

Mock Transfer Tests

when a helping hand is all you need

MTT Student July News

Here comes summer...

MTT are here to support all your summer needs



Dear Parents and Students,

As we reach the end of term and school finishes MTT are still here with a range of services to help parents support their children over the summer. Our **Summer school at Queens' is open Mon – Fri, 10am -12.00,** parents may book as many or as few classes as they wish, allowing a balance so that children can recharge and refocus.

We offer both Year 4 and Year 5 classes, helping to refine, improve and maintain focus.

We hope you find this newsletter useful, if you are unsure what to book then please see our guide below or contact us for advice.

Have a great summer, we look forward to seeing you.

Regards

Gill & Andrew

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Planning your summer.

- Need a break?
- Don't want to lose focus and momentum?
- Why not strike a balance?

MTT are here to help: Here is a summary with a guide, full details are shown further down.

Summer School

Continuation of tutoring classes covering VR & Maths, helping to maintain focus. Book as many or as few classes as you wish. Discount for weekly bookings

Year 5 – continue tutoring, refine, improve, be a point seeker

Year 4 - classes available to help maintain studies and test awareness

Summer Course

Formal exam environment with a mock test. Aimed at students requiring more formal test experience, an opportunity to refine and improve test techniques with a focus on a specific subject. Test Technique, time management & improvement

Revision & Prep High energy, bespoke, interactive sessions, abridged mock tests, instant feedback.

Blow away cobwebs, refocus, boost before actual test

Mock Tests Exam hall experience, overcome their nerves, build confidence and awareness.

Music Test Exam hall with surround sound experience, familiarisation, tips and advice.

Sports Awareness Opportunity to experience each activity, gain feedback and training pack

A good mix is: Summer School --> Summer Course/s --> Revision & Prep --> Mock Test (26th Aug)

Summer School – 25th July – 19th Aug – Mon – Fri -10.00am – 12.00

These informal, interactive classes will help to keep children focused ready for the actual test in Sept.

For those students who require tutoring over the summer break, we offer summer school. Delivered by an experienced qualified teacher, supported by a TA, following a structured programme covering VR & Maths. These two hour informal and interactive sessions aim at maintaining and improving children's focus and ability.

Year 5 Classes – refine and improve, maintain focus, close gaps, learn tips and advice, be a point seeker.

Year 4 Classes – maintain their studies and prepare for Yr. 5 classes in Sept.

Daily bookings £25 per class, if you book a week (Mon-Fri) the cost is £100, saving £25.

Further details: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/summer-school/

Summer Courses (VR & Maths Courses – 10am -12.00 - 2 day course, each one is different)

VR 25th/26th July & 8th /9th Aug Maths 1st/2nd Aug & 15th /16th Aug

These 2-day summer courses give students the **opportunity to refine and improve test techniques** with a focus on a specific subject (2-day course for Maths, 2-day course for VR).

During each session, students will be taught techniques which they put into practice by sitting practice papers. They will then mark the papers and gain instant feedback with clarification on any errors made.

These sessions have proved beneficial to help boost confidence. Each course is different.

Further details: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/summer-courses-vr-maths/

Revision & Preparation – 22nd Aug – 25th Aug 10:00am – 12:00

The sessions are aimed at blowing away the summer holiday cobwebs right at the end of the holidays to get your child up to speed and back on track ready for the actual secondary transfer tests in September.

These fast pace interactive sessions are bespoke and cover common errors made by the current cohort when sitting MTT VR & Maths tests. They are extremely popular and sell out quickly, but each year proves to make a real difference to students' performance when they sit the actual test.

Highly recommended, gives a boost a week before the actual test. Tips, advice and test technique to gain points

Click on link for all details and to book: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

Mock Tests - VR & Maths - Queens' School (13th, 20th 26th Aug - 10am - 12.00)

These help expose children to the reality of the test, allows them to make mistakes to learn from, gives experience of working under timed pressure and identifies areas to address.

- Welcome and Introduction including some mindfulness techniques to help settle nerves.
- Monitored GL tests with multiple choice questions and separate answer sheet.
- Written report with scores, ranking provided, emailed within 3 working days.

Click on the link to book: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

Music – SW Herts Stage 1 – Queens' School (20th & 26th Aug)

SW Herts Stage 1 Music Test conducted in an exam hall with surround sound experience. This is run by our experienced music teacher who will offer help, tips and advice.

Unlike the academic test, with music, students need to learn to focus and concentrate. Attending a mock music test in an exam hall is a great opportunity to practise.

Click on the link to book: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

Sport – Queens Sports Test – Queens' School 19th Aug

Supported by ex-Queens Sports students, these sessions have proved an invaluable insight to how the actual sports test is run. Our experienced sports leaders offer tips and advice on each of the activities. We are very proud to offer this highly successful awareness session with a proven track record of helping several students gain places at Queens through sports.

Limited spaces available, click on the link to book: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

Music Workshop - 29th July & 18th Aug

The aim is to provide assistance with techniques for each section in the Stage 1 test, experience an example test and provide important Stage 2 guidance and preparation. Following the success in 2021 we are continuing this event.

Click on link for all details and to book: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/event-booking-online/

September and beyond.

For those starting on their journey in Sept 2022, we have the following events to help support parents and students.

Parent Evening – Secondary Transfer Explained – Free Event

Wed 7th Sept – Queens' School. 6.30pm – 7.30pm

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

Open to Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6 families who wish to understand the end-to-end process.

This is a free event, to book a place please see the link and book online:

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

Enrolment – Group Classes and After School clubs

If you are interested in enrolling in a class in Sept, please complete a registration form.

Group Class (MTT Hall) – Standard registration: https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/registration/

After School Clubs — https://www.mocktransfertests.co.uk/schools-after-school-clubs/

Please note that After School clubs will only take place if there is sufficient interest.

Assessment Yr4 & Y5 – Understand your child's aptitude – Sets a baseline.

Sat 17th Sept - Queens' School 10am - 12.00 Year 4 & Year 5

For those parents wishing to gain an understanding of their child's aptitude in verbal reasoning and maths, these nationally recognised assessments give a standardised score which will help set a baseline to inform tutoring requirements. If you book an Assessment and then enrol in one of our tutoring classes, the first class will be FREE. *subject to terms and conditions- need to enrol before Oct half term.

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We look forward to seeing you soon.

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