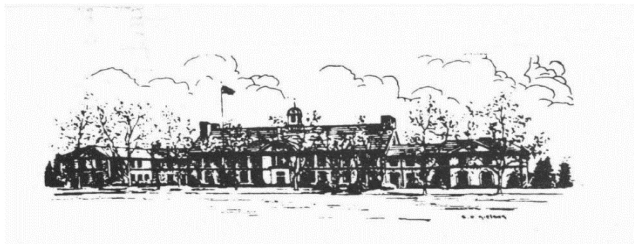


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"Our children, our hope, our future"

June 7, 2017

Dear parents(s) and/or guardian(s) of fourth grade students,

Students in grade four will be administered the *Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT)* starting Tuesday June 13. The purpose of the CogAT is to assess students' abilities in reasoning and problem solving using verbal, quantitative and spatial (nonverbal) symbols.

Please be advised that all testing will occur in the morning so as to create a uniform testing environment in the school. The test schedule will be as follows:

DATE	CogAT Subtests
Tuesday June 13	Verbal Classification, Sentence Completion, Verbal Analogies, Quantitative Relations, Number Series
Wednesday June 14	Equation Building, Figure Classification, Figure Analogies, Figure Analysis

Every effort will be made to ensure that the testing process is as comfortable as possible for the students.

You can prepare your child for taking standardized tests in days just before the test and on the test day itself. Make sure your child gets a good night's sleep during the testing period. A good breakfast is important on the testing days as well.

Please ensure that your child arrives at school on time to create a consistent testing environment. Make-ups will be held on Thursday June 15 and Friday June 16 for any child who misses any part of the test.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the school. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Megan Bozios
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