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Dear Parent/Carer

### **11+ Testing – potential entry into Bourne Grammar School in September 2026**

I am writing to parents/carers of children who are due to transfer to secondary school in September 2026 and may be considering entry into Bourne Grammar School. You are probably aware that the selection procedure will be carried out by the Grammar Schools and not by the Local Authority. The Grammar Schools of the Lincolnshire Consortium use Verbal and Non-Verbal Reasoning & Spatial Awareness tests that are specifically produced by GL Assessments (GLA). There will be two tests, both at the beginning of Year 6, and these tests will be administered by your local grammar school. Please note that the same tests are used in all Lincolnshire Consortium Grammar Schools and therefore may be taken only once in the school year in preparation for application to any of the Schools in the Lincolnshire Consortium.

Further details on Year 7 admission, 11+ Admission Tests, along with the online registration form for 11+ Admissions Testing can be found on the School's website, on the Join Us pages:

<https://www.bourne-grammar.lincs.sch.uk>

The deadline for submitting completed registration forms is 30 June 2025, although early submission of registration forms would be greatly appreciated.

Further details outlining the test procedure and important dates will be sent once we are in receipt of the registration form.

For information the 11+ dates for 2026 entry will be:

- Verbal Reasoning - Friday 12 and Saturday 13 September 2025
- Non-Verbal Reasoning - Friday 19 and Saturday 20 September 2025

If you have any initial queries regarding the 11+ procedure, please contact: Amanda Revell using the following email: [admissions@bourne-grammar.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:admissions@bourne-grammar.lincs.sch.uk). Further information about the testing arrangements is also available through the Lincolnshire Consortium of Grammar Schools website [www.grammarschools.lincs.sch.uk](http://www.grammarschools.lincs.sch.uk).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alastair Anderson", written in a cursive style.

Alastair Anderson  
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