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7+ and 8+ Assessment

With Ilana King, Exam Specialist Tutor

2 assessments of 75 minutes, plus written report sent within 48 hours
£475

Session 1 (75 minutes): English and verbal reasoning

English skills: spelling, punctuation, grammar, inference skills and narrative structure will be assessed using a combination of both written and interactive activities. Ilana encourages discussion and questioning throughout these activities in order to fully understand your child's thought process and gain a deeper understanding of their attainment levels.

Session 2 (75 minutes): Maths and non-verbal reasoning

Session 2 is held after a short break.

Maths skills: Ilana will assess your child's maths ability using a combination of physical manipulatives, including white boards, dice and counters, plus written questions. Through these interactive activities, Ilana will gain a clear understating of your child's attainment levels.

Verbal feedback

After the assessments Ilana will offer verbal feedback and discuss her findings with parents.

If you are based outside the UK, assessments are held online and on seperate days if required. Practice papers are sent via email.

Experience

In her 25 years' experience in various teaching roles, Ilana has acquired extensive knowledge and experience of the 7+ and 8+ Independent School Entrance Exams, allowing her to determine the



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level of a student relative to their age and stage.

Her students have gained entry to top schools such as St Paul's, Westminster Under, University College School, South Hampstead and The Hall. This has given Ilana vital insight into the exam process and levels of attainment required.

She prides herself on finding ways to make learning exciting for young children and understanding how an individual child learns best, allowing her to tailor her teaching style and recommendations.

Building confidence, fine-tuning comprehension, composition and grammar skills, understanding verbal and non-verbal reasoning techniques as well as supporting maths skills are all key components of the support Ilana offers.

Her further training with the Chartered Institute of Educational Assessors in Educational Assessment ensures her knowledge is up-to-date.

“It is rare to find teachers who have great ability but also genuinely care – Ilana is one amongst them.”

Testimonials

“At the start of the process we were unsure how our 5 year old would react to being assessed and the extent to which we would find out things about our daughter which we didn't already know. However, we were quickly won over by Ilana's deep knowledge of what would be required to pass the 7+ exam and her ability quickly to identify the areas we needed to work on. We found the assessment report incisive, well observed and full of practical suggestions. And most importantly,



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our daughter had a fun, stress free time with Ilana. We would thoroughly recommend Ilana's assessment service to others."

"Ilana came to assess my son as part of our early preparations for 7 plus and it was obvious that she is the master of her skills. In a short time, she first took my son in confidence where he started to engage as if he has known her for a while and then very subtly assessed his skills through the hour. She also gave a very comprehensive report on him and very useful resources and tips to help his development. She had a very detailed conversation with us afterwards and was not just focusing on school admissions but also the general development and progress of my son. I couldn't recommend her more!"

"We were really impressed with how quickly and accurately Ilana got a sense of our son's personality, strengths and areas for improvement. Ilana's assessment captured him perfectly."