

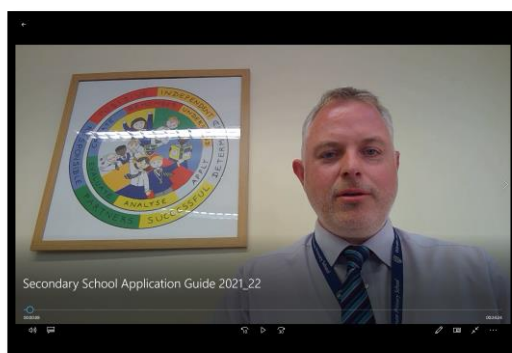
Tuesday 8 June 2020

Dear Parents and Carers of Pupils in Year 5

I am writing to let you know about some of the key dates and arrangements for the Kent Test and the application process for secondary school.

Those children currently in Year 5 and starting secondary school in September 2022 can now be registered for the Kent Test and other relevant tests for the two Dover Grammar Schools. Please note, the window for applications closes on **Thursday 1 July 2021**.

Please [click here](#) to view a video presentation from me regarding the Kent Test and the secondary school admissions process:



Some of the key dates that you need to be aware of are listed below:

Key Date:	Event
<b>Thursday 1 July 2021</b>	<i>Registration for the Kent Test Closes</i>
<b>Monday 5 July 2021</b>	<i>Deadline for registering to take the Dover Boys Grammar School Admissions Test</i>
<b>Friday 9 July 2021</b>	<i>Deadline for registering to take the Dover Girls Grammar School Admissions Test</i>
<b>Thursday 9 September 2021</b>	<i>Kent Test takes place at Warden House for registered pupils.</i>
<b>Saturday 11 September 2021</b>	<i>Dover Boys and Dover Girls Grammar School Admission Tests take place</i>
<b>Thursday 14 October 2021</b>	<i>Assessment Decision sent to parents</i>
<b>Monday 1 November 2021</b>	<i>Deadline to complete secondary common application (SCAF) form.</i>



### Useful Links:

Goodwin Academy: [Admissions & Prospectus · Goodwin Academy](#)

Dover Grammar School for Girls: [Admissions - Dover Grammar School for Girls \(dggs.kent.sch.uk\)](#)

Dover Grammar School for Boys: [Admissions - Key Information - Dover Grammar School for Boys \(dgsb.co.uk\)](#)

Sir Roger Manwood's School: [Sir Roger Manwood's School \(manwoods.co.uk\)](#)

Sandwich Technology School: [Admissions - Sandwich Technology School \(sandwich-tech.kent.sch.uk\)](#)

### SEND Access Arrangements:

Should your child have special educational needs that may require additional access arrangements to be put in place during the Kent Test, it is the responsibility of the parents to apply for this in consultation with their child's primary school. Please contact our SENCO Mrs Alldis to discuss this further by phoning the school or emailing [zoe.alldis@warden-house.kent.sch.uk](mailto:zoe.alldis@warden-house.kent.sch.uk) no later than Friday 18 June.

### CAT Test Scores:

Normally, we would invite Year 5 parents into school to hear our presentation and to receive copies of your child's CAT (Cognitive Ability Test) scores. On these tests, (and in normal "non-covid" times) a standardised score of **around 118** normally indicates that the child is working at a level that indicates that they may pass the related paper in the Kent Test. **Should you wish to receive a copy of your child's CAT test scores, please phone or visit the school office on 01304 37504 and they will be pleased to pass these on.**

Following receipt of these scores, should you wish to have a more detailed conversation about your child's suitability for the Kent Test, please contact us to arrange a phone consultation with their current class teacher.

I hope that this information is useful to you. Please let us know should you have any further questions.

Yours faithfully

Mr Rob Hackett  
Headteacher