



Joy Lane Primary School

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Oyster Bay Nursery & Oysters SRP (ASD)

Executive Headteacher: Ms D J Hines

Head of School: Mr M Ashley-Jones

Friday 11th May 2018

Dear Parents and Carers of Pupils in Year 5

Kent Assessment Procedure for Grammar School Placement (11Plus) Information Evening

We would like to invite all Parents and Carers of pupils currently in Year 5 to an information session on Wednesday 23rd May 2018 at 6pm. This meeting will be held in the Upper School Hall.

This will be an opportunity for us to explain the process for **Application to Grammar Schools** and the role of the **Kent Test**. The test registration opens on Friday 1st June 2018 and closes on Monday 2nd July 2018. Further details can be found in the leaflet enclosed with this letter. It is your choice as Parents and Carers whether your child takes this selective test. In Term 5, we administered Cognitive Ability Tests (CATs) so that you have a guide as to the suitability of your child for the Grammar School selective system that operates in Kent. You have already received your child's results and have been offered the opportunity to discuss these with your child's class teacher.

The Kent Test meeting will be a valuable chance to ask staff any questions you may have about the Kent Test assessment procedure. We will be able to explain the criteria for obtaining a Grammar School place as well as discussing the Headteacher and Parental Appeal process. Please note the date of the Kent Test is **Thursday 6th September 2018**.

If you would like to attend this valuable information session, please complete and return the slip below to the School office no later than Friday 18th May.

Your child is welcome to join you for the meeting, however it is not necessary.

Yours sincerely

M Ashley-Jones

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Head of School

R Rogers

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Years 5 & 6 Phase Leader

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* Please reserve (number of seats) for the information session on Wednesday 23rd May 2018.

Child's Name: Class:

Parent / Carer Signature: Date:

KentTest/Yr5InfoMeeting/June2018



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