

HAST – P

Higher Ability Selection Test – Primary

HAST – P is a screening test used by schools to identify academically gifted middle primary students for participation in gifted and talented programs.



The HAST – P program delivers:

Quality

- Rigorous tests in reading comprehension, mathematical reasoning, abstract reasoning and written expression at middle primary level.
- Tests that discriminate between students at the top-end of performance.
- Tests that are skill based rather than curriculum based and designed to identify innate ability rather than acquired knowledge.
- Tests that are monitored according to strict performance standards.

Choice

- Schools can choose between two test packages which meet particular educational needs.
- Testing is available at Year 4 and 5.
- Schools choose the test date.

Service

- Test package containing tests, answer sheets, writing test answer booklets, student information sheets and test administration guidelines.
- 10 working day turn around between receipt of the completed tests and the provision of results.
- Merit order school report including raw and standardised scores, percentiles and stanines using Australian referenced data.
- Accessible student report outlining individual performance against the cohort.
- Complimentary assistance in the interpretation of results.
- Customised analysis and reporting available on request.

The HAST program has been widely used in secondary schools in Australia and internationally and is now available at middle primary level.

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Candidate Rate Sheet

Test packages	Description	2015 per candidate rate <i>GST included</i>
4 test package: 3 multiple choice tests 1 writing test	Reading Comprehension Test – 30 minutes, 25 questions Writing Test – 30 minutes, 1 topic Mathematical Reasoning Test – 30 minutes, 25 questions Abstract Reasoning Test – 30 minutes, 30 questions Administration time (including instructions and breaks): 3 hours 20 mins or administration can take place over two days	\$60.00 AUD
3 test package: 2 multiple choice tests 1 writing test	Reading Comprehension Test – 30 minutes, 25 questions Writing Test – 30 minutes, 1 topic Mathematical Reasoning Test – 30 minutes, 25 questions Administration time (including instructions and breaks): 2 hours 45 mins or administration can take place over two days	\$57.00 AUD

A separate batch charge of \$105 (GST included) will also apply for each testing date.
A minimum per candidate rate equivalent to 10 candidates applies.
Test packages ordered but not used will incur an unused charge of \$5.50 per test package.

The 2015 per candidate rate* includes:

- Student Information Sheets
- Tests
- Machine Readable Answer Sheets
- Writing Test Answer Booklets
- Directions for Administration of the Test
- Alphabetic and Merit Order Listing of Results – electronic
- Individual Student Certificates – electronic or hard copy

*The per candidate rate applies to the final number of candidates who sit the test. Schools will be invoiced after results are sent.

To register your school please complete the **online registration form**.

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Registration Form

To register your school for HAST – P fax this form to HAST – P ACER +61 3 9277 5757
and confirm by phone +61 3 9277 5625 or email hast@acer.edu.au

See the HAST – P Candidate Rate Sheet for a description and cost details of test packages.

Test date: / /

To meet test delivery deadlines please specify a closing date at least 7 working days prior to the test date. Final numbers need to be given to ACER at this time.

Closing date: / /

Number of Middle Primary students (year 4 or 5) expected to sit*

* Approximate number only – Final numbers need to be given to ACER at the closing date.

Test Package (tick box)

4 test package:

- Reading Comprehension Test
- Writing Test
- Mathematical Reasoning Test
- Abstract Reasoning Test

3 test package:

- Reading Comprehension Test
- Writing Test
- Mathematical Reasoning Test

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