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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Setting in Year 7

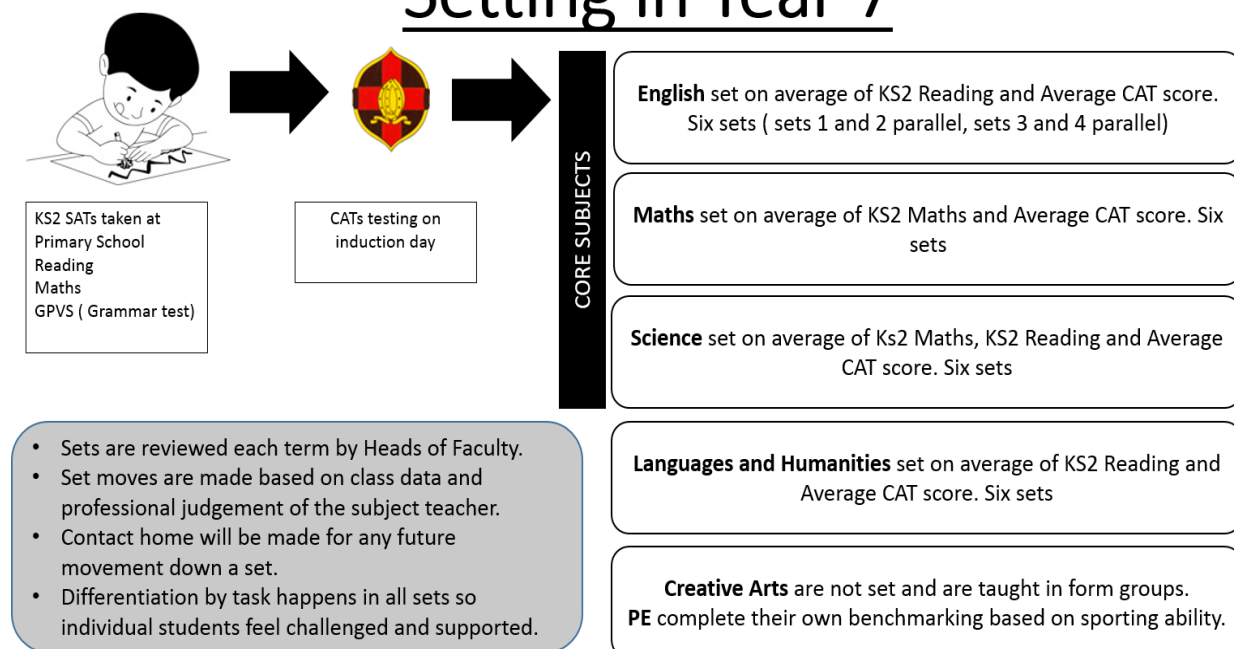
Please find below a summary of how the setting for Year 7 students is decided. The set in which your child has been allocated can cause some initial worries and concerns, therefore, it is important to note that although we have used KS2 and CATs results in our judgements, as your child settles into secondary school any incorrectly set students are quickly highlighted by classroom teachers.

We review our sets each term to make moves up and down to ensure that all students are placed in a class that supports them in making optimum progress.

Students that were in "Set 1" in primary school, may not necessarily be placed in top set at secondary school; this is due to the variation of student ability across all our primary feeder schools.

I would also like to draw your attention to the fact that our English Department operates parallel setting. Creative subjects are taught in tutor groups and therefore are not set.

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Yours sincerely

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