

MTT Newsletter February 2024



Book 3 or more events at the same time to receive 10% discount.

Dear Parents and Students

Welcome to the MTT February Newsletter.

Following our structured programme, this term builds on the foundations put in place in the Autumn Term. Students will start to be exposed to the test format and content to help understand why they are being tutored and the need to be shown the different techniques and question formats.

To support this approach, we are hosting a number of Test Awareness Sessions. These cover VR & Maths, Music and the Queens Sports Test and take place at Queens School over February half term. For those unable to join us over half term we are re-running the VR & Maths Awareness on March 2nd.

If you are thinking of booking an event, these are available to book online, please click on the link for details. https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

For those parents who have taken on the role to help your child at home but now are considering support from a tutor, we have a few spaces available in our group sessions (Small groups of up to 12) please see details below.

We hope you find the information useful. If you have any questions, please let us know, we are here to help.

Andrew & Gill

When a helping hand is all you need.

Mock Transfer Tests

Mock Transfer Events – 2024 schedule available Open to all children

Every year we have parents who say, they wish they had found us sooner. We truly believe the sooner children are exposed to the test environment the better. In these early mock tests, it's less about ability and more about how they cope and manage the test environment.

These early tests help children to overcome their nerves and starts to focus on their exam preparation. Please don't leave it too late. Remember "Small steps builds success".

Observations – additional support

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

This is particularly helpful should a student require additional support (extra time, separate room, etc) where parents will need to obtain a supporting letter from their school.

To book an event: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

SW Herts Consortium Test – Important dates

The SW Herts Consortium website has been updated with this years key dates. Please see the link so you can put them in your calendar. https://www.swhertsschools.org.uk/calendar/

Key dates:

• 8th April: Registration opens – register your child to take the test/s

• 14th June: Registration closes – if your child needs additional support you MUST get a letter of

Support from your school by this date.

• 5th July: Venue notification – parents are advised where their child will take the test.

• 7th Sept: Academic test - VR & Maths

9th Sept: Music test
 11th Sept: Sports test.

Test Awareness - Get your child's preparation off to good start Limited spaces, book early.



VR & Maths Test Awareness -GL Assessment
Monday 19th February 10:00am – 12:00pm (sold out)

Saturday 2nd March 10:00am – 12:00pm

We offer the concept of sitting a formal test and a gentle introduction to the VR & Maths test.

Our qualified teacher will explain the format & content of the tests, offering test techniques for different questions and experience of answering multiple choice type questions. Children will then complete sample papers which will be marked and instant feedback provided. The children will be able to take their papers home with them.



Music Test Awareness - SW Herts Stage 1 Music Test Monday 19th February 1.00pm - 2.30pm

We offer a gentle introduction to the SW Herts Music test. Our qualified teacher will explain the format & content of the tests, offering techniques for different sections. Children will then sit a sample test which will be marked, instant feedback provided.

Not sure if your child has an aptitude for music? Want to keep all your options open?

£10 – Music Taster for a tenner – Introductory Offer

Sat 2nd March - 1.00 -1.45

MTT believe it's good to explore all options and opportunities early in the year, allowing time to prepare for the real tests in September.

This introductory Music test session is shorter than our full mock music test, offering parents the opportunity to find out if their child has an aptitude for music. (Terms and conditions apply, New bookings only, no transfers available.) See https://bookwhen.com/mocktransfer



Queens Sports Awareness

Tuesday 20th February 10.00am – 12.15pm

Experienced staff explain the Queens Sports test. Activities are demonstrated before children take part in each activity. Feedback, ranking & a training booklet provided for children to take away.

Full programme of mock tests from 16th March to 23rd August.

Our full programme of mock tests starts on 16th March through to the 23rd August, each test uses new material. Book 3 or more, save 10%. Book early as demand for places is high.

To book: https://bookwhen.com/mocktransfer

Book with confidence

We understand that circumstances change so are happy to offer a booking transfer service to allow parents to take advantage of our discount (10%) if 3 or more events are booked at the same time. Simply email us and we'll transfer your booking. (T's&C's apply, minimum of 7 days' notice required, reasonable usage terms apply ,does not cover Taster sessions)

Mock Transfer Tutoring

We have seen an increased demand for our tutoring classes this term, so if you are considering engaging a tutor to support your child, please get in touch as spaces are limited.

Classes are conducted by qualified teachers supported by an experienced TA, covering verbal reasoning & maths. Its not too late to start.

If you would like to find out more, please register using this link. https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/tutoring-services/



Year 5 Classes

Tuesday 4.45pm – 5.45pm - MTT Hall, Chalk Hill, WD19 4DA

Wednesday 5.00pm – 6.30pm – Queens School, Aldenham Rd

Thursday 4.00pm – 5.00pm – MTT Hall, Chalk Hill, WD19 4DA

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Year 4 Classes

Wednesday 4.00pm - 5.00pm - MTT Hall, Chalk Hill, WD19 4DA

Thursday 5.15pm – 6.15pm - MTT Hall, Chalk Hill, WD19 4DA

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Trial Classes

We understand the need for personal chemistry to be right therefore we are happy to offer a trial at any of our classes before you commit to the full term. There is a cost for this, but we provide sample books and material. Register or let us know if you would like to try a class.

Parent Evening & Open Event – Free parent information evening 27th March – Queens School 6.30pm – 8.00pm

An informal questions and answer evening where we will explain the process and how to register your child for the SW Herts tests. We will offer ways to help you support your child to prepare for the secondary transfer tests (11+).

Please book a place at: https://bookwhen.com/mocktransfer

Thank you for choosing Mock Transfer Tests, our mantra is to offer a helping hand. Please remember we are here to support the whole family through the secondary transfer process, not just the students.

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