name	date

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mental concentration and information processing test

This test will assess your **powers of concentration** and your **information processing ability**. You should comfortably complete this test **within a few minutes** if you **read everything properly** and **quickly, before writing anything**. At the end of the test a four character code in the top right corner boxes will provide an indication of your mental concentration and information processing capabilities. It is not recommended to begin completing test before reading all the questions. You should aim to **finish as quickly as possible** while **achieving a 'pass' grade**. The test automatically indicates your grade.

1. What is the opposite of the fourth word in this sentence ?

2. How many dots are in the brackets [. . . . .] ?

3. If 1=A, 2=B, 3=C, etc., what is 1,823 + 6 - 1,823 ?

4. Stand up and drop this sheet onto the floor from as high as you can reach up and estimate to the nearest second how long it takes to come to rest. Write the answer in the box.

5. Call out loud the name of your favourite food and count how many people look around at you and smile. How many people that looked around do you think **truly** like your favourite food?

6. Stand up, turn around 360 degrees (full circle) while slowly counting out loud to five, then sit down and write in this box the **five** things and/or people that you noticed most while you rotated.

7. Tap your pen at least **thirty** times in a latin or disco dance-beat rhythm on the table. Ask a neighbour (someone else taking this test in the same room) to rate how well you performed the task (up to a maximum of 20 points) and write the score awarded in the box.

8. Fold this sheet in half **four** times **as precisely as you can**, and estimate the area of the folded sheet in square centimetres. Unfold it and resume. Write the cm^2 area in the box.

9. What is the difference in time between your watch (or phone) and your most distant neighbour's watch (or phone)?

10. Make a hole in the paper **within** the circle at the bottom right of this sheet. Insert your finger or a pen into the hole and spin the sheet above your head at least three times in a continuous motion. Ask a different neighbour to score your performance out of 20 points and write the score awarded into the box.

11. Using the code in question 3 translate these four numbers (**12 9 1 6**) into letters and write the the letters **in reverse order** into the boxes at the top right of this sheet.

12. **Ignore all the numbered instructions on this sheet except instruction 12** and write the letters PASS into the boxes, **if empty**, at the top right of this sheet. If the boxes are full your performance has already been graded. And if other people are still doing the test please do your best not to give the game away.