



27 February 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

At the beginning of March, we will be taking part in a small, nation-wide writing assessment. Your child will be asked to respond to a writing prompt in class, such as writing a letter or speech about a specified topic, similar to tasks completed at both AHS and their primary school. This response will then be digitally copied and placed into an online Comparative Judgement website provided by [No More Marking](#). To mark responses, teachers are asked to compare two anonymised responses and state which they believe is stronger. It is a recognised, robust method of moderating pupils' writing.

No More Marking are looking to improve the efficiency and speed of the moderation process and are trialling an AI based method of doing so. The method requires them to share anonymised images of your child's writing to be transcribed and shared with AI cloud services.

As part of GDPR we must ensure that you are aware that the data may be transferred to servers in the United States but that No More Marking will ensure it benefits from an adequate level of data protection by relying on Adequacy decisions and Standard contractual clauses. **The data is deleted on the backend within 30 days of receipt or generation. The data is not used to train AI models.** For further information please see the GDPR and privacy notice which can be found at the [No More Marking](#) website.

If you wish for your child's writing not to be shared, please send an email to melgin@ahs.bucks.sch.uk and I will ensure their responses are not part of the trial.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding the trial, please feel free to reach out to contact me directly via email.

Yours Sincerely

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