

Targeted Screeners for Gifted Education

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Related excerpt from the gifted/talented rule outlined in Wis. Admin. Code sec. PI 8.01 (2)(t)(2): “The identification process shall result in a pupil profile based on **multiple measures** [emphasis added], including but not limited to standardized test data, nominations, rating scales or inventories, products, portfolios, and demonstrated performance. Identification tools shall be appropriate for the specific purpose for which they are being employed. The identification process and tools shall be responsive to factors such as, but not limited to, pupils' economic conditions, race, gender, culture, native language, developmental differences, and identified disabilities as described under subch. V of ch. 115, Stats.”

GENERAL INTELLECTUAL		
<i>Screening Tool (alphabetical order)</i>	<i>Publisher/Author(s)</i>	<i>Age or Grade-Level</i>
Batería IV - Cognitive Battery (Spanish version of Woodcock-Johnson Tests of Cognitive Abilities)	Riverside Insights --Woodcock, et al	Ages 2:0–90:0+
BVAT-NU (Bilingual Verbal Ability Tests, Normative Update) Multiple Languages	Riverside Insights --Muñoz-Sandoval, et al	Grades K-12
CAS2 (Cognitive Assessment System-Second Edition) Spanish supplement available, too	PRO-ED, Inc --Naglieri, et al	Ages 5:0-18:0
CogAT (Cognitive Abilities Test) <i>Form 7 allows for remote testing</i>	Riverside Insights --Lohman and Loken	Grades K-12
InView (InView Cognitive Abilities Assessment)	Data Recognition Corporation --unknown	Grades 2-12
KBIT-2 (Kaufman Brief Intelligence Test)	Pearson Assessments --Kaufman and Kaufman	Ages 4:0-90:0
NNAT3 (Naglieri Nonverbal Ability Test)	Pearson Assessments --Naglieri	Grades K-12



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OLSAT (Otis-Lennon School Ability Test, 8 th edition)	Pearson Assessments --Otis and Lennon	Grades K-12
SB5 (Stanford-Binet Intelligence Scales-Fifth Edition)	PRO-ED, Inc --Roid	Ages 2:0-85:0+
SIGS (Scales for Identifying Gifted Students), includes school & home scales	Prufrock Press --Ryser & McConnell	Ages 5:0-7:11
SIT-P-1 (Slosson Intelligence Test-Primary)	Slosson Educational Publications --Slosson, et al	Ages 2:0-7:11
SIT-4 (Slosson Intelligence Test, Fourth Edition)	Slosson Educational Publications --Slosson, et al	Ages 4:0-65:0
SPM (Raven's Standard Progressive Matrices)	Pearson Assessments --Ravin	Ages 6.0-16:0
TONI-4 (Test of Nonverbal Intelligence, Fourth Edition)	Pearson Assessments --Brown, et al	Ages 6:0-89:11
UNIT2 (Universal Nonverbal Intelligence Test, Second Edition)	WPS --Bracken and McCallum	Ages 1:0-21:11
UNIT-GAT (Universal Nonverbal Intelligence Test-Group Abilities Test)	WPS --Bracken and McCallum	Ages 5:0-21:11
WASI-II (Wechsler Abbreviated Scale of Intelligence, Second Edition)	Pearson Assessments --Wechsler	Ages 6:0-90:11
WISC-IV (Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children, Fourth Edition)	Pearson Assessments --Wechsler	Ages 6:0-16:11
WISC-V, Spanish (Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children)	Pearson Assessments --Wechsler	Ages 6:0-16:11
WJ IV COG (Woodcock-Johnson IV Tests of Cognitive Abilities)	Riverside Insights --Woodcock, et al	Ages 2:0--90:0+
WNV (Wechsler Nonverbal Scale of Ability)	Pearson Assessments --Wechsler and Naglieri	Ages 4:0-21:11
WPPSI-IV (Wechsler Preschool and Primary Scale of Intelligence)	Pearson Assessments --Wechsler	Ages 2:6-7:7

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SPECIFIC ACADEMIC		
Screening Tool (alphabetical order)	Publisher/Author(s)	Age or Grade-Level
Achievement tests such as Forward, NWEA MAP, ACT, ACT ASPIRE, PSAT, SAT Subject Tests, etc.	Various	Various
Batería IV - Woodcock-Muñoz (Spanish version of Woodcock-Johnson® IV Tests of Achievement)	Riverside Insights --Woodcock, et al	Ages 2:0-90:0+
HOPE Scale	Prufrock Press --Gentry, Peters, et al	Ages 5:0-18:0
Iowa Assessments Complete Battery	Riverside Insights --Welch & Dunbar	Grades K-12
Logramos, TERCERA EDICIÓN	Riverside Insights --Nikolov et al	Grades K-8
Renaissance Star Early Literacy	Renaissance --Close, et al	Grades K-3
Renaissance Star Math	Renaissance --Close, et al	Grades 1-12
Renaissance Star Reading	Renaissance --Close, et al	Grades K-12
Renaissance Star Spanish (in Early Literacy, Math, and Reading)	Renaissance --Close, et al	Same as above
SAGES-3 (Screening Assessment for Gifted Elementary and Middle School Students re: achievement and aptitude)	Prufrock Press --Johnsen & Corn	Ages 5:0-14:11
Renzulli SCALES (Scales for Rating the Behavioral Characteristics of Superior Students, 3 rd edition)	Prufrock Press --Renzulli, et al	Ages 5:0-17:11
SIGS (Scales for Identifying Gifted Students), includes school & home scales	Prufrock Press --Ryser & McConnell	Ages 5:0-17:11
SAT10 (Stanford Achievement Test, 10 th edition)	Pearson Assessments --unknown	Grades K-12 (paper) Grades 3-12 (online)

TerraNova, Third Edition Complete, Multiple Assessments, or Survey	Data Recognition Corporation --unknown	Grades K-12
TOMAGS (Test of Mathematical Abilities of Gifted Students)	Prufrock Press --Ryser	Grades K--6
UTAGS (Universal Talented and Gifted Screener)	Prufrock Press --McCallum & Bracken	Ages 5:0-17:11
Woodcock-Johnson® IV Tests of Achievement (WJ IV™ ACH) Spanish version: Batería IV Woodcock-Muñoz	Riverside Insights --Woodcock, et al	Ages 2:0—90:0+

CREATIVITY		
Screening Tool (alphabetical order)	Publisher/Author(s)	Age or Grade-Level
CAP (Creativity Assessment Packet)	PRO-ED, Inc --Williams	Ages 6:0 - 18:0
CTC (Cebeci Test of Creativity)	Renzulli Learning System --Renzulli Learning, Acar, & Cayirdag	Grades K-12
GATES-2 (Gifted and Talented Evaluation Scales)	PRO-ED, Inc --Gilliam & Jerman	Ages 5:0-18:00
GIFFI (Group Inventory for Finding Interests)	Educational Assessment Service, Inc --Rimm	Grades 6-12
GIFT (Group Inventory of Finding Talent)	Educational Assessment Service, Inc --Rimm	Grades K-6
GRS (Gifted Rating Scales)	Multi-Health Systems, Inc --Pfeiffer & Jarosewich	GRS-P (ages 4:0 - 6:11) and GRS-S (ages 6:0 - 13:11)
HOPE Scale	Prufrock Press --Gentry, Peters, et al	Ages 5:0-18:0
PRIDE (Preschool and Kindergarten Interest Descriptor)	Educational Assessment Service, Inc --Rimm	Ages 3:0-6:0
Products, portfolios, performance	N/A--Determined at district, school, or classroom level	Local Decision

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PCA (Profile of Creative Abilities)	Prufrock Press --Ryser	Ages 5:0-14:0
Renzulli SCALES (Scales for Rating the Behavioral Characteristics of Superior Students, 3 rd edition)	Prufrock Press --Renzulli, et al	Ages 5:0-17:11
SIGS (Scales for Identifying Gifted Students), includes school & home scales	Prufrock Press --Ryser & McConnell	Ages 5:0-17:11
TTCT (Torrance Tests of Creative Thinking)	Scholastic Testing Service, Inc --E. Paul Torrance	Grades K-12 (figural) and 1-12 (verbal)
UTAGS (Universal Talented and Gifted Screener)	Prufrock Press --McCallum & Bracken	Ages 5:0-17:11

LEADERSHIP		
Screening Tool (alphabetical order)	Publisher/Author(s)	Age or Grade-Level
GATES-2 (Gifted and Talented Evaluation Scales)	PRO-ED, Inc --Gilliam & Jerman	Ages 5:0-18:00
GRS-S (Gifted Rating Scales)	Multi-Health Systems, Inc --Pfeiffer & Jarosewich	Ages 6:0 – 13:11
HOPE Scale	Prufrock Press --Gentry, Peters, et al	Ages 5:0-18:0
Products, portfolios, performance	N/A--Determined at district, school, or classroom level	Local Decision
Renzulli SCALES (Scales for Rating the Behavioral Characteristics of Superior Students, 3 rd edition)	Prufrock Press --Renzulli, et al	Ages 5:0-17:11
SIGS (Scales for Identifying Gifted Students), includes school & home scales	Prufrock Press --Ryser & McConnell	Ages 5:0-17:11
UTAGS (Universal Talented and Gifted Screener)	Prufrock Press --McCallum & Bracken	Ages 5:0-17:11

VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS		
Screening Tool (alphabetical order)	Publisher/Author(s)	Age or Grade-Level
GATES-2 (Gifted and Talented Evaluation Scales)	PRO-ED, Inc --Gilliam & Jerman	Ages 5:0-18:00
Gordon Musical Aptitude Profile	Gia Publications, Inc --Edwin Gordon	Grades 5-12
<i>Music Identification Handbook</i>	Wisconsin Music Educators Association--see WMEA Google Doc	Local Decision
Products, portfolios, performance	N/A-- Determined at district, school, or classroom level	Local Decision
Renzulli SCALES (Scales for Rating the Behavioral Characteristics of Superior Students, 3 rd edition)	Prufrock Press --Renzulli, et al	Ages 5:0-17:11

OTHER MEASURES (regardless of gifted domain)		
Screening Tool (alphabetical order)	Publisher/Author(s)	Age or Grade-Level
Nominations (from student's family and/or an educator)	N/A-- Determined at district, school, or classroom level	Local Decision
Products, portfolios, performance	N/A-- Determined at district, school, or classroom level	Local Decision
Rating scales & additional screening instruments	See below	See below

RATING SCALES & ADDITIONAL SCREENING INSTRUMENTS

These rating scales, inventories, or other screening instruments are helpful for obtaining a better understanding of a student's behavior and existing abilities and/or potential. They can assist in determining if additional screening is needed, and/or if particular classroom interventions should be considered.

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CAS:BF (Cognitive Assessment System, Second Edition: Brief Form)	PRO-ED, Inc --Naglieri, et al	Ages 4:0-18:0
GATES-2 (Gifted and Talented Evaluation Scales)	PRO-ED, Inc --Gilliam & Jerman	Ages 5:0-18:00
GES-4 (Gifted Evaluation Scale)	Hawthorne Educational Services, Inc --McCarney & House	Ages 6:0-16:0
GRS (Gifted Rating Scale)	Multi-Health Systems, Inc --Pfeiffer & Jarosewich	GRS-P Ages 4:0 - 6:11 & GRS-S Ages 6:0 - 13:1
HOPE Scale	Prufrock Press --Gentry, Peters, et al	Ages 5:0-18:0
i-Ready	Curriculum Associates --unknown	Grades K-12
IAS (Iowa Acceleration Scales)	Belin-Blank Center --Assouline, et al	Grades K-8
KOI (Kingore Observation Inventory, 3 rd Edition)	Professional Associates Publishing --Kingore & Kingore	Grades K-8
Slocumb-Payne Teacher Perception Inventory	aha! Process, Inc --Slocumb & Payne	Grades K-12
SCALES (Scales for Rating the Behavioral Characteristics of Superior Students, 3 rd edition)	Prufrock Press --Renzulli, et al	Ages 5:0-17:11
SIGS (Scales for Identifying Gifted Students), includes school & home scales	Prufrock Press --Ryser & McConnell	Ages 5:0-17:11
STB (Spatial Test Battery)	John Hopkins Center for Talented Youth --unknown	Grades 5-12

U-STARS~PLUS TOPS (Teacher's Observation of Potential in Students)	Council for Exceptional Children --Coleman, Shah-Coltrane, & Harrison	Targeting ages 5-9 but could be used beyond age 9
UTAGS (Universal Talented and Gifted Screener)	Prufrock Press --McCallum & Bracken	Ages 5:0-17:11

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