further investigation, I will be in contact with you.

Best regards,

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