



Date: 20 Feb 2024



Dear Year 3 parents and guardians,

Your child(ren) recently undertook the Interactive Computerised Assessment (InCAS). The results of those assessments (Reading, Spelling, Mathematics, Mental Arithmetic & Developed Ability [picture vocabulary and non-verbal ability]) will be available to you via Gateway, on March 21st at 8:30am. For further insight into what was assessed (modules), please see the attachment.

If you have any issues with accessing the results, please email our technical support ictsupport@kjs.edu.hk

Below is an anonymised screenshot of the results that you will find on Gateway.

The assessment shows the age of your child at the time of the test in years and months (chronological age). For each assessment area, the results show the 'Age Difference' when compared with the child's chronological age. This is also recorded in years and months.

In this example, the child who took this test was 7 yrs and 3 months (7:3) at the time of the test. Therefore, the results indicate the following;

General maths: An age equivalent score of between 7:3 and 7:9

Mental Arithmetic: An age equivalent score of between 6:9 and 7:2

Spelling: An age equivalent score of between 7:3 and 7:9





At KJS, we understand that children cannot be reduced to a number. As with any standardized assessment, results are analyzed by teachers to inform potential next steps for individual children; they are also used on a school level to support curriculum development. However, as we understand that these are merely a 'snapshot' of a child's ability at the time in which the assessment was taken, they are considered and contextualized in the broader range of ongoing, in-school assessments undertaken by teachers. Please note that if there were any particular concerns raised by the assessment, your child's class teacher would have contacted you before the results were shared to discuss them with you.

If you have any questions about the results once they have been released, please contact your child's class teacher and/or myself at ciarian.fay@kjs.edu.hk

Kind regards,

Ciarian Fay

Attachments: [INCAS Assessment Modules.pdf](#)

