



# Thornhill Academy

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Monday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

As we approach the end of term, we are providing an opportunity for our year 7 pupils to sit their GL assessment progress tests in Maths and English. Pupils first sat these tests October and this will measure their learning across their first year at Thornhill. More importantly this will support staff in their future planning to ensure that pupils achieve their potential across Key Stage 3.

In addition, pupils will be asked to complete a short PASS Survey which is designed to help the school understand pupils' attitudes to learning. This will also be used to support any academic or pastoral interventions in the future.

These tests will take place in the week beginning the 5<sup>th</sup> July. There is no need for pupils to do anything specific in preparation, other than their normal hard work and efforts in lessons. Whilst individual tests scores will not be reported on, we will be reporting on pupils' progress in all subjects at the end of the year.

If you have any questions about these assessments, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

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