

Friday, August 24th

Dear Parents/ Carers,

As part of the move to online assessment of NAPLAN, MacKillop is part of a Readiness Project that assesses the ability of our network to cope with the demands of student participation in Years 3, 5, 7 & 9. During Week 6 your child will participate in this readiness test. We must stress that this assessment is not marked or reported on but is purely to assess our network's ability to cope with the demands. Years 3, 5, 7 & 9 participate in one test that assesses general capabilities. Years 5,7, & 9 also participate in a writing assessment. If your child received support during the regular NAPLAN testing in May they will also receive the same level of support. If you would like to review further information regarding the implementation of this assessment please refer to the following NESA site.

Your child will require earphones for the implementation of the online assessment.

<http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/k-10/understanding-the-curriculum/naplan/naplan-parents>

Regards,

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