



You've got the data...now what?

How to provide meaningful programming based on data.

PARENT INFORMATION MEETING

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CogAT 7

The Cognitive Abilities Test

**Cognitive: intellectual activity
skills such as thinking and reasoning**

**Measures both general & specific
cognitive abilities**

Know

- What the CogAT measures
- Define the three batteries assessed by the CogAT
- Vocabulary of the 4 Profiles- A, B, C, E

Understand

- That the CogAT can be used for all students
- How to read a student's CogAT results
- Profile characteristics of learners

Do

Apply differentiated instructional strategies based on profiles to provide meaningful, deliberate programming.

Why?

- Universal screening to support identification and programming for student strengths (CO HB14- 1102)
- A data point to help teachers understand instructional needs of EVERYlearner
- A resource that can be used to guide instructional information gathering for EVERYlearner
- A communication tool to help parents understand their child's strengths

CogAT*



- Reflects overall efficiency of cognitive processes and strategies that enable an individual to learn new tasks
- Assessed in three domains
- Levels 5 /6 - 8 have been completely revised to be a bilingual primary battery

CogAT*



In **combination** with other relevant information, scores can be used to differentiate instruction in ways that enhance the student's learning

CogAT: 3 primary uses*

- To guide efforts to adapt instruction to the needs and abilities of students
- To provide an alternative measure of cognitive development
- To identify students whose predicted levels of achievement are markedly discrepant from their observed levels of achievement

Verbal Battery*

- **Assesses a student's vocabulary efficiency and verbal memory**
- **Assesses a student's ability to determine word relationships**

Quantitative Battery*

- **Tests the child's understanding of basic quantitative concepts and relationships that are essential for learning mathematics.**
- **Tasks measure both the understanding of relational concepts and the student's ability to discover relationships and to figure out a rule or principle that explains them.**

Nonverbal Battery*

Measures reasoning using pictures and geometric shapes.

This reduces the impact of language on the student's score.



LIST OF STUDENT SCORES

Cognitive Abilities Test™ (CogAT®)

Class: _____
 School: _____
 System: Jefferson County Schools

Form/Level: 6/2
 Test Date: 01/2006
 Norms: Midyear 2000
 Order No.: _____
 Page: 1 Grade: 2

STUDENT NAME I.D. Number F-1 F-2 F-3 Code ABCDEFGHIJKL MNOPZ	Birth Date Age Form Program	Level (Gender)		No. of Items	No. Att	Raw Score	USS	AGE SCORES			GRADE SCORES		LOCAL NORMS		Student Profile Age Percentile Rank			Profile
								SAS	PR	S	PR	S	PR	S	PR ₁	25	50	
1	12/97 08-01	2 (M)	VERBAL	48	47	34	171	104	60	6	65	6			V	60		5B (Q-)
			QUANTITATIVE	48	44	27	154	92	31	4	35	4			Q	31		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	35	177	100	50	5	55	5			N	50		
			COMPOSITE				167	99	48	5	51	5			C	48		
2	11/97 08-02	2 (M)	VERBAL	48	48	35	174	106	65	6	70	6			V	65		6A
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	37	177	106	65	6	71	6			Q	65		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	40	190	109	71	6	76	6			N	71		
			COMPOSITE				180	107	67	6	74	6			C	67		
3	02/98 07-11	2 (M)	VERBAL	48	48	42	199	126	95	8	95	8			V	95		6E (V+N-)
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	35	172	104	60	6	63	6			Q	60		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	28	164	93	33	4	35	4			N	33		
			COMPOSITE				178	108	69	6	70	6			C	69		
4	06/98 07-07	2 (M)	VERBAL	48	48	26	152	95	38	4	33	4			V	38		6B (V-)
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	36	174	108	69	6	66	6			Q	69		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	41	193	115	83	7	80	7			N	83		
			COMPOSITE				173	107	67	6	61	6			C	67		
5	11/97 08-02	2 (F)	VERBAL	48	48	36	177	108	69	6	74	6			V	69		6A
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	36	174	104	60	6	66	6			Q	60		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	40	190	109	71	6	76	6			N	71		
			COMPOSITE				180	107	67	6	74	6			C	67		
6	05/98 07-08	2 (F)	VERBAL	48	48	36	177	112	77	7	74	6			V	77		7A
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	39	182	113	79	7	78	7			Q	79		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	41	193	114	81	7	80	7			N	81		
			COMPOSITE				184	114	81	7	80	7			C	81		
7	03/97 08-10	2 (M)	VERBAL	48	48	35	174	101	52	5	70	6			V	52		5B (Q-)
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	31	163	92	31	4	48	5			Q	31		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	39	187	103	57	5	71	6			N	57		
			COMPOSITE				175	99	48	5	65	6			C	48		
8	07/98 07-06	2 (F)	VERBAL	48	48	29	159	101	52	5	45	5			V	52		4C (V+Q-)
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	15	129	81	12	3	8	2			Q	12		
			NONVERBAL	48	47	21	151	89	25	4	19	3			N	25		
			COMPOSITE				146	89	25	4	18	3			C	25		
9	01/98 08-00	2 (F)	VERBAL	48	48	38	183	114	81	7	82	7			V	81		6A
			QUANTITATIVE	48	48	39	182	110	73	6	78	7			Q	73		
			NONVERBAL	48	48	40	190	110	73	6	76	6			N	73		
			COMPOSITE				185	112	77	7	81	7			C	77		

No. Att = Number Attempted S = Stanine Refer to summary for definitions. ± = Extremely Variable Responses
 For further information on the interpretation of this report, please visit www.riversidepublishing.com or refer to the Interpretive Guide.

S: stanine*

- Standard score scale consisting of 9 levels.
- Age and grade groups.
- Similar to percentile ranks.
- Broad grouping.

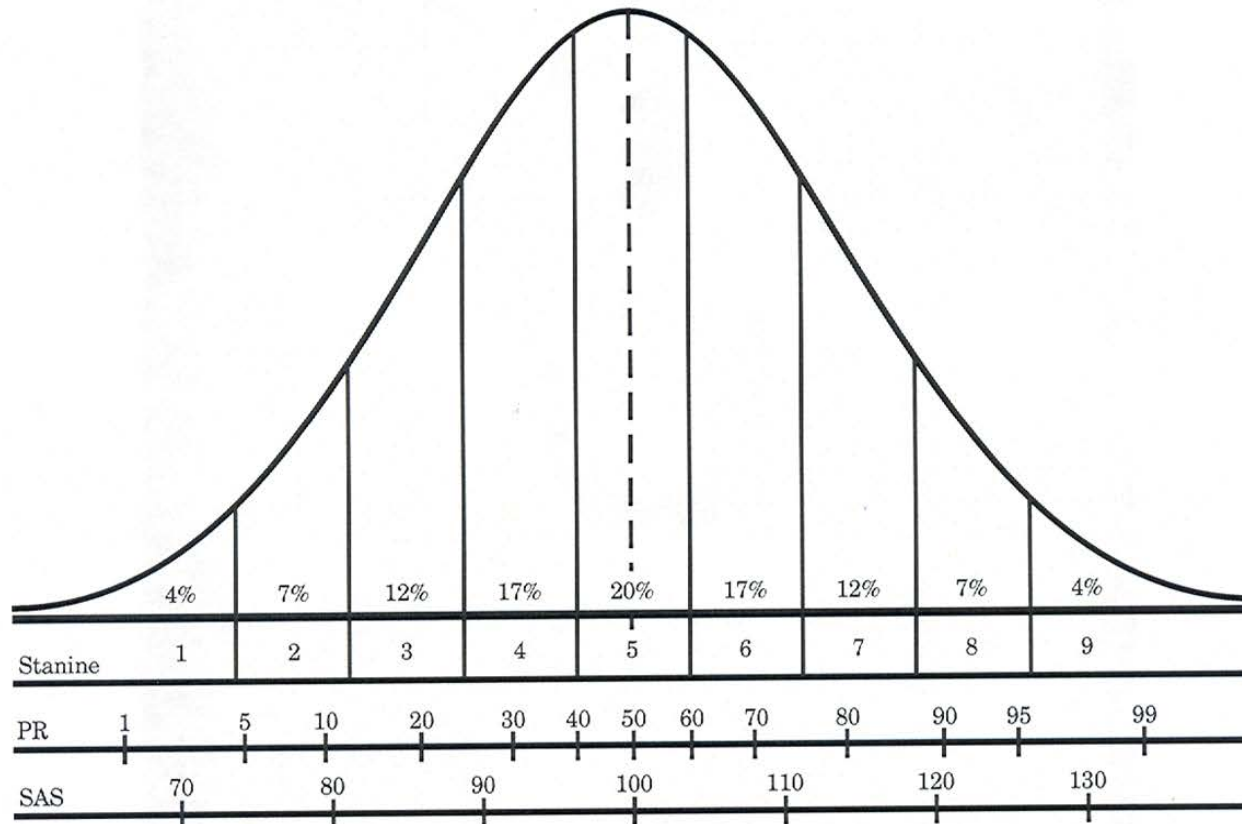
PR: percentile rank*

Percentage of students in the same age or grade group whose scores fall below the score obtained by a particular student.

A score of 50 is considered average.

Relationships of Stanines and Percentile Ranks

Figure 1-1: Relationship of Stanines, Percentile Ranks, and Standard Age Scores



Score Profiles*

Scores on the 3 batteries make up a student's profile

A*

sAme level

The student's verbal, quantitative, and nonverbal scores are roughly at the same level.

The pattern assumed whenever a student's ability is summarized in a single score.

About 1/3 of students obtain this profile.

B*

aBove or BBelow

1 of the 3 battery scores is above or below the other two scores.

Approximately 40% of students.

B (N-)

B (V+)

C*

Contrast

Student shows a relative strength
and a relative weakness.

C (V+ Q-)

E*

Extreme

The B and C profile for some students is much more extreme than for others.

Any profile in which there is a difference of 24 or more points (on the SAS scale) between two scores.

4E (V- N+)



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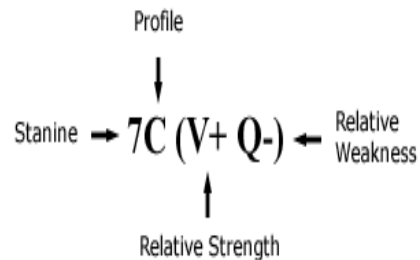
Interactive Ability Profile Interpretation System

This site was built to enable teachers, counselors, and parents to interpret the *Cognitive Abilities Test™ (CogAT)* Ability Score Profiles for their students. [Click here to see A Note to Parents](#)

Directions:

Enter a student's ability profile in the appropriate drop down boxes (see sample score for clarification). Once complete, click search, and an interpretation of the score will be provided.

Sample Score Profile



Input Your Score Profile

Stanine:

Profile:

Relative Strength:

Relative Weakness:

Next Steps

- How does data affect GT Center Application?
- Meet with GT RT to identify which students will need follow up data collected
 - Body of evidence includes
 - Cognitive Data
 - Academic Data
- Parents will be contacted if a child qualifies for an ALP

Questions????

