



**GIFTED AND TALENTED
Primary Extension and Challenge (PEAC)
ASSESSMENT OF YEAR 4 STUDENTS FOR THE
PEAC PROGRAM**

Dear Parents,

The PEAC Program provides opportunities for additional enrichment and extension learning for exceptionally able students in Years 5 and 6.

PEAC provides opportunities to:

- undertake intellectually rigorous and challenging experiences;
- interact with practising experts;
- work on open-ended activities which encourage choice and negotiation;
- develop higher order process skills and in-depth investigation skills;
- socially interact with other gifted and talented children; and
- undergo self/peer evaluation and reflection of performance.

All students in Year 4 will have the opportunity to be assessed on **Thursday 10 August** for suitability for the PEAC Program. The testing process involves students sitting two 20 minute tests that focus on verbal and mathematical reasoning skills.

The scores from the test will be used in the selection of students for PEAC courses and extension programs during 2018 to 2019.

If you do not wish your child to be included in the PEAC assessment please notify the school in writing by Monday 7 August.

Yours sincerely,

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ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL