

Commonly Used Targeted Screeners for Gifted Education

■ General Intellectual

- Cognitive abilities tests such as CAT, CSI, SAI, Slosson, K-BIT-2, UNIT, TONI-3 CogAT, Naglieri, Wechsler, Stanford-Binet, etc.
- Achievement tests such as WKCE/CRT, MAP, EXPLORE, PLAN, SAT, ACT, Woodcock-Johnson, etc. (not truly measures for intellectual capacity)
- School and home rating scales or inventories such as SIGS, GRS, GATES, SOI, Kranz, USTARS Plus, etc.
- Behavioral Checklist: Characteristics of Very Bright Exceptional Youngsters Grades 1-2
- Scales for Rating the Behavioral Characteristics of Superior Students (Renzulli, et al)
- The Muffs and other peer identification methods
- Products, portfolios, performance
- Nominations

■ Specific Academic

- Cognitive abilities tests such as CAT, CSI, SAI, Slosson, K-BIT-2, UNIT, TONI-3, CoGAT, Naglieri, Wechsler, Stanford-Binet, etc. (not truly measures of achievement)
- Achievement tests such as WKCE/CRT, MAP, EXPLORE, PLAN, SAT, ACT, Woodcock-Johnson, CGI, SAGES, TOMAGS, etc.
- School and home rating scales or inventories such as SIGS, GRS, GATES, SOI, Kranz, Rimm, Baldwin, and Rogers
- Purdue Academic Rating Scales
- Purdue Vocational Talent Rating Scales
- The Muffs and other peer identification methods
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■ Creativity – current research indicates creativity lies within a context

- Torrance Tests of Creative Thinking
- Profile of Creative Abilities (PCA)
- Group Inventory of Finding Creative Talent
- Structure of Intellect Test (SOI)
- Group Inventory for Finding Creative Talent (GIFT) (Rimm)
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■ Leadership

- Roets Rating Scale for Leadership
- Karnes' Leadership Skills Inventory
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■ Visual and Performing Arts

- Clark's Drawing Abilities Test
- Seashore Test of Musical Ability
- Gordon Musical Aptitude Profile
- Primary Measures of Music Audiation (PMMA)
- School and home rating scales and inventories
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- *Music Identification Handbook* developed by the Wisconsin Music Educators Association. Available at:

<http://www.wmea.com/resources/documents/WMEAGiftedandTalentedHandbook.pdf>