

MTT Events 2026

Get your child's preparation off to a good start with our MTT Test Awareness Sessions



VR & Maths GL Assessment

SW Herts Music Stage 1

Queens' Sports Test

Dear Parents and Students,

It's hard to believe we are already almost halfway through the Spring term. This newsletter brings you important news regarding the SW Herts Consortium test dates, alongside details of our schedule of events and activities designed to support your preparation throughout the coming months.

The Spring term is an opportunity to build on the foundations laid in the autumn, revisiting techniques and helping children become familiar with the format and content of the exams by attending a mock test.

If you are still considering tutoring, we have opened a new extended class at Queens' School, so it's not too late to start. Our programme of events begins over the half term, helping children put their tutoring into context. As well as academic tests, we offer Test Awareness sessions for the Music Test and Queens' Sports Test.

These awareness sessions are designed to help parents keep their options open. Karen, our music teacher, will provide insight into the music tests, while the Sports Test is offered in the main sports hall, supported by Queens' PE sixth form students.

For Year 5 parents, the SW Herts Consortium has now published the dates for this September's exams. We recommend that you mark these key dates in your diaries. Another date for your diary is 25th March, when MTT will host its second Parent Information Evening to explain the registration process for the tests, answer your questions, and provide an opportunity to meet our team.

We hope you find this newsletter useful. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions – we are here to help.

Regards,

Andrew & Gill

When a helping hand is all you need.

Mock Transfer Tests

Mock Transfer Tutoring – New Classes for Years 4 & 5

Due to increased demand for tutoring this year, we have introduced additional classes for both Year 4 and Year 5 students. All classes are conducted by qualified teachers and supported by a teaching assistant.

It's not too late to start. To find out more, please register using this link:

<https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/tutoring-services/>

Mock Transfer Events – 2026 Schedule

Our events are open to all children. Each year, we hear from parents who wish they had found us sooner. We believe that the earlier children are exposed to the test environment, the better. These early mock tests are **less about ability and more about learning to cope and manage the test setting**.

Participating in early tests helps children overcome nerves and begin to focus on their exam preparation. Please don't leave it too late—remember, "**Small steps build success**".



Observations – Special Consideration Support

By attending early mock tests, our experienced staff are able to observe students and provide feedback to parents, which can be invaluable before registering for the SW Herts Consortium tests.

Should a student require additional support (such as extra time or a separate room), parents will need a supporting letter from their school.

For more information, please see this link: [Special Consideration Support](#)



Test Awareness – Get Your Child's Preparation Off to a Good Start

VR & Maths Test Awareness – GL Assessment

Monday 16th February, 10:00 – 12:00

Saturday 28th February, 10:00 – 12:00

These sessions offer children a gentle introduction to the concept of sitting a formal test. Our qualified teacher will explain the format and content of the tests, provide test techniques for different question types, and give experience with multiple-choice style questions.

Children will complete sample papers, which are marked with instant feedback, and take their papers home with them.



11+ Music Awareness Taster Session

SW Herts Music Test (Stage 1) **Trial – £17.50**

Monday 16th February, 10:00 – 10:45

Saturday 28th February, 10:00 – 10:45

If you're unsure whether your child has an aptitude for music or you wish to keep your options open, this introductory session provides an opportunity to explore their interest early in the year, allowing plenty of time to prepare for the real tests in September. The session is shorter than the full mock music test and is suitable for parents wanting to gauge their child's interest.



Queens Sports Awareness

Tuesday 17th February, 10:00 – 12:15

Main Queens' School Sports Hall

Experienced staff will explain the Queens Sports Test, demonstrate activities, and then support children as they participate in each activity. Feedback, ranking, and a training booklet are provided for children to take away. Please note that only three Sports Awareness sessions are available; the remaining two will be held in July and August. This is an ideal opportunity to determine if the Sports Test is a suitable option for your child.

Full Programme of Mock Tests

Our full programme of mock tests runs from 14th March to 28th August. Each test is different and uses new material. Book three or more tests to save 10%. Early booking is advised as demand for places is high.

To book, visit: <https://bookwhen.com/mocktransfer>

Book with Confidence

We understand circumstances can change, so we offer a booking transfer service to allow parents to take advantage of our 10% discount if three or more events are booked at the same time. Simply email us and we'll transfer your booking. (Terms and conditions apply: minimum seven days' notice required, reasonable usage terms apply, does not cover Taster sessions.)

SW Herts Consortium Test – Important Dates

The SW Herts Consortium website has now been updated with this year's key dates. Please see the link and add them to your calendar: <https://www.swhertsschools.org.uk/calendar/>

- 1st April: Registration opens – register your child to take the test(s)
- 5th June: Registration closes – if your child needs additional support, you MUST get a letter of support from your school by this date
- 26th June: Venue notification – parents are informed of the school where their child will take the test
- 5th Sept: Academic test (VR & Maths) – morning or afternoon session
- 7th Sept: Music test
- 9th Sept: Sports test

Parent Evening & Open Event – Free Parent Information Evening

25th March – Queens' School, 18:30 – 20:00

This informal question and answer evening is for parents. MTT will explain the 11+ process in detail and guide you through registering your child for the SW Herts tests. We will also offer advice on supporting your child's preparation for the secondary transfer tests (11+). The event is free and without commitment to join a class. Although aimed at parents, children are welcome to attend. To help us manage numbers, please book a place at: <https://bookwhen.com/mocktransfer>

Thank You

Thank you for choosing Mock Transfer Tests. Our mantra is to offer a helping hand. Remember, we are here to support the whole family through the secondary transfer process, not just the students. Please feel free to contact us – our team will be pleased to help.

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