



GLADESVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST: YEAR 5 ENTRY INTO AN OPPORTUNITY CLASS IN 2012

Dear Parent/Guardian

Opportunity Classes are one strategy used by the Department of Education and Training to cater for the learning needs of gifted and talented students in Years 5 and 6.

If you would like your child to attend an opportunity class in Year 5 in 2012, you will need to apply soon.

From this year, all applications should be made online through an internet connection. A limited number of application packages will be provided through the school shortly for those parents who do not have internet access.

The web site where you find all the necessary information, including the list of schools with opportunity classes and the application portal is: www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement

Parents will be able to apply online between 9 May and 20 May 2011.

All students applying for Year 5 opportunity class entry will be required to take the opportunity class placement test on the morning of 27 July 2011. The test will be held in a test centre to be advised individually to all applicants by 13 July 2011. Parents will be responsible for transporting their own children to and from the test centres.

Please complete the form below and return it to the school by next Friday.

If you would like to discuss the appropriateness of opportunity class placement for your child please call me for an appointment.

Yours sincerely

Principal

✂-Cut along the dotted line and return the completed slip below to this school by next Friday 13 May.

INTENTION TO APPLY: YEAR 5 ENTRY INTO AN OPPORTUNITY CLASS IN 2012

Student's name: _____

Class: _____

I am interested in applying for Opportunity Class entry in 2012

Yes

No

if Yes:

I have internet access and will be applying online

Yes

No

OR

I do not have internet access and would like to receive a printed copy of the application package

Signature of parent/guardian: _____ Date: _____

Note: This is **not** an application. You will need to complete an online or paper application.