

“Encouraging Excellence, Nurturing Talent”

King Edward VI Grammar School

“The school’s vision to nurture talent and encourage excellence has become a reality”

An Ofsted outstanding school

To parents of pupils in Year 5

January 2020

Lincolnshire Consortium of Grammar Schools’ Admissions Procedure for entry in September 2021

I am writing to parents of all children who are due to transfer to secondary school in **September 2021** and may be considering entry to King Edward VI Grammar School. You are probably aware that the selection procedure will be carried out by the Grammar Schools and not by the Local Authority. The Lincolnshire Grammar Schools will use Verbal and Non Verbal Reasoning tests that are specifically produced by GL Assessments (GLA). There will be two tests, both at the beginning of Year 6, and these tests will be administered by your local grammar school. This however, does not prevent you from choosing a grammar school in another area.

JANUARY 2020

11+ registration forms sent to catchment area primary schools for distribution

As Soon as Possible

11+ registration form to be returned directly to King Edward VI Grammar School. The other side of this letter states **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE** but you should note that forms received after the end of May could result in your child not having the opportunity to do a practice paper in their Primary School.

JUNE 2020

Practice papers will be made available to King Edward’s feeder primary schools. If the practice papers cannot be used in your child’s primary school or if your child is at an out of county primary school, you can obtain commercially printed practice papers by Letts or GL Assessment. These come in packs, together with a guide for parents and a simplified administration and mark scheme, and are available from W H Smiths or from online retailers. They are similar in format to the actual 11+ tests, although they may contain more or fewer questions than the actual tests. Parents should buy the **Multiple Choice Format**, NOT the Standard Format tests:

	ISBN Number
11+ Practice Papers Non-Verbal Reasoning Pack 1 (Multiple Choice)	9780708727614
11+ Practice Papers Non-Verbal Reasoning Pack 2 (Multiple Choice)	9780708727621
11+ Practice Papers Non-Verbal Reasoning Pack 3 (Multiple Choice)	9780708727638
11+ Practice Papers Verbal Reasoning Pack 1 (Multiple Choice)	9780708727645
11+ Practice Papers Verbal Reasoning Pack 2 (Multiple Choice)	9780708727652
11+ Practice Papers Verbal Reasoning Pack 3 (Multiple Choice)	9780708727669
11+ Practice Papers Bundle of All Verbal Practice Packs (3 pks)	9780708727690
11+ Practice Papers Bundle of All Non-Verbal Practice Packs (3 pks)	9780708727706

SEPTEMBER 2020

Lincolnshire County Council*, which has a duty to make sure that every child is placed, will contact parents giving details of Lincolnshire Secondary Schools and will include information about the online application process requesting parental preferences of secondary school. The latest date for the submission of your online application is Saturday 31st October 2020. * *If your Local Authority is not Lincolnshire, you will need to follow the instructions you receive from your own LA regarding your preferred schools.*

12th SEPTEMBER 2020

Verbal Reasoning 11+ test will take place in this school (this is the first paper in a two paper test) We understand that some children may not be able to attend on Saturday 12th September, and therefore offer an **alternative date of Friday 11th September 2020**

19th SEPTEMBER 2020

Non-Verbal Reasoning 11+ test will take place in this school (this is the second paper in a two paper test). We understand that some children may not be able to attend on Saturday 19th September, and therefore offer an **alternative date of Friday 18th September 2020**

9th OCTOBER 2020

Results posted to parents

31st OCTOBER 2020

Deadline for the submission of online parental preference form to your LEA

1st MARCH 2021

The Local Education Authority will send out offers of places on 1st March 2021 based on the preferences submitted on your application form in the autumn. If you applied online, you will be able to see your offered school online. You will have the opportunity to appeal or to make a new application if you wish. You must decide whether or not to accept the offer of this place by, Friday, 19th March 2021.

**2nd MARCH 2021
(posting date)**

Grammar Schools will write to those parents whose children are eligible for a place to confirm the grammar school place offered on 1st March, or offer to include your child on a reserve list.

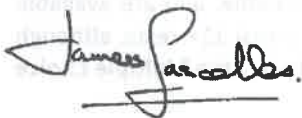
We should like to invite you and your child to an Open Evening at King Edwards on Thursday 11th June 2020 between 4.30pm and 8.00pm. This will give you the opportunity of looking around the school prior to the tests.

If you wish your child to take the 11+ selection tests, in September 2020, for entry to a Lincolnshire Grammar School in September 2021, it is vital you complete the registration form and return it directly to us **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**. You need to be aware, however, that this in itself does not constitute an application to a particular grammar school.

If you have any questions concerning admission procedures to King Edward VI Grammar School, please contact our Admissions Officer, Mrs Rhona Adam, on 01507 600456 / 01507 353474 or by email to Rhona.adam@kevigis.lincs.sch.uk

We strongly advise that you retain these details for future reference

Yours sincerely



**James Lascelles
Headmaster**



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**REGISTRATION FOR THE LINCOLNSHIRE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS'
SELECTION TEST FOR YEAR 7 ENTRY IN SEPTEMBER 2021**
(It is important that all sections of this form are completed)

Full name of Pupil (Surname).....
(First Name)
(Middle Names)
(Male / Female)

Date of Birth

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Parents'/Guardians' Names

Home Address

Postcode

Telephone Nos: Home:

Work:(Mr / Mrs)

Mobile:(Mr / Mrs)

Email address:(Mr / Mrs)

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Pupil's present school:

Length of time your child has attended this school

HOME LANGUAGE

Please indicate which language your child uses most often at home

English (please tick)

Other (please specify)

STATEMENT OF SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEED

In some cases children can be entitled to extra time or special consideration whilst taking the entrance tests. If you think your child comes into this category, please answer the questions below.

	Yes	No
Does your child have an Education Health Care Plan (previously called a Statement of Special Educational Need)? Please enclose a copy of the EHCP		
Does your child receive SEN Support (previously referred to as School Action or School Action Plus)? Please enclose any supporting evidence		
Does your child have any medical condition that you feel we should know about prior to them taking the entrance test?		

Please give brief details on any of the above:.....

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We will contact your child’s primary school for clarification of any points you have raised above.

You are also very welcome to telephone the School Admissions Officer to discuss any concerns you or your child may have.

SIBLING

Does your child have a sibling already attending this school? If so, please give child’s full name and **current** year group.

Name Year Group

It is our expectation that most children will attend the Saturday testing sessions, but if you know, or expect, your child will need to be tested on the Friday session(s) please indicate below

Fri 11th September – Verbal Reasoning

Fri 18th September – Non Verbal Reasoning

Sat 12th September – Verbal Reasoning

Sat 19st September – Non Verbal Reasoning

I acknowledge that these tests may be taken only once in any school year for consideration for a place at any of the schools in the Lincolnshire Consortium.

Signed **Date**

Important Note:

Please ensure that if any of the information overleaf or above changes, at any time in the next year, that you contact the School Admissions Officer, preferably by email, on

rhona.adam@kevigs.lincs.sch.uk

**LINCOLNSHIRE CONSORTIUM OF GRAMMAR SCHOOLS
KEY DATES FOR 11 + 2021 ENTRY**

Information about 11+ arrangements sent to Primary Schools for distribution to parents of all Year 5 pupils	7 January 2020
Practice test materials sent out to Primary Schools	8 June 2020
Start of Autumn Term 2020	3 September 2020
Primary Schools provide all LA documents to parents	9 September 2020
King Edwards Alternative 11+ Test – Verbal Reasoning	11th September 2020
King Edwards 11+ Test – Verbal Reasoning	12 th September 2020
King Edwards Alternative 11+ Test – Non Verbal Reasoning	18 th September 2020
King Edwards 11+ Test – Non Verbal Reasoning	19 th September 2020
Posting Date for Results to Parents	9 October 2020
Half-Term	24 October – 1 November 2020
Closing date for Lincolnshire LA Applications	31 October 2020
End of Term	17 December 2020
Start of Spring Term 2021	4 January 2021
Half-Term	13 February – 21 February 2021
Allocation of places	1 March 2021
Follow up letter from Grammar Schools	2 March 2021 (posting date)
LA's exchange offer results	19 March 2021
LA's make revised offers to take account of refusals and late applications	Week commencing 5 April 2021

We strongly advise that you retain these details for future reference

