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Standardised Testing Guidance Notes for September 2021 Admissions – updated 23rd September 2020 – please see point 3

CAT4 data provides student scores across 4 categories (Verbal, Quantitative, Non-Verbal, Spatial) and a Mean score. These may be referred to as standardised assessment scores.

1. CAT4 data for students who attended school in Dubai during Years 4/5

Schools may vary in how/whether CAT4 test data is provided to parents:

- 1.1 Some schools already include this information within the End of Year 4/5 school reports and others may provide either the data or the Parent report separately during Year 4/5. If your school has already provided this information to you, then you simply need to include the relevant page/s with the End of Year 5 school report when you upload it to the online application in the 'End of Year Report' document category.
- 1.2 If you have not already received this information, then you must **either** contact the school yourself directly to request the Parent report and include it in the online application with the Year 5 report as above, **or** you must complete the below consent form and submit it with your child's online application in the 'Additional Information' document category. You must then contact us on admissions@dubaicollege.org to let us know that you have submitted the consent form. We will then contact the school your child attended during Year 4/5 to request the report.

2. CAT4 data for students who did not attend school in Dubai during Year 4/5

Please contact the Registrar on admissions@dubaicollege.org if your son/daughter was not at school in Dubai in Year 4/5.

3. ****Standardised testing data from Autumn Term 2020****

In line with the KHDA requirements, primary schools in Dubai are due to conduct the delayed Summer Year 5 Progress Tests and also CAT4 tests during the autumn. **If you have already received these results, or expect to receive them prior to October half-term 2020, please include them when you submit your online application.** Otherwise, parents must ensure these are provided to us via admissions@dubaicollege.org by 1st December.

Consent Form for the release of CAT4 records from primary school

Name of student	
Name of parent	
School attended during Year 4/5	
School contact name	
School contact email address	

I confirm that Dubai College may contact the above named school to request the CAT4 report/scores for my son/daughter named above.

Signed: _____

Date: _____