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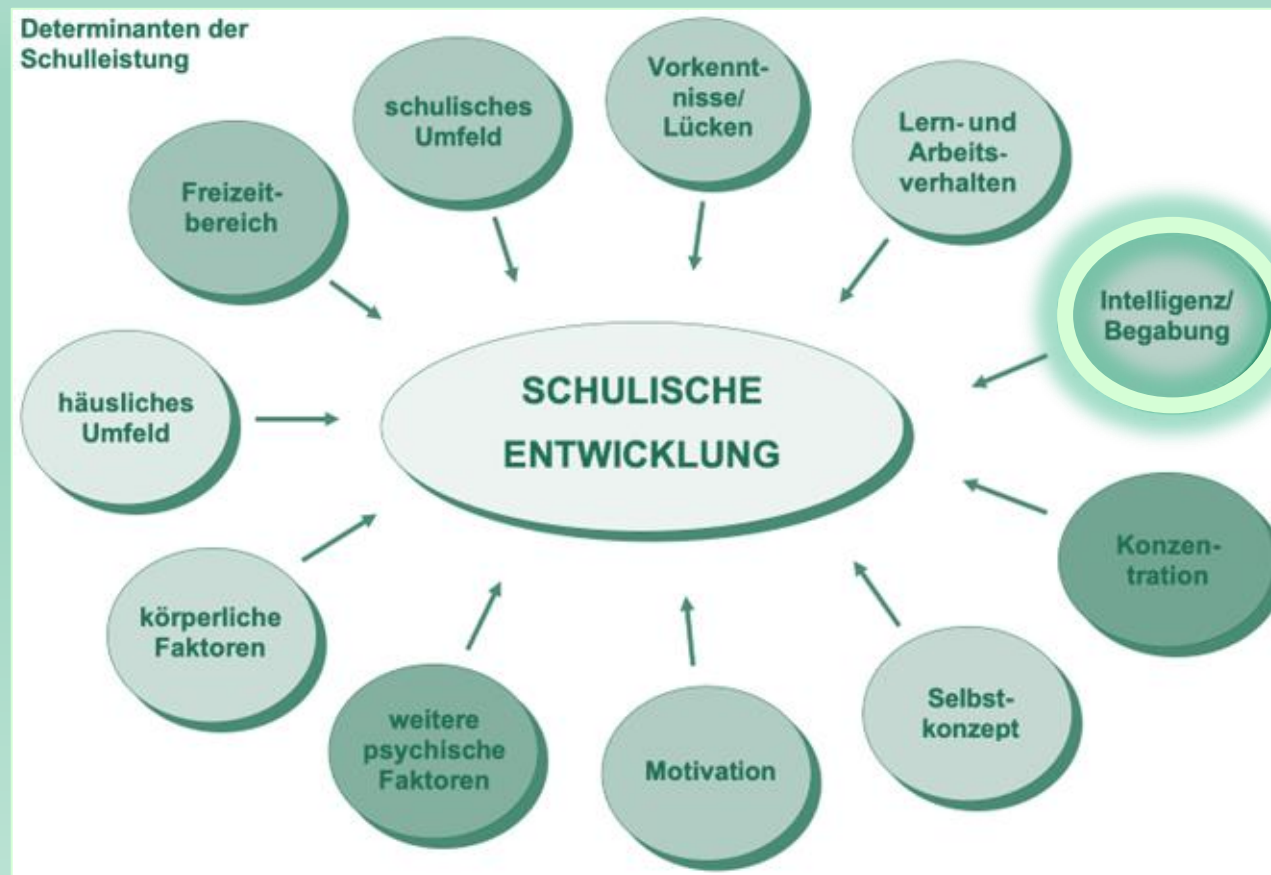
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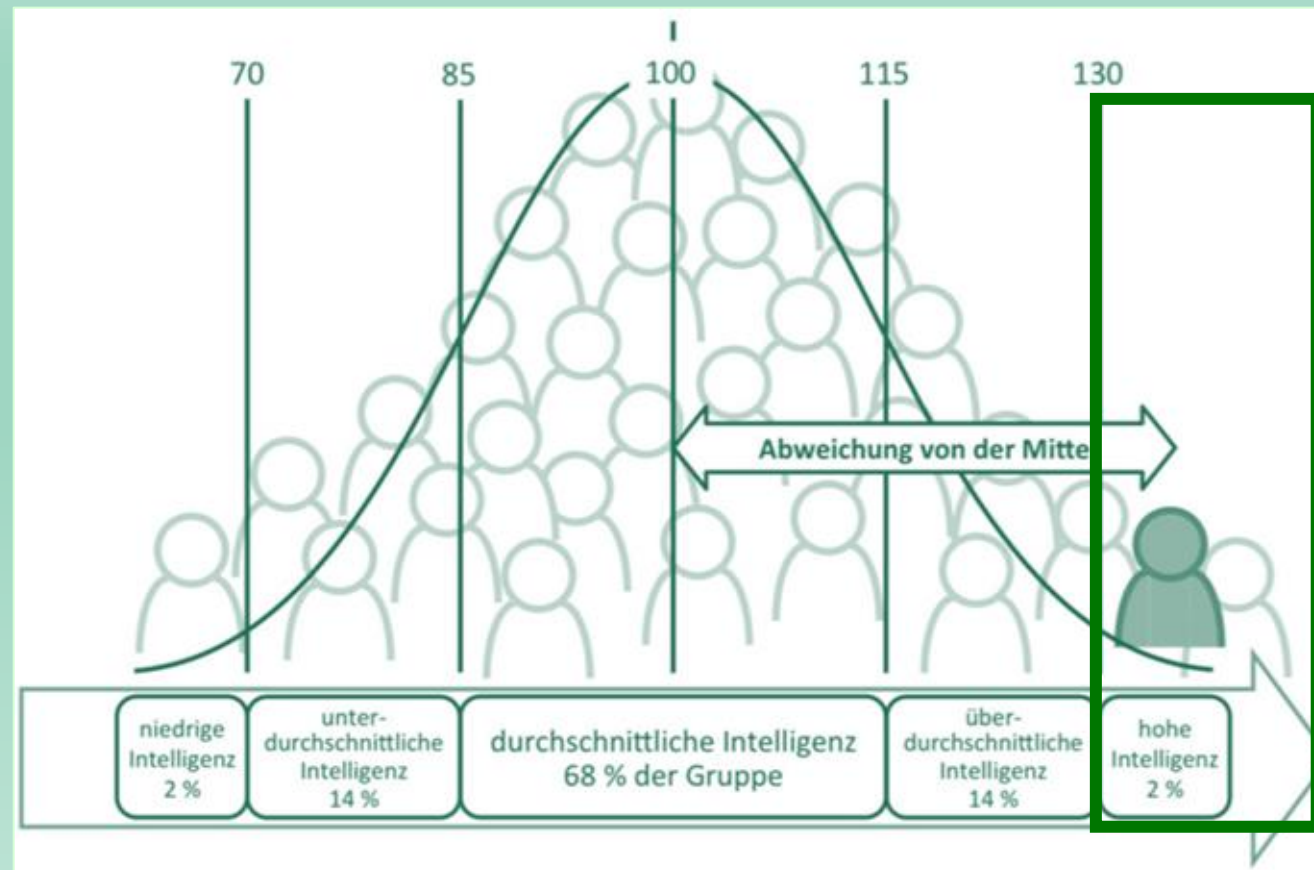
Educational Assessment

Determinants of Academic Achievement



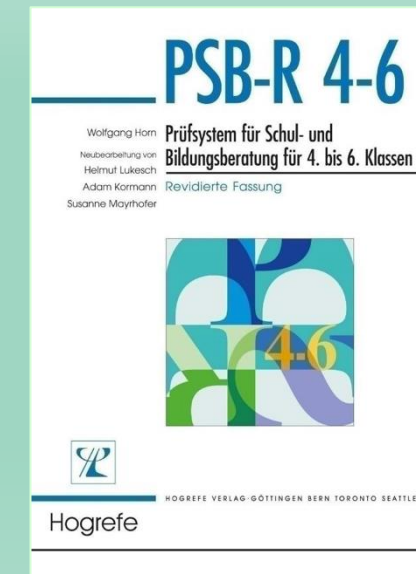
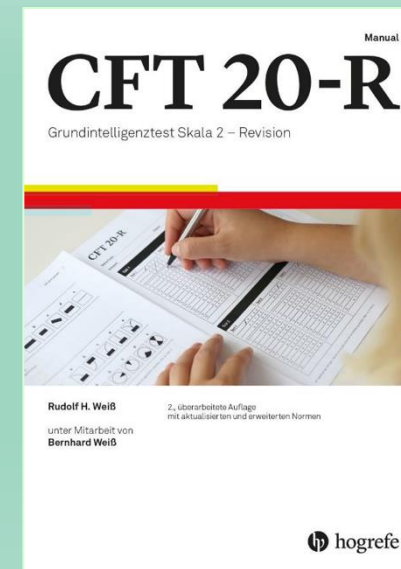
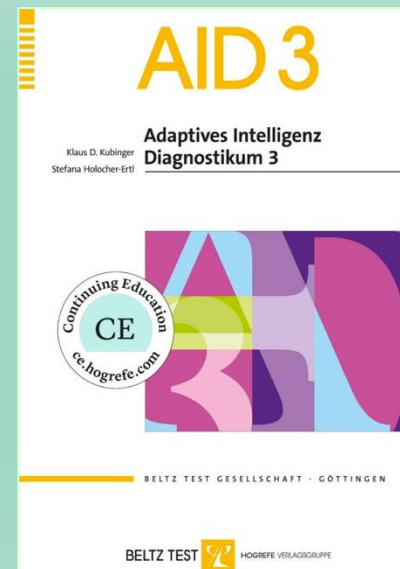
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Gaussian Distribution (Variable: Intelligence)



Educational Assessment

Standardised Testing Procedures (Selection)



Limited comparability of tests

→ Only assessments conducted by SPBS may be considered for the selection procedure

Limited discriminatory power

→ Test results at an SPBS must be ≥ 120 IQ points, not ≥ 130 .



Educational Assessment

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Educational Concept at KKSt

Characteristics of High Cognitive Ability

Gifted children ...



- intuitively grasp even complex issues
- remember what they have seen and read, especially details, over long periods
- are curious and ask many questions, including personal and sometimes inappropriate ones
- often have a strong sense of justice and question rules and norms
- can occupy themselves well and show high motivation in self-chosen tasks, often expressed in attention to detail and even perfectionism
- think abstractly and in interconnected ways from an early age and find creative solutions
- often feel “different” from their classmates
- are frequently disappointed with school because they are underchallenged
- look for friends who share their interests and understand their questions
- often hide their strengths (especially girls)

Educational Concept at KKSt

Dimensions of Support

Achievement-based Grouping

Formation of a learning group to promote learning processes

Subject-based Acceleration

Promotion of cognitive potential and prevention of underchallenge

Interest-based Enrichment

Targeted support of individual strengths and interests



Gifted Education Programmes

Enrichment in Lower Secondary Level (Orientierungsstufe)

Annual Themes in 5th and 6th grade

Grade 5: Research & Presentation

Scientific working methods in forest, laboratory and everyday life

Grade 6: Invention & Discovery

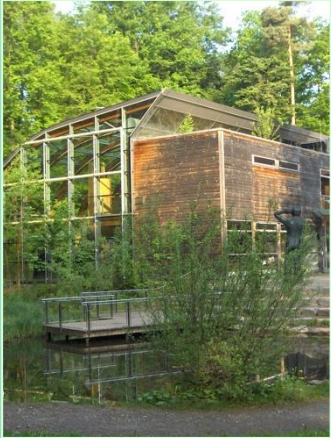
Visions for the future in imagination, literature and everyday implementation



Gifted Education Programmes

Enrichment in Lower Secondary Level (Orientierungsstufe)

Research & Presentation
Haus des Waldes 2025



Gifted Education Programmes

Enrichment in Grades 7-10

Subject „Mensch-Natur-Kultur“ (Grades 7-10)

- Project-based courses with individual mentoring
- Interdisciplinary focus, partly team-teaching
- Cooperation with external partners, including excursions

Alternative Election Options (Grades 7-10)

- Participation in competitions (e.g. FTC)
- Early university studies, scholarships (e.g. Schülerzirkel Mathematik)
- Participation in academies etc.

Wide Range of Extracurricular Activities

- Languages & society (e.g. Italian, Jugend debattiert)
- Science & computer science (e.g. robotics, computer garden)
- Arts & culture (e.g. theatre, choirs, orchestra)

Gifted Education Programmes

Enrichment in Grades 7-10

Name / Klasse [REDACTED] Katharina
Stift

Aus den folgenden Enrichment-Angeboten muss ein Angebot gewählt werden (X). Zwei weitere Angebote sind als Ersatzkurse zu markieren (E1 und E2), falls das gewählte Angebot nicht zustande kommt oder überbelegt ist.

Angebot	Lehrkräfte	Klasse	Markiere X, E1 und E2 (Ersatz)
„Jugend debattiert“	BM/HA	7-10	
Stop-Motion Produktion	KB/ST	7-10	E2
Presslufthammer – Die Online-Schülerzeitung	HI	7-10	
„Europa“	HI/SE	7-10	X
Der blaue Planet - die Einzigartigkeit des Planeten Erde	FE	7-8	E1
Wege zum inneren Gleichgewicht und Glück	FE	8-10	
„Die Deutschen und ihre Nachbarn im Osten“	GI KG	7-10	

Alternativangebote (auch zusätzlich wählbar!):

Intensivkurs Italienisch (3-std.)	NN	7-10	
Italienisch bili (Geographie / Geschichte)	AR	8-9	
Latein-AG	FM	8 / 10	
Theater-AG	RD	7-10	
FLL (FIRST LEGO League) + WRO	FK/MZ	6-10	
FTC (FIRST Tech Challenge) o.ä.	FK	8-J2	
Orchester	WA	7-J2	
Chor	GD	7-J2	
Japanisch (KCG)	NN	8-J2	Zusätzlich

Gifted Education Programmes

Individual Enrichment (Example)

Junior University Studies at Rostock University (from grade 10)

- Free early study programme: 14 weeks in summer or winter semester
- Participation via online learning platform: lectures digital + asynchronous
- Time commitment: 3–5 hours per week
- On-site sessions usually replaceable on request
- Support by tutors (students of the University of Rostock)
- Fields of study: engineering and computer science, mathematics/natural sciences, medicine/life sciences, languages/humanities, economics/social sciences/law, teacher training



Gifted Education Programmes

Individual Enrichment (Example)

1. Ingenieurwissenschaften/Informatik

Nr.	Veranstaltung
1.1	Imperative Programmierung (1+2)
1.2	Logik
1.3	Verbrennungsmotoren
1.4	Regenerative Energietechnik
1.5	Grundlagen der Schiffstechnik
1.6	Grundlagen der Elektrotechnik

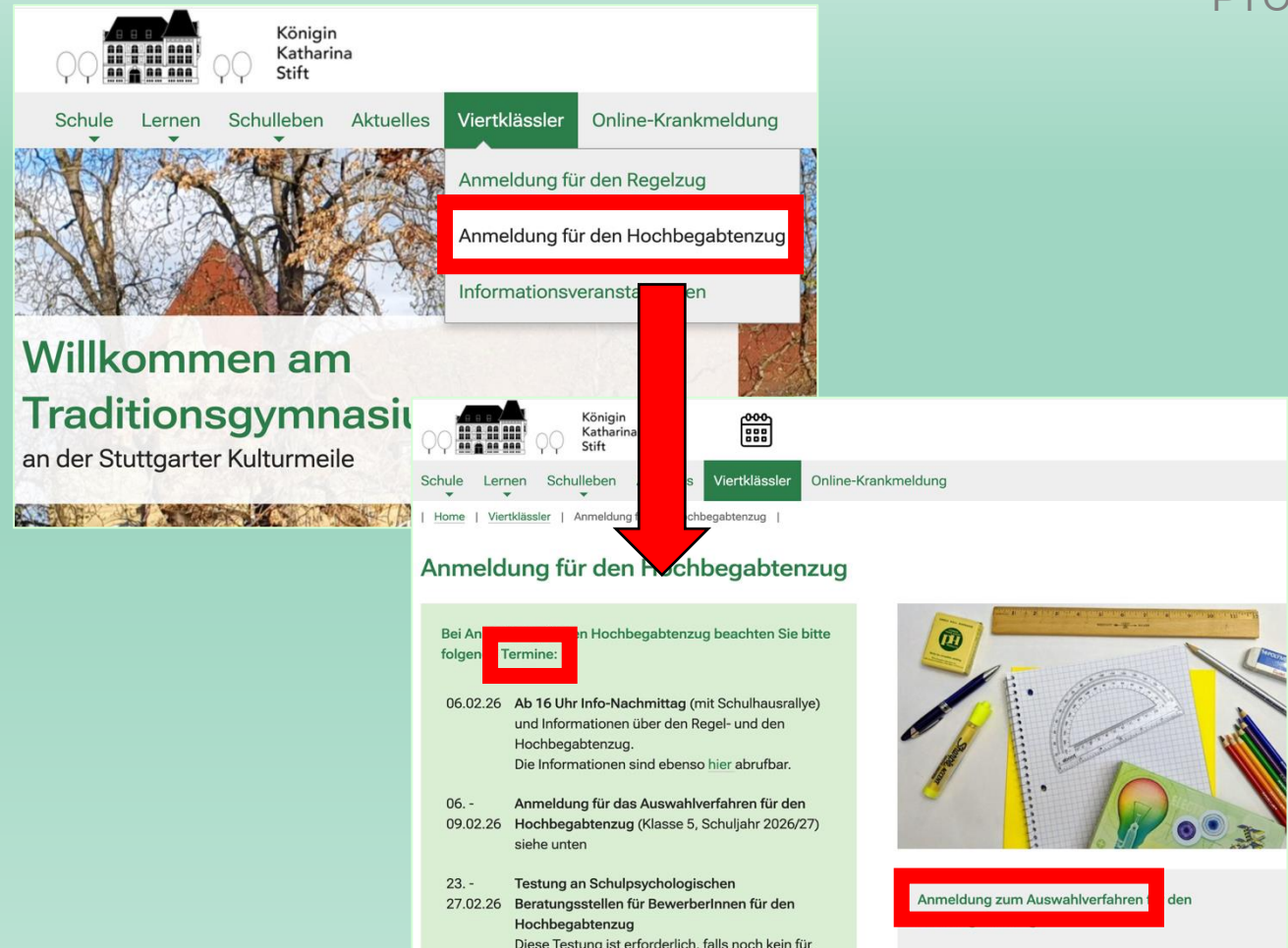
3. Medizin/Life Sciences

Nr.	Veranstaltung
3.1	Neuroanatomie
3.2	Allgemeine Anatomie und Bewegungsapparat
3.3	Grundlagen der Chemie für medizinische Studiengänge (1+2)
3.4	Physik für medizinische Studiengänge (1+2)
3.5	Biologie für medizinische Studiengänge (1+2)
3.6	Medizinische Soziologie
3.7	Organsysteme



Info on the Selection Procedure in 2026

Process

The screenshot shows the website navigation menu with 'Viertklässler' selected. A red box highlights 'Anmeldung für den Hochbegabtenzug' in the dropdown menu. A large red arrow points down to the main content area, which is titled 'Anmeldung für den Hochbegabtenzug'. Below the title, there is a list of dates and events:

- Bei Anmeldung in den Hochbegabtenzug beachten Sie bitte folgende Termine:
- 06.02.26 Ab 16 Uhr Info-Nachmittag (mit Schulhausrallye) und Informationen über den Regel- und den Hochbegabtenzug. Die Informationen sind ebenso [hier](#) abrufbar.
- 06. - 09.02.26 Anmeldung für das Auswahlverfahren für den Hochbegabtenzug (Klasse 5, Schuljahr 2026/27) siehe unten
- 23. - 27.02.26 Testung an Schulpsychologischen Beratungsstellen für Bewerberinnen für den Hochbegabtenzug. Diese Testung ist erforderlich, falls noch kein für

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Process

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|-------------------|---|
| 06.02.26 | Info-Nachmittag at KKSt (Regular and Gifted Programmes) |
| 06./09.02.26 | Registration for selection process at KKSt (school office) |
| 23.02. - 27.02.26 | Testing at school psychology counseling centers (SPBS) |
| 25.02. - 04.03.26 | Parent meetings (online) |
| 04.03.26 | Selection day at KKSt (trial sessions, interviews) |
| - 09.03.26 | Notification of admission via email |
| 09.03. - 12.03.26 | Enrollment for grade 5 (school office) |

Registration for the selection process

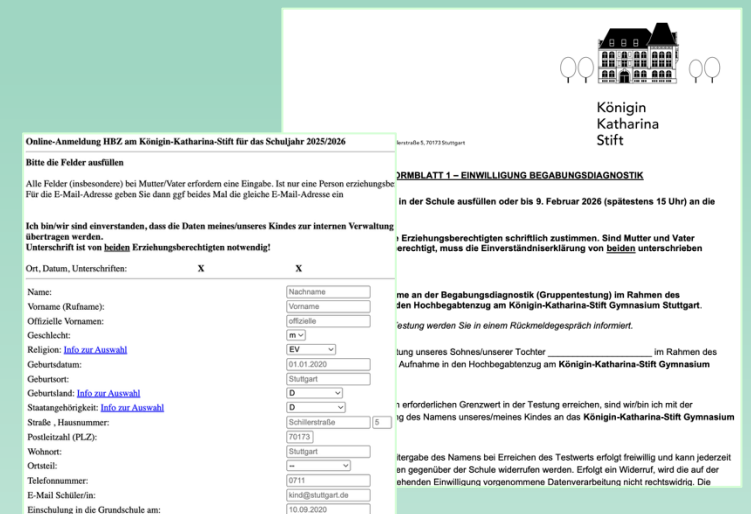
In-person registration at KKSt (School Office, Room 207) on Friday, **06.02.26** and Monday, **09.02.26** im KKSt (Sekretariat, Raum 207)

Please complete the **online form** at www.koenigin-katharina-stift.de, print it out, have it signed by both legal guardians, and bring it along with the following documents to the school office (Room 207) for registration:

- *Formblatt 1* (download from website)
- Primary school recommendation (*Grundschulempfehlung*, pages 3, 4)
- Child's ID document or birth certificate
- Proof of measles vaccination
- Photo of the child (not a passport photo)

www.koenigin-katharina-stift.de

Mr. Bernhart: bt@kkst-stuttgart.de



Online-Anmeldung HBZ am Königin-Katharina-Stift für das Schuljahr 2025/2026

Bitte die Felder ausfüllen

Alle Felder (insbesondere) bei Mutter/Vater erfordern eine Eingabe. Ist nur eine Person erziehungsbe-
für die E-Mail-Adresse geben Sie dann ggf beides Mal die gleiche E-Mail-Adresse ein

Ich bin/wir sind einverstanden, dass die Daten meines/unsers Kindes zur internen Verwaltung
übertragen werden.
Unterschrift ist von **beiden** Erziehungsberechtigten notwendig!

Ort, Datum, Unterschriften: X X

Name: Nachname
Vorname (Rufname): Vorname
Offizielle Vornamen: offizielle
Geschlecht: m-w
Religion: Info zur Auswahl EV
Geburtsdatum: 01.01.2020
Geburtsort: Stuttgart
Geburtsland: Info zur Auswahl D
Staatsangehörigkeit: Info zur Auswahl D
Straße, Hausnummer: Schillerstraße 6
Postleitzahl (PLZ): 70173
Wohnort: Stuttgart
Ortsteil: -
Telefonnummer: 0711
E-Mail Schüler/in: kind@stuttgart.de
Einschulung in die Grundschule am: 10.09.2020

FORMBLATT 1 – EINWILLIGUNG BEGABUNGSDIAGNOSTIK

In der Schule ausfüllen oder bis 9. Februar 2026 (spätestens 15 Uhr) an die
Erziehungsberechtigten schriftlich zustimmen. Sind Mutter und Vater
erlaubt, muss die Einverständniserklärung von **beiden** unterschrieben

me an der Begabungsdagnostik (Gruppentestung) im Rahmen des
den Hochbegabtenzug am Königin-Katharina-Stift Gymnasium Stuttgart.
testung werden Sie in einem Rückmeldegespräch informiert.

lung unseres Sohnes/unsere Tochter im Rahmen des
Aufnahme in den Hochbegabtenzug am Königin-Katharina-Stift Gymnasium

erforderlichen Grenzwert in der Testung erreichen, sind wir/ich mit der
g des Namens unseres/meines Kindes an das Königin-Katharina-Stift Gymnasium

tergabe des Namens bei Erreichen des Testwertes erfolgt freiwillig und kann jederzeit
an gegenüber der Schule widerrufen werden. Erfolgt ein Widerruf, wird die auf der
ehenden Einwilligung vorgenommene Datenverarbeitung nicht rechtswidrig. Die

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Parent meetings and selection day

Parent meetings: 25.02. - 04.03.26

Online from with a member of our school management

Link and password sent via email, no additional software required

Selection day at KKSt: 04.03.26

Morning: trial lessons (short teaching sessions, group activities)

- Afterwards: individual student interviews
- What to bring: Writing materials, food & drink, sportswear

Admission results via email by **09.03.26** at the latest

Q & A

SPBS, School Management, Students from 5c and 8c

