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Dear Parent / Carer,

At The Prescott School, we appreciate the importance of assessment. It enables our staff and you to support students' learning. We facilitate a series of assessments throughout the year that help staff to track progress and provide interventions to support learning where required.

Please find below a summary of our school's assessment system.

### Year 7 Generic Assessments

Assessment	Year	Date	Purpose of assessment
Pupil Attitudes to Self and School (PASS)	7-11	September 2022	This assesses a student's readiness for school and provides pastoral staff with information relating to their social and emotional wellbeing.
New Group Reading Test (NGRT)	7	September 2022	This provides staff with information about a student's reading ability as well as a standardised reading age.
Cognitive Ability Tests (CAT)	7	September 2022	This helps staff to understand how individual students learn and what their potential grade would be for different subjects.

### Subject Specific Assessments

Year	Date	Type of assessment	Date Results Posted Home*
11	<u>Series 1: 10<sup>th</sup> -21<sup>st</sup> October</u>  <u>Series 2: 27<sup>th</sup> February – 10<sup>th</sup> March</u>	Mock exams held in the Sports Hall in formal exam conditions.	<u>Series 1: w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> November</u>  <u>Series 2: w/c 27<sup>th</sup> March</u>
10	<u>Series 1: 31<sup>st</sup> October – 4<sup>th</sup> November</u> <u>Series 2: 1<sup>st</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> May</u>	Mock exams held in the Sports Hall in formal exam conditions.	<u>Series 1: w/c 6<sup>th</sup> December</u>  <u>Series 2: w/c 12<sup>th</sup> June</u>

7	<u>Series 1</u> : 14 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> November <u>Series 2</u> : 6 <sup>th</sup> – 10 <sup>th</sup> March	Maths and English are held in the Sports Hall in formal exam conditions. Exams for other subjects take place in regular classroom setting.	<u>Series 1</u> w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> December <u>Series 2</u> w/c 24 <sup>th</sup> April
8	<u>Series 1</u> : 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> November <u>Series 2</u> : 13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Maths and English are held in the Sports Hall in formal exam conditions. Exams for other subjects take place in regular classroom setting.	<u>Series 1</u> w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> December <u>Series 2</u> w/c 24 <sup>th</sup> April
9	<u>Series 1</u> : 29 <sup>th</sup> November -3 <sup>rd</sup> December <u>Series 2</u> : 20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Maths and English are held in the Sports Hall in formal exam conditions. Exams for other subjects take place in regular classroom setting.	<u>Series 1</u> w/c 13 <sup>th</sup> December <u>Series 2</u> w/c 17 <sup>th</sup> April

*\*Where there is a gap between the date you receive a report and your child's parent/carer evening, we will reissue the last report the week the parent/carer evening takes place for your convenience.*

Our Parent/Carer Evenings are scheduled as follows:

Year	Date and Time	HOY	HOY Email Address
7	22 <sup>nd</sup> September 2022 (4-6pm)	Mrs Thompson	<a href="mailto:sthompson@prescotschool.org.uk">sthompson@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
11	8 <sup>th</sup> December 2022 (4-6pm)	Miss Nolan	<a href="mailto:anolan@prescotschool.org.uk">anolan@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
11	30 <sup>th</sup> March 2023 (4-6pm)	Miss Nolan	<a href="mailto:anolan@prescotschool.org.uk">anolan@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
10	12 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 (4-6pm)	Mr Madden	<a href="mailto:amadden@prescotschool.org.uk">amadden@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
9	9 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 (4-6pm)	Ms van Putten	<a href="mailto:cvanputten@prescotschool.org.uk">cvanputten@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
11	30 <sup>th</sup> March 2023(4-6pm)	Miss Nolan	<a href="mailto:anolan@prescotschool.org.uk">anolan@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
9 (Options Evening)	20 <sup>th</sup> April 2023 (4-6pm)	Ms van Putten	<a href="mailto:cvanputten@prescotschool.org.uk">cvanputten@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
8	11 <sup>th</sup> May 2023 (4-6pm)	Mr Moran	<a href="mailto:imoran@prescotschool.org.uk">imoran@prescotschool.org.uk</a>
7	22 <sup>nd</sup> June 2023 (4-6pm)	Mrs Thompson	<a href="mailto:sthompson@prescotschool.org.uk">sthompson@prescotschool.org.uk</a>

Should you have any questions regarding the information provided, please do not hesitate to your child's Head of Year.

Yours sincerely,



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