



Coonabarabran High School

ASSESSMENT NOTIFICATION

Subject: Year 8 English

Teacher: Ms Bain, Mrs Birrell, Ms Nisar

Topic: Culture and Diversity – *Dougy* by James Moloney

Weighting: 20%

Date of Notification: Tuesday 25th August 2020

Due Date: Tuesday 8th September 2020 – this is an in-class test

You will be assessed on how well you:

- add detail to your responses
- accurately discuss aspects of the novel and its main messages (themes)
- use correct punctuation, spelling and grammar to express your ideas

Task

Students are required to complete an in-class test: students will be given extracts from the novel *Dougy* by James Moloney.

They are to complete several short answer questions based on the extracts and their own knowledge of the novel and its main messages or themes.

Students will complete a practice test with teacher help to ensure they are ready to meet the demands of this task.

Syllabus outcomes assessed: EN4-1A, EN4-3B, EN4-7D

NOTE:

This is a compulsory assessment task. You are required to be in class on the above stated date to complete the task. You are to make a genuine attempt at the examination. Failing to do so may result in the awarding of the grade of 0%. If you will be away on the day, you are required to arrange an extension with your class teacher. If you are away from school on the day of the examination due to an unplanned event, you are required to provide your teacher with a note from a parent/caregiver when you return.