Please edit or add to the letter below as appropriate to your child.

As far as we are able to ascertain, this is all that is required to exercise your right to opt your child out of the tests.

If your request is by any chance refused, please contact us at info@upstart.scot.

Dear ………………………,

I am writing to request that my son/daughter, ……………………………….., should not sit the Primary 1 SNSA tests of literacy and numeracy. At this stage in his/her education, I do not believe that national standardised assessment of this kind is developmentally appropriate and should therefore prefer assessment of his/her progress in all respects to be based entirely on his/her teacher’s ongoing observations and professional judgement.

Thank you very much for your time and attention.

Yours sincerely