



SECONDARY SCHOOL REPORT

**Purujit Aggarwal
Grade 8**

Semester 2

11/01/2021 to 18/06/2021

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GRADE DESCRIPTORS

TARGET

This grade is based on the data generated by the Cognitive Ability Test (CAT4) which assesses student potential in all subjects.

ACHIEVEMENT

Grade student is currently working at (incorporating exam results).

EFFORT

Based on student-council-agreed descriptors. Students do not have to fulfil all the points within each descriptor every time. Teacher discretion should be used.

EFFORT DESCRIPTORS

Each level of effort is broken down into 4 categories:

Behavior, Effort, Participation and Organization and Self-management.

• **Behaviour - Student's attitude towards school life: We value responsible thinking and we value each other.**

• **Effort - Student's commitment to pushing themselves to respond to challenges: We value genuine effort**

• **Participation - Student's involvement in class discussions, team projects, leadership roles: Learning is dynamic and learning is meaningful**

• **Organisation and self-management - Managing commitments and deadlines, using time effectively: Learning is life long Preparedness for 21st Century life**

Outstanding:

- Always demonstrates responsible thinking in all areas of school life
- Behaviour is outstanding at all times
- Always makes a consistent effort to go beyond expectations
- Always (without reluctance) participates in group assignments and class discussions
- Attempts to encourage peers to participate, and tries to help students in class
- Always completes work to their very best ability, and is always handed in on time
- Always prepared for and completely engaged in the learning process

Good:

- Normally demonstrates responsible thinking in all areas of school life
- Behaviour is good
- Usually tries their best and at times goes beyond expectations
- Normally participates in group assignments and class discussions
- Normally completes work to the best of their ability
- Normally prepared for and engaged in the learning process

Satisfactory:

- Demonstrates responsible thinking and behaviour when asked
- Behaviour is satisfactory
- Sometimes tries their best
- Normally meets expectations
- Sometimes attempts to participate in group assignments and class discussions
- Work is completed to the minimum expectation of the teacher
- Usually prepared for learning

Unsatisfactory:

- Is at times disrespectful to school community and the learning environment
- Behaviour is unsatisfactory
- Student makes insufficient effort to meet expectations
- Does not work effectively in teams nor contributes to the class
- Work not completed acceptably
- Disorganised and unprepared for learning

These Effort Descriptors were designed by the students to help teachers, parents and students share a clear understanding of expectations

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English	Target	Achievement	Effort
Lily Allison	A	A	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit has been an excellent student in English this year, consistently working hard to make good progress. He has developed in confidence when sharing ideas about literary texts and is an effective participant in class discussion. Purujit has written successfully across a range of styles and for a range of purposes, this shows his very good understanding of genre, audience and purpose. To continue progressing, Purujit could continue to challenge himself by reading a wider range of genres and including non-fiction texts into his reading.

Student Self-Reflection:

We have done many assignments in English and covered a wide range on topics. It was a fun year with many ups and very few downs. I enjoyed everything we did and was able to challenge myself in every piece of writing. I need to improve on my writing skills and I would like to spend as much time as I can reading. In my opinion this is the best way that I can improve myself in English.

Mathematics	Target	Achievement	Effort
Audrey Carvalho	A*	A*	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit is an outspoken, engaging and confident individual. He has qualities of a good leader and is always ready to direct the class class activities. He is an adaptive learner. He can learn both individually and collaboratively. This is evidence to his eagerness to learn and understand.

Purujit has always been inquisitive and vocal during the online classes and has done excellently in the summative tests held since the beginning of the year. He has made much higher progress than last year in the end of year exam which is evident to his hard work. Purujit is fluent in facts and procedures which is going to prove to be strong foundation for his IGCSE's. This will also test you in the Add Math group next year.

You've outdone yourself this year Purujit.

I'm looking forward to teaching you next year.

Ms Audrey

Student Self-Reflection:

We have covered a lot of topics over the last year and I have enjoyed learning both individually and in a group. Every topic that we have covered has helped me learn something new. In many tests I feel like I did well but occasionally I did not perform to the level I expected of myself and wished to reach. I want to work harder both in lessons and by myself to improve and make sure that I can reach a higher level and achieve better marks and grades.

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Science	Target	Achievement	Effort
Kamaljeet Jaiswal	A	A*	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit has continued to shine with his aptitude and attitude to the various class activities. The second semester grades were a combination of exploring the fundamentals of material science and life sciences to make deeper connections of applications in a global scenario. Industrial entrepreneurship with plastics, ceramics and glass was an extension to chemical reactions and the study of the Periodic Table in Chemistry. Purujit aced the several assessments based on these criteria, as he thoroughly practiced from IGCSE resources to challenge his understanding. 'The sustainable resources and energy consumption practices need a turnaround', this theme was our longest-run project and Purujit, again, provided good team support and effective collaboration. In the quest to ace the progress test and end of year assessment. Purujit worked well and has performed beyond expected levels. Well done on completing the KS3 course with flying colours!

Student Self-Reflection:

In this academic year I have learnt a lot in science in regard to all 3 sciences. The topic I enjoyed the most this year is chemical reactions. This was a topic I did not know too much about earlier and I learnt a lot which has helped me. In some activities I did not spend as much time as I should have and did less research on certain topics which limited my learning slightly. I need to make sure that I learn as much as I can on every topic.

German	Target	Achievement	Effort
Vanisha Karia	B	A	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit has exceeded his expectations this semester by being able to remain focused on a self-initiated activity for an extended period of time. He shows meticulous care in his activity and is painstakingly careful and detailed in his creative work. He can now use the past, present and future tense for most verbs and form simple sentences using "because". His homework and performance in class tests shows his dedication towards learning.

Student Self-Reflection:

In German I have learnt many topics and have been challenged at every turn. I have improved my language skills and have even interacted with German natives thanks to the German Exchange Program the school has organised this year. I want to continue improving my language skills and I am sure this will happen over the next few years.

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French	Target	Achievement	Effort
Anupama Rodrigues	B	A*	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit has worked consistently well this semester. He can answer unprepared questions in detail on a range of topics and can initiate and develop conversation. He can also use a wide range of vocabulary appropriate to the task and can spell mostly accurately, including more complex words. I encourage Purujit to keep up his effort!

Student Self-Reflection:

French is a subject that I enjoy and have enjoyed throughout this year. We have covered a lot of topics this year and I think that my abilities in French have drastically improved. I have enjoyed all of our assignments throughout the year and have learned thanks to them.

Geography	Target	Achievement	Effort
Richa Gokhale	B	A*	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

This semester, the students have explored two different branches of Geography - Environmental and Human, as they studied 'Biomes and Ecosystems' and 'Population and Migration'. They practised a variety of geographical skills like cartography, drawing and labelling diagrams, guided and non-guided case-study research, interpreting choropleth and isopleth maps, collecting and presenting data in graphical format in Excel, interpreting population pyramids, poster making and describing the spatial distribution of data. Purujit has been on the top of all his work, all the time. He is self-motivated and shows high levels of dedication. He often goes beyond the scope of the topic to explore in greater detail. His efforts are highly appreciated.

Student Self-Reflection:

Every topic we have done has interested me and helped me learn new information. Most of our topics also tie into each other which make them so much more interesting. I feel like I have improved a lot this year and hope to keep improving. I feel like in some tasks I could have done a bit better and gone a bit more in-depth when learning about the topics. I think that as I learn more about these topics and new topics.

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History	Target	Achievement	Effort
Junie Michel	B	A*	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

This term in History, students have studied early human history, beginning with human origins in Africa, migration to populate the world as well as the development of agriculture. Students have also looked at empires at different ages and the innovation, population growth development and spread of religions brought on by interregional trade.

Purujit is a pleasure to have in class and an enthusiastic student. He often goes beyond the confines of what is studied in class and has a sound understanding of history. Purujit is a conscientious student and completes his work to a high standard. Additionally, he contributes meaningfully to class discussions with insightful comments. Purujit is also able to write a well-organized essay with good analysis. For success in IGCSE, Purujit should aim to maintain this level of commitment to doing his best. Have a great summer Purujit!

Student Self-Reflection:

I have been able to learn new information and have performed decently in almost every assignment and test. I tried to find out more information by myself and I think this helped me a lot throughout the year. In some assignments I did not perform as well as I would have wanted. In these cases I feel like I can learn more about the topic by myself and make sure that I have an in-depth understanding of each topic. In IGCSE I would like to try and get an A or an A* in History.

Physical Education	Target	Achievement	Effort
Mahendra Mohan Jaiswal, Bishal Rudra	B	B	Good

Teacher Comment:

Purujit is a happy and friendly student. He is highly committed to his work and has a fantastic attitude towards sports. He will always try his best to improve his performance in every sport we practice in PE whether online or offline.

Purujit has demonstrated a good level of ability in Table Tennis and cricket this term. He looks very confident in what he does during the PE lessons which is pleasant to see.

Student Self-Reflection:

PE online is a very weird thing to do and is a massive change when compared to regular PE. It has been a strange experience but this year PE has been as fun as it could be with our teachers going out of their way to make the subject as interactive and interesting as possible. I hold an interest in select sports (Table Tennis and Football) and usually in PE we would get to play these sports which is what I like the most and why I enjoyed PE in school a lot.

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Music	Target	Achievement	Effort
<i>Lydia Hornung</i>	B	A	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit is an excellent student, always participating with enthusiasm in lessons, sharing his opinions and engaging in discussions about music and the different topics we have covered. His knowledge of musical theory is equally as good as his knowledge of music history and he has performed well in all his class assessments, assignments as well as shown creativity in his musical compositions. Well done!

Student Self-Reflection:

Music was a very enjoyable subject this year with many interesting topics being covered. I really enjoyed the assignments we did around Pop Music and rearranging a song as they really challenged my musical skills. In some assignments I could have done better and in some parts of the subject I haven't done as well as others. To improve I would love to continue learning about different types of music and learning more about music history.

Drama	Target	Achievement	Effort
<i>Lily Allison</i>	A	A	Outstanding

Teacher Comment:

Purujit has worked very effectively in Drama this year to produce some engaging and amusing performances. He has embraced the subject, both online and in class, and clearly has an affinity for it. It has been a pleasure to teach him.

Student Self-Reflection:

Drama has been a very interesting subject this year. Due to online learning Drama could not be conducted the way it usually is and originally I struggled because of this factor but during the course of the semester I feel like I started to cope and was able to do the work expected of me. I enjoyed most of the projects and making videos in groups online was a new and welcome experience.

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Design Technology

Target

Achievement

Effort

B

C

Satisfactory

Sarah Montague

Teacher Comment:

It is evident that Purujit has faced some challenges in recent times with the online learning platform. Connectivity issues and absences have hampered his attempts to continue making the good progress that was evident earlier in the year. Design Technology is by its very nature process orientated and Purujit has found it a challenge to engage with the subject over the past few months. His work, as a result, lacks consistency. When Purujit joins the online lessons, he is enthusiastic and positive. He understands what is required of him but he has only uploaded a limited amount of work, in the most recent projects, for me to discuss with him. Purujit is a very able student. He has a huge amount of potential and I am sure that he will enjoy and feel more engaged in his DT lessons when he returns to the workshop in the new school year.

Student Self-Reflection:

We have done many projects in DT over the course of this term and year. I was able to understand what has to be done and what I should do to improve my piece of work. I have struggled in DT due to online learning and haven't been able to finish my projects to the level I wished to reach. I will have to improve in most areas relating to DT in the coming years.

Art

Target

Achievement

Effort

B

A

Outstanding

Sally Neville

Teacher Comment:

Purujit has applied himself to this subject really well this semester; he has maintained a positive attitude and a strong work ethic which has resulted in him producing some good results including a fantastic final outcome to his 'Icon' project. He has a very strong presence in the class, even online, and often has interesting insights to share which makes for interesting interactions amongst his peers. I hope that Purujit continues to apply himself to this subject as I believe the thinking and practical skills that it encourages will serve him well in the future.

Student Self-Reflection:

Art has been very interesting this term and I have done many pieces of work. We had a very long project on ICONS which I enjoyed and I feel like my artistic abilities have improved a lot this term.

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Computing

**Target
A**

**Achievement
A***

**Effort
Good**

Bivash Chakraborty

Teacher Comment:

Purujit - Purujit shows enthusiasm for classroom activities and shows initiative and looks for new ways to get involved. He is also hardworking and always completes all of his work on time to the best of his abilities. He reads extensively for enjoyment and frequently discusses concepts about which he has read. He has once again exceeded his target and I congratulate him for that.

Keep up the good work Purujit!

Student Self-Reflection:

Computer Science has been one of the most interesting subjects for me throughout this year and term. I hold a massive interest in Computers so what we were doing in class most of the time I already knew but it was still interesting as occasionally I picked up a new thing or two. There are still areas I need to work on and improve but that should happen with time.

Computer Aided Design (CAD)

Target

Achievement

**Effort
Outstanding**

Atharva Joshi

Teacher Comment:

Purujit was the most consistent student in CAD throughout the year and he completed all the classwork designs on time and up to the mark. Sometimes, he worked and finished the designs at 5 am in the morning even before the lesson started just by referring to the resources posted on Google classroom. This clearly shows his immense dedication to learning, and I hope it stays the same in the future.

Student Self-Reflection:

I enjoyed all the different projects we have done throughout the year. Every week we were able to try different features on the Fusion 360 app which was exciting and tested my skills. Every activity was exciting and interesting in its own way. It has reached the point that I could not give a favorite activity. In every activity, I had some form of success but occasionally I needed a little help from Mr. Atharva. I would like to try and make slightly more complex designs in the future.

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FORM REPORT

Form Tutor's Comment

What a brilliant report, Purujit ! But it does not come from anywhere, you have known how to cope with the situation and your dedication, self-discipline, and willingness have been very commendable and allowed you to reach your targets and beyond. There is still room for learning and I am sure with your behaviour, your curiosity and your commitment you will continue to flourish more and more.

Form Tutor: Martine Durade

Head of Secondary's Comment

Purujit has completed a very successful final semester of KS3, meeting or exceeding his targets in almost all subjects. He has performed very well in the Progress Test and is way ahead of his peers worldwide. This is also, of course, down to the fact that Purujit has been working hard, both at home and in class, and engaging well in lessons, as is evident in his teachers' comments. Well done Purujit, you can look forward to a confident start to the IGCSE programme!

Camille Gautier

Principal's Comment

I am very glad to see how well Purujit is doing. His high performance in academic subjects is very much to be expected, but after a year like this is still worthy of commendation. More telling is his commitment to do well in the creative subjects where he perhaps has less interest. His supportive and positive approach in all his subjects, reflects a strong ethical student who can be deservedly proud of himself.

Dr. Howard Gee