

CogAT Interactive Ability Profile System

Every student assessed with *CogAT* receives an **Ability Profile** score that highlights both the level and pattern of a student's ability. *CogAT* is unique in offering this score, which helps provide educational guidance for all students, not just those with high ability.

Educators can visit the Interactive Ability Profile Interpretation System online, enter a student's profile, and receive:

- General characteristics of learners with this profile
- Instructional strategies tailored to the individual profile
- Additional lists of resources and support materials

This site will help teachers, counselors, and parents interpret the **CogAT Ability Score Profiles** for their students.

To use the site:

- Visit www.cogat.com
- You should be taken to the **CogAT Ability Profile Page** (screenshot below).
- Follow the directions on the screen for entering your score profile.
- Once you enter your profile and click **VIEW PROFILE**, an interpretation of the score will be provided.

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Cognitive Abilities Test™ (CogAT®) Form 7 and Form 8

Interactive Ability Profile Interpretation System

This online app was built to enable teachers, counselors, and parents to interpret the Cognitive Abilities Test™ (CogAT) Ability Score Profiles for their students.

A Note to Parents

The Cognitive Abilities Test™ (CogAT) measures general reasoning abilities in three domains: verbal, quantitative, and nonverbal. At this Web site, you can input your son or daughter's score profile and then read a brief description of his or her learned reasoning abilities.

You will also see some suggestions for using this score profile information to help your son or daughter learn more effectively. These instructional suggestions are intended to help teachers better meet the needs of individual students. While these recommendations are not exhaustive, they are indicative of what research indicates will make a positive instructional difference. However, there are many other factors that must be considered in deciding how best to meet the needs of each student. Only someone who is thoroughly familiar with the student, the curriculum, and the instructional resources that are available can choose wisely among the various educational options.

While education professionals are best qualified to interpret and use this test information, parents also play a critical role in their children's education. If you would like to help as a parent, please contact your child's teacher to discuss some ways to cultivate your son or daughter's reasoning abilities at home.

Directions

Enter a student's ability profile in the appropriate drop down boxes from left to right (see sample for clarification). If the student's profile does not contain *Relative Strength*, select *None* under *Relative Strength*.

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