

# ART-2 Technical / Trades Standard Report

The Applied Reading Test - Second Edition (ART-2) Technical / Trades Form is a measure of the ability to understand written material commonly seen in the context of a technical or trades position or course of study. It is indicative of the ability to read and understand information in a variety of formats (e.g., signs, instructional briefs, employee information). This involves the ability to recognise the words, understand what they mean individually and in a sentence, as well as apply and demonstrate this understanding.

Name	Sub-test	Raw Score	Scale Score	%tile Rank	Stanine
J. Goodluck	Technical / Trades	30	96	100	9 (Very High)
K. Happy	Technical / Trades	24	62	49	5 (Average)
A. Smith	Technical / Trades	25	65	57	5 (Average)

**Percentile Ranks** show the percentage of the reference group with scores below the candidate's score. For example, a percentile rank of 58 means the candidate has scored better than 58% of the reference group. It ranges from 0 to 100, with a higher score indicative of a higher level of reading ability.

**Stanines** provide a score for the individual compared to the reference group ranging from 1 to 9, with higher scores indicative of a higher level of reading ability. For example, a stanine of 2 means the candidate has scored well below average in comparison to the reference group.

**ART-2 Scale Scores** provide scores for individuals that can be compared across test forms (e.g., scores on the Technical / Trades form can be compared with those on the General / Clerical form). ART-2 scale scores range from -21 to 100, with a higher score indicative of a higher level of reading ability.