

ACER Scholarship Tests

ACER Scholarship Tests - Humanities - Comprehension and Interpretation

This test asks you to answer questions related to written and visual material. The material may be drawn from subject areas such as English, Art, History, Geography and Social Studies. No special knowledge in these areas is assumed - all the information you need is printed on the paper. This means that if you do not know or understand some of the information, you may be able to work out what it means from the stimulus material. The test does not require recall of information nor is it directly related to knowledge of particular school subjects. Candidates are required to think critically and make judgements about different types of texts, including fiction, non-fiction, poetry, drama, diagrams and maps.

The test contains a number of units with several questions in each unit. Overall there will be between 40 and 45 multiple-choice questions, each with four alternative answers, marked A, B, C, and D.

To become more familiar with the style of questions and the strategies for responding it is suggested that you refer to 'A Parent's Guide to Scholarship Tests', published by ACER Press and also try questions in our online or printed sample materials.