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Dear Parents / Carers,

ICAS Competitions are independent, online assessments, designed to recognise and reward academic excellence. The assessments are based on the curricula for the relevant year. Students are asked to demonstrate a deeper, integrated and thorough level of learning. All participating students will receive a certificate and an online results report.

ICAS is not compulsory and is run by the University of NSW. You can find out more about ICAS via this link: <https://www.icasassessments.com/products-icas/>

ICAS assessments are open to students from Years 3 to 6 at Bellinghen Public School and will be conducted at school during the month of August. Separate assessments are available in English, Writing, Mathematics, Science, Spelling Bee and Digital Technologies. ICAS Writing costs \$23.65 and all other ICAS assessments cost \$19.25 each.

Our school has signed up for the ICAS Assessments Parent Payment System (PPS). Through this system, parents pay for ICAS directly online. School will not be collecting entry fees for ICAS assessments this year.

Please use the following details to register your child no later than July 22, 2022. Also, complete and return the accompanying permission slip to school **no later than July 22**.

PURCHASE UNSW ICAS TESTS PARENT PORTAL: <https://shop.icasassessments.com/pages/pps>

Your school access code is: V I Y 5 9 9

Once you have logged in you can enter your student/s' details and select the assessments that you would like to complete. Please select the year level that your child is currently in for the assessments.

If you have any questions about ICAS or have problems with the parent portal, please contact Ms Everson via the school office.

Elizabeth Mulligan
Relieving Principal

Roz Everson
Co-ordinator

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ICAS Competition Permission Note- Register online and return this slip to school by July 22nd 2022

I hereby give permission for my child _____ in
class _____ to participate in the 2022 ICAS tests as indicated below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Writing | <input type="checkbox"/> English |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Spelling |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Technologies (Computer Skills) | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics |

☐ I have paid a total of \$ _____ for the selected ICAS competitions online via the ICAS parent portal, my receipt number is _____

Parent/Carer Name: _____ Parent/Carer Phone: _____

Signed: _____

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