

27 September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 7 CAT4 Assessments

We hope that your child has made an excellent start to Year 7 and is enjoying the range of subjects that we offer.

I write to inform you that we will be assessing all our Year 7 students to identify their needs and how we can best support them to learn and achieve. As part of this process, we will be administering the Cognitive Ability Test (CAT4) to all students in Year 7. These tests will take place during the school day over the next two weeks: w/c 2nd – 13th October 2023.

CAT4 is made up of a series of short tests which assess a student's reasoning (thinking) abilities in key areas that support educational development and academic attainment. No preparation is necessary, as no pre-learning or knowledge is needed to complete the tests. All of the assessments will be completed online. Your support is appreciated in talking to your child about this assessment, and encouraging them not to be anxious or worried.

CAT4 has many uses and can help your child and their teachers to plan appropriately and set targets.

If you have any queries or concerns, please contact us at enquiries@montsaye.pfschools.org.uk

Yours faithfully,



Mr G. Baria
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