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Dear Parents/Guardians of Junior School Parents,

Week 3 is an especially significant week for all Arndell Junior School Students in Year 3 and Year 5 as it is the week of the NAPLAN Tests – an assessment program run nationally across Australia and for which our children have been preparing within their NSW Board of Studies Program.

For 2011, the NAPLAN Test is externally set to run as follows:

Tuesday May 10th: Language Conventions and Writing tests

Wednesday May 11th: Reading Test

Thursday May 12th: Numeracy Test

We will be doing our utmost to encourage all of our students, and to put our children at ease on these NAPLAN mornings, so that they are given optimum opportunity to achieve to their very best.

Your help as parents/guardians is also very much appreciated, in ensuring that children do not carry any sense of 'rush' into the Tests, and arrive at School well on time, having had opportunity for a really good rest the night before and being able to gather stamina from that practical energy-sustainer of a good breakfast on each of these special mornings.

Our hope is that all of our children might be provided with maximum opportunity to really give these NAPLAN Tests their best go.

As such, your partnership and kind consideration in this matter is very much appreciated.
Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Rev Keith Peterson
Head of Junior School.