CogAT Practice Test Grade 5

LEVEL 11

- Answer key included
- Verbal, Quantitative and Nonverbal
- For CogAT Form 7 and Form 8

Instructions are on the next page.

Allow 10 to 15 minutes in a quiet place. Your child reads each question on their own, as on test day.

Free CogAT Practice Test

5th Grade · Level 11

9 questions · Nonverbal, Quantitative and Verbal · Answer key included

Name _____ Date _____

How to give this test

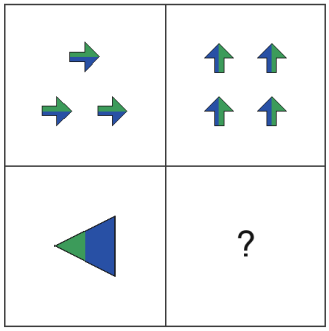
- Let your child read each question on their own, as they will on test day.
- Find a quiet table and allow about 10 to 15 minutes. Do not give hints.
- Your child fills in one bubble under each question. Guessing is fine: the CogAT has no penalty for wrong answers.
- Score it with the answer key on page 8, then talk through any misses together.

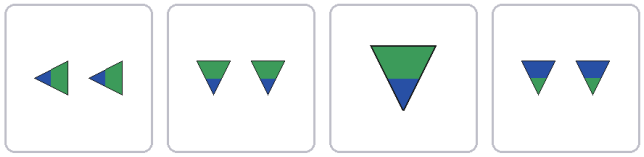
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1 NONVERBAL · FIGURE MATRICES

The top boxes go together. Pick what belongs in the empty box.

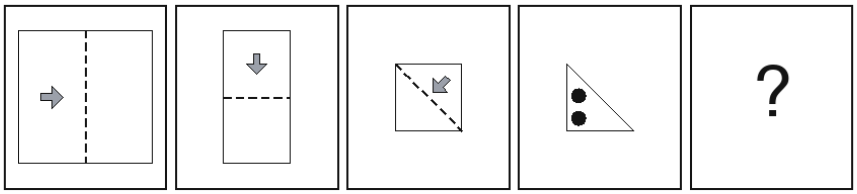


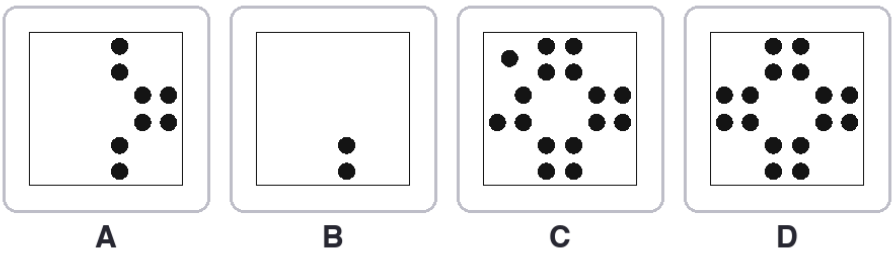


○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

2 NONVERBAL · PAPER FOLDING

The paper is folded and hole-punched. Pick how it looks unfolded.



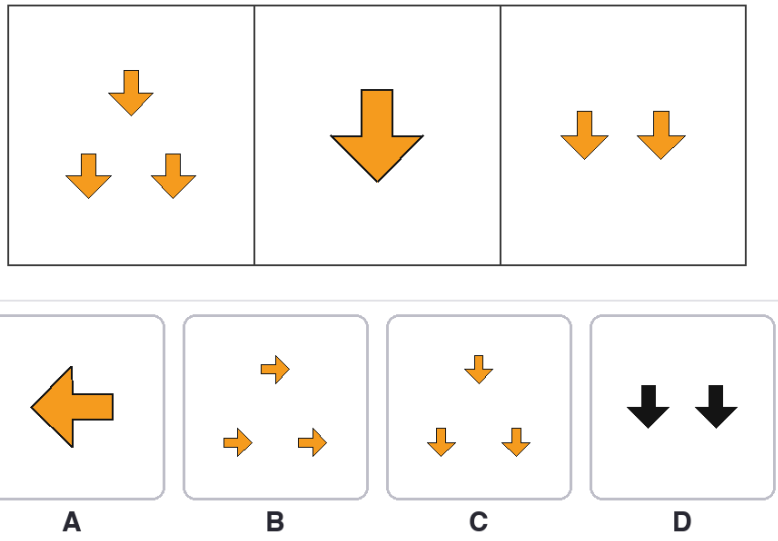


○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

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3 NONVERBAL · FIGURE CLASSIFICATION

Choose the figure that belongs with these.



○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

4 QUANTITATIVE · NUMBER ANALOGIES

Each pair follows the same rule. Pick the missing number.

[3 → 12] [7 → 28] [8 → ?]



○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

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5 QUANTITATIVE · NUMBER PUZZLES

What number is ★?

★ + ★ + 6 = 22

A	B	C	D
11	10	7	8

○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

6 QUANTITATIVE · NUMBER SERIES

What number comes next?

3, 4, 7, 11, 18, ?

A	B	C	D
18	29	30	28

○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

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7 VERBAL · VERBAL ANALOGIES

Pick the word that completes the pair.

Fragile is to sturdy as opaque is to _____.

A	B	C	D
plentiful	tiny	exterior	transparent

○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

8 VERBAL · SENTENCE COMPLETION

Read the sentence. Choose the word that finishes it.

The desert looks lifeless by day; however, at night it is full of _____.

A	B	C	D
emptiness	sunlight	silence	activity

○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

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9 VERBAL · VERBAL CLASSIFICATION

The three words go together in some way. Choose the word that belongs with them.

tin · gold · silver

A	B	C	D
coin	rock	magnet	iron

○ A ○ B ○ C ○ D

Finished! Turn to the answer key on the next page.

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Answer key

#	Question type	Answer	Why
1	Figure Matrices	**B**	Three changes at once: a quarter turn counterclockwise, the shading flips, and one more shape. Apply all three to the triangle.
2	Paper Folding	**D**	Three folds make 8 layers, so the 2 punched holes become 16, mirrored back across each fold.
3	Figure Classification	**C**	Every box has orange arrows pointing down. Only C matches both color and direction.
4	Number Analogies	**D (32)**	Each number is multiplied by 4: 3 to 12, 7 to 28, so 8 to 32.
5	Number Puzzles	**D (8)**	Take 6 from both sides: ★ + ★ = 16, so ★ = 8.
6	Number Series	**B (29)**	Each number is the sum of the two before it: 11 + 18 = 29.
7	Verbal Analogies	**D (transparent)**	Fragile is the opposite of sturdy, and opaque is the opposite of transparent.
8	Sentence Completion	**D (activity)**	"However" flips the idea. Lifeless by day means full of activity at night.
9	Verbal Classification	**D (iron)**	Tin, gold, and silver are metals. So is iron. A coin is made of metal, but it is an object, not a metal.

Total correct

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Nonverbal (questions 1-3)	___ / 3
Quantitative (questions 4-6)	___ / 3
Verbal (questions 7-9)	___ / 3

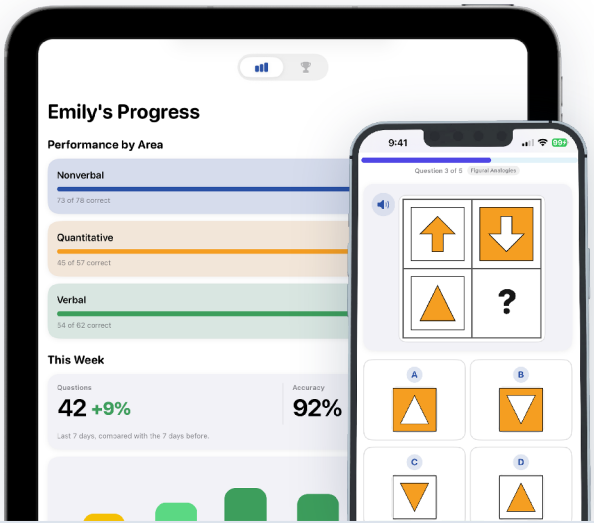
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