



St Martin's School

Years 2 - 6

All children should know each part of the following sections:

Question types

There are **21 types of questions set by GL Assessment for the 11+**

1 Insert a Letter

- In these questions the **same** letter must fit into **both** sets of brackets, to complete the word in front of the brackets and begin the word after the brackets.
- *Example:* col (?) ram bel (?) oll
- *Answer:* t [colt, tram, belt, toll]

2 Two Odd Ones Out

- Three words are related, find the two words that do *NOT* go with these three. Mark them *BOTH* on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* red white flag blue pole
- *Answer:* flag pole

3 Related Words

- The alphabet is here to help you with these questions. You need to work out a different code for each question
- Choose the correct answer and mark it on the answer sheet.
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
- *Example:* If the code for LUCK is JSAI, what does EMMB mean?
- *Answer:* GOOD

4 Closest Meaning

- Find TWO words, one from each group that are the CLOSEST in meaning. Mark BOTH words on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* big small rest mean large
- *Answer:* big, large

5 Hidden Word

- In each of the following sentences a FOUR letter word is hidden between two words. The two words will always be next to each other. Find the pair of words and mark them on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* The dog was frightened by the noise.
- *Answer:* the noise (then)

6 Missing Word

- The word in capitals has had THREE consecutive letters removed, without changing the order of these letters they will make one correctly spelt word. The sentence must make sense. Find the three letter word and mark it on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* The children GATED in the hall.
- *Answer:* HER (gatHERed)

7 Letters for Numbers

- Letters stand for numbers. Work out the correct answer to each sum. Mark the relevant LETTER on the answer sheet.
- *Example:*
A = 5, B = 14, C = 12, D = 13, E = 3
What is the answer to the sum, written as a letter?
- $A + C - E = ?$
- *Answer:* B

8 Move a Letter

- One letter from the word on the left can be moved to the word on the right, to make TWO new words. The letters must not be rearranged.
- *Example:* beacon vent
- *Answer:* e (bacon and event)

9 Letter Series

- A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
- The alphabet is given above to help you. Find the pair of letters that will continue the series in the most sensible way. Mark the appropriate pair of letters on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* AT BS CR DQ EP

- *Answer:* FO

10 Word Connections

- Find TWO words, ONE from each set of that will complete the sentence in the most sensible way. Mark BOTH words on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* Start is to (begin end today) as end is to (less finish send)
- *Answer:* begin finish

11 Number Series

- Find the number that continues the sequence in the most sensible way. Mark the missing number on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* 2 4 6 8 10 (?)
- *Answer:* 12

12 Compound Words

- Find one word from each group that together makes one correctly spelt word. The letters must not be rearranged. The word from the first group will always be used first. Mark BOTH words on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* (hand finger toe) (sum some sun)
- *Answer:* handsome

13 Make a Word

- Find the word that completes the second group in the SAME way as the first group. Mark the word on the answer sheet.
- *Example:*
rags (ring) main
line (?) plea
- *Answer:* lean

14 Letter Connections

- A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
- The alphabet is here to help you with these questions. Find the letters that will complete the sentence in the best way. Mark BOTH letters on the answer sheet.

- *Example:* QQ is to NK
as HH is to (?)
- *Answer:* EB

15 Reading Information

- *Example:* Mr Brown, Mr Yellow and Mr Red left home at 7.30 a.m. It took Mr Yellow 45 minutes to get to work, 15 minutes longer than Mr Red. Mr Brown took 10 minutes longer than Mr Red to get to work.
- If the above statement is true, only one of the following statements is true.
 - A. Mr Yellow left after Mr Red.
 - B. Mr Brown and Mr Red both took 30 minutes to get to work.
 - C. Mr Yellow arrived at work at 8.30 a.m.
 - D. Mr Brown arrived at work 10 minutes after Mr Red.
 - E. Mr Brown arrived at work 10 minutes before Mr Red.
- *Answer:* D

16 Opposite Meaning

- Find TWO words, one from each group, that are the most OPPOSITE in meaning.
- Mark BOTH words on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* (good luck today) (wish charm bad)
- *Answer:* good, bad

17 Complete the Sum

- Find the number that will complete the sum correctly. Mark the missing number on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* $26 + 7 = 18 + ?$
- *Answer:* 15

18 Related Numbers

- The numbers in each group are related in the SAME way. Find the missing number and mark it on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* (4 [10] 6) (13 [27] 14)
(16 [?] 8)
- *Answer:* 24

19 Word-Number Codes

- In these questions there are four words. Three of the words have been given a code. The codes are not written in the same order as the words. Work out the correct answers and mark them on the answer sheet.
- *Example:*
- slow west sale rent
- 8214 1368 1932
- What is the code for LAST?
- *Answer:* 3914
- What does the code 2821 mean?
- *Answer:* EWES

20 Complete the Word

- Find the word that completes the third pair of words in SAME way as the first two pairs. Mark the appropriate word on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* timed (dim) timer (rim) deals (?)
- *Answer:* sea

21 Same Meaning

- One word from the answer sheet will go equally well with BOTH pairs of words. Mark the appropriate word on the answer sheet.
- *Example:* (globe, planet)
(soil, mud)
- *Answer options:* brown ground pluto circle earth
- *Answer:* earth