

Assessment for Access Arrangements

Suitable for General Qualifications access arrangements:

Form 8, Section C	
2 Reading Accuracy, Speed and/or Comprehension <i>(standardised score below 85 or percentile below 16)</i>	DRA ART* ERT4* HGRT3* HORT (single-word reading)
3 Writing Skills <i>(spelling standardised score below 85 or percentile below 16 and/or unrecognisable as target word)</i>	GWST Diagnostic Spelling Test 5 (Secondary/Adult)
Evidence for extra time (processing speed)	DRA (2nd Edition)

Suitable for KS2 access arrangements:

Additional time A1 <i>(standardised score below 85)</i>	HORT DRA ART* ERT2 or 3 Cloze 2 or 3 HGRT 2*
A2 <i>(reading speed)</i>	DRA ART* Cloze 2 or 3 HORT ERT 2 or 3
A5 <i>(sig. discrepancy between cognitive/literacy scores: use literacy score from A1 or A2)</i>	NVAT 8-13 VAT 8-13 RsPT
Possible eligibility for reader <i>(reading age below 9)</i>	DRA ART* Cloze 2 or 3 HORT
Background evidence for transcript, WP or amanuensis	Parallel Spelling Tests GWST DST 3

KEY

ART*	Access Reading Test	group or individual, ceiling 20:0+
Cloze 2	Cloze Reading Tests 1-3	group or individual, ceiling 11:3
Cloze 3	Cloze Reading Tests 1-3	group or individual, ceiling 12:7
DRA	Diagnostic Reading Analysis	individual, ceiling 16:0+
DST	Diagnostic Spelling Tests 1-5	group or individual, ceiling 20:0+
ERT 2	Edinburgh Reading Tests 1-4	group or individual, ceiling 10:6
ERT 3	Edinburgh Reading Tests 1-4	group or individual, ceiling 12:6
ERT 4*	Edinburgh Reading Tests 1-4	group or individual, ceiling 16:0+
GWST	Graded Word Spelling Test	group or individual, ceiling 18:0+
HGRT 2*	Hodder Group Reading Tests	group or individual, ceiling 12:0
HGRT 3*	Hodder Group Reading Tests	group or individual, ceiling 16:0+
HORT	Hodder Oral Reading Tests	individual, ceiling 16:0+
NVAT/VAT	Nonverbal/Verbal Abilities Tests 8-13	group or individual, ceiling 13:0
Parallel Spell.	Parallel Spelling Tests	group or individual, ceiling 12:11
RsPT	Reasoning Progress Tests, Stage 2	group or individual, ceiling 12:4

* Interactive on-screen versions available