



ST.MARY'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL, DUBAI.

ENTRANCE TEST for Academic Year 2019-2020

SUBJECT : ENGLISH

CLASS : YEAR 1

Explanatory Notes

The entrance test contributes to the assessment of a child in English Reading comprehension and Writing, and is based on the relevant sections of the National curriculum Programme of Study for English at EYFS/Reception Year, Reading and Writing target skills.

Description of target skills focused

- use a pencil properly to write recognisable letters
- knowledge of the alphabet - capital letters and small letters
- awareness of lists, labels, rhyming words, and stories
- matching pictures and words, matching rhyming words, sequencing pictures
- ability to write own name
- ability to write labels (labelling pictures),
- simple three letter and four letter CVC / CVCC words
- awareness of what a sentence is
- ability to write leaving space between words
- ability to write recognisable letters, simple words, phrases and numbers that a reader can understand
- ability to use full stops at the end of a sentence