



Batley Grammar School Fair Banding Assessments for Entry into Year 7

Assessments for entry into Year 7 in the secondary phase will take place on Saturday, 26 November 2011. The testing takes the form of a non- verbal reasoning paper that takes about an hour to complete. If you would like to sit this test please complete the registration form and further details will be issued nearer the date. You will also need to ensure that you put the school down on the LA Common Application Form (CAF).

This is **not** an entrance exam that prospective pupils can either pass or fail and no preparation can be done in advance.

All applicants taking the test are placed, in equal numbers (as far as is possible), into 5 different ability bands and we take an equal number of applicants (as far as is possible) from each ability band to ensure a comprehensive intake which is representative of the ability of the cohort applying to us. Please note that the banding represents the range of ability of the cohort of applicants taking the assessment.

We anticipate that we will be oversubscribed and the oversubscription criteria are applied to each band.