

PARTICIPANT CONSENT FORM (Pupil)

Please circle the “thumbs up” in the box by each statement if you agree, or circle the “thumbs down” if you do not agree and do not want to take part.

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| 1. I confirm that I have read and understood the information sheet for this study. I have had the opportunity to think about it and ask questions. |   |
| 2. I understand that I don't have to take part and I can ask not to take part at any time. |   |
| 3. I understand that if I withdraw from the project either before or during the data collection phase, any data collected about me to that point will not be used. I note the data collection phase of this project should last about 2 months from March 2024. |   |
| 4. I understand that if I withdraw from the project once data analysis has started, it will only be possible to remove data from which I can be identified. I note that data analysis will begin approximately one week after data has been collected and will last for approximately 2 months after that. I further understand that after the end of the data analysis phase it will be necessary for the university to retain non-personal data for verification purposes for 10 years in total. After this, the data will be deleted. |   |

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| <p>5. I understand that GDPR states that research studies are exempt from the right to be forgotten where this is “likely to render impossible or seriously impair the achievement of the objectives” and that any request I make to invoke my right to be forgotten will be considered by the University with this in mind. The University will endeavour to take every possible measure to comply with the request without impairing the research.</p> |   |
| <p>6. I agree to take part in the above study.</p> |   |

Reference Number: PGR-9035

Title of Project: *Developing new literacy tests in Welsh*

Name of Principal Investigator: *Marjorie Thomas*

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| Name of participant: Date of Birth: Signature: | Date: |
| Signature and name of person taking consent in school: | Date: |

Any information you provide will be treated in accordance with data protection principles for the purposes specified within the Participant Information Sheet. Cardiff Metropolitan University will process your personal data in line with Article 6(1)(a) and Article 9(2)(a) of the General Data Protection Regulation 2018 which specifies that your personal data can only be processed with your explicit consent. By signing this form and ticking the boxes above you are confirming that you have understood the reasons for obtaining your data and you are happy for the study to proceed. Please note that you have the right to withdraw consent at any point. Should you wish to invoke that right please contact ESSHethics@cardiffmet.ac.uk