

Circular (S/IF/82/07)

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To: Principals of Post-primary Schools (including Independent and Special Schools)

For circulation to: Teachers of Year 10 pupils
English
Mathematics
Science and
Irish (in Irish-medium schools)

Key Stage 3 Report on Assessment 2006/2007

Assessment Arrangements in Key Stage 3

English, Irish (in Irish-medium schools), Mathematics and Science

In this dispatch you should have received copies of the Key Stage 3 Report on Assessment 2006/2007. This report includes:

- Chief Marker reports;
- questionnaire responses; and
- summary statistics, including statistics by school type and gender.

Provision of teacher assessed levels in Language and Literacy (English and Irish) and Mathematics and Numeracy (Mathematics) is again required in 2007/2008. Schools have been invited to participate in end of Key Stage tests in all subjects and teacher assessment of Science on a voluntary basis.

Instructions for the registration of Year 10 pupils and for generating and transferring pupil information by EDI along with forms for ordering the tests (where applicable) will be dispatched to schools in January 2008.

A booklet setting out the detailed procedures and special arrangements for the Key Stage 3 tests in English, Irish (in Irish-medium schools), mathematics and science will be provided in January 2008.

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