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Dear Parent/Carer

**Scottish National Standardised Assessments (SNSA)/Measaidhean Coitcheann Nàiseanta airson Foghlam tron Ghàidhlig (MCNG)**

The Scottish Government has developed a set of standardised assessments which all pupils in Scotland complete at key stages during their school career. These assessments focus on literacy and numeracy skills with the results being used alongside a wide range of other school-based assessment information to provide a clear picture of progress and achievement on an individual basis.

Testing for our primary four pupils is taking place next week. Pupils will complete a reading, writing and numeracy assessment and these will be undertaken on computers.

Pupils should not feel anxious about undertaking these assessments. They are adaptive, meaning that the questions can get easier or more challenging as necessary. It is hoped that pupils view them as a fun challenge with the results informing teachers to help enable pupils reach their full potential.

Please see <https://standardisedassessment.gov.scot/parents-and-carers/> for further information about SNSAs.

If you have any questions regarding these assessments please don't hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

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