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Dear Parent/Guardian

As you may be aware, the dates for the National Reading and Numeracy tests are approaching for students in Year 7, 8 and 9.

These tests, which take place annually across Wales, are important for students and for schools in assessing areas of strength and addressing weaknesses in students' skills.

Students will be prepared for these examinations during their normal English and Mathematics lessons, as well as during some form times and PSE sessions.

You can support your child with preparing for these tests by ensuring that they are aware of the times and location of the tests and that they seek help or advice from their subject teachers, should they require it. **Can you please ensure that they bring a calculator with them for the Numerical Reasoning test.** A guide for parents, giving more information about the style of testing is available on the Learning Wales website titled '**Reading and Numeracy Tests in Wales - information for parents/carers Yr 2-9**' ([www.learning.wales.gov.uk](http://www.learning.wales.gov.uk)).

Finally, may I take this opportunity to thank you once again for your continuing support.

Yours sincerely

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