



TOE BY TOE®

Reading Age Test

The purpose of the Toe By Toe Reading Test?

By completing a Toe By Toe reading test prior to starting the manual and then again upon completion, schools and other academic institutions will be able to demonstrate the improvement in student's reading ability i.e. the value added.

TOE BY TOE READING TEST

Name of student:.....

Date of Birth:.....

Actual age of student: (years/months):.....

Name of Assessor:.....

Test date before starting Toe By Toe:

Test date after completing Toe By Toe:

Reading age before:

Reading age after:

Improvement in reading age:

Instructions for the Toe By Toe reading test:

Working from left to right ask your student to read each word aloud.

The assessor marks the correct responses with a tick/check and incorrect ones with a dot.

Take the student's first answer.

However, if your student makes a mistake and rapidly self corrects then count this as a tick/check.

If necessary please refer to the correct reading test pronunciation.

It is critical that you **DO NOT COACH YOUR STUDENT DURING THE TEST. STOP** the test after **10 consecutive errors**.

How to obtain a Reading Age:

Count the number of ticks/checks (total words read correctly) to obtain a raw score.

Divide the raw score by ten and then add five to obtain a reading age.

Example One:-

Raw score = 15

$15 \text{ divided by } 10 = 1.5$

$1.5 \text{ plus } 5 = 6.5$ therefore the Reading Age is

6 years and 5 months.

Example Two:-

Raw Score = 42

$42 \text{ divided by } 10 = 4.2$

$4.2 \text{ plus } 5 = 9.2$ therefore the Reading Age is 9 years and

2 months.

Example Three:-

Raw Score = 78

$78 \text{ divided by } 10 = 7.8$

$7.8 \text{ plus } 5 = 12.8$ therefore the Reading Age is 12 years and 8 months.

ran		duck		shoot		flee	
bulk		tip		apple		letting	
rich		stay		slight		thing	
track		boat		stable		clown	
plane		someone		future		slower	
warfare		grinned		mountain		stairway	
above		cream		firstly		guilt	
sure		patronage		rarity		curfew	
daughter		ginger		climber		women	
circus		usually		aggressive		gnaw	
sparing		universal		graduated		incinerated	
boulder		crawled		disappoint		flourished	
quixotic		nautical		science		sleigh	
debtor		accuracy		fortunate		carriage	
audibly		reputation		accent		conceded	
easiest		schism		identification		private	
physicist		abysmal		lovelier		unconscious	
genius		stoic		psychologist		administrate	
rogue		sciatica		ogre		terrible	
perception		riotous		guidance		denigrate	
flimsier		syringe		warranty		erroneous	
congenital		anchoring		contagious		deniable	
unique		atmosphere		insubstantial		subtlety	
characteristic		physiology		caricature		archetype	
squalor		synonymous		eccentricity		mendacious	

Score (total words read correctly).....

Reading age given in years and months