

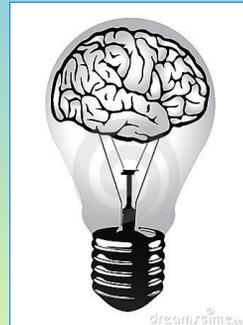
# Think Smart for School and Life: Assessment to Intervention

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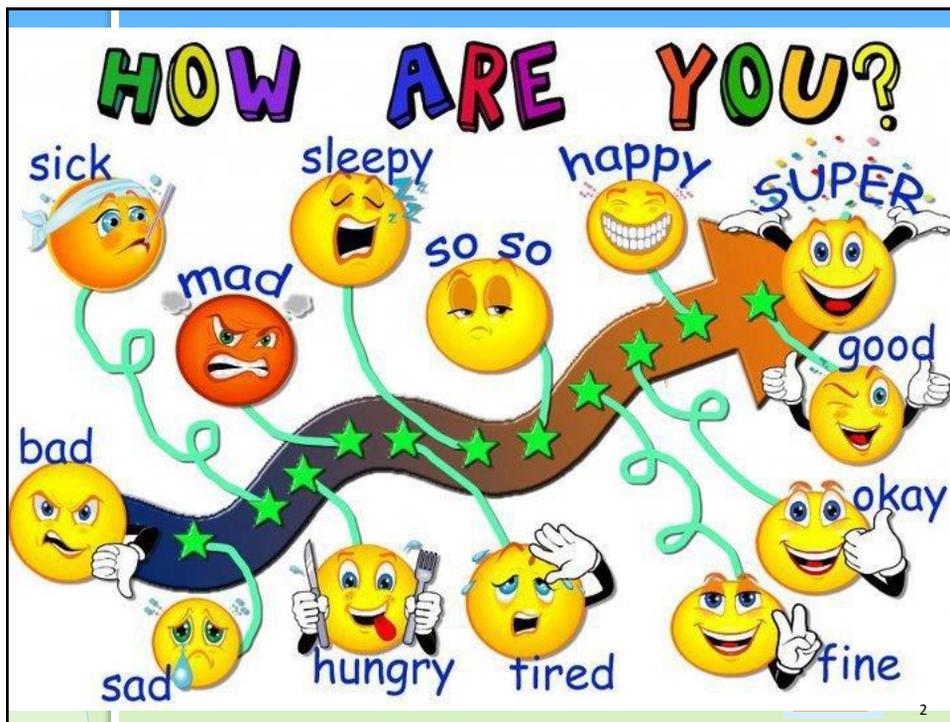
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## Settle Your Glitter App



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## STAND & SHARE: Who's Here?

Please Stand if...

- School psychologist
- Administrator
- School counselor
- You are a teacher
- Speech pathologist
- Other?



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## Jack's Background

- Interest in intelligence and instruction



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Talent Development



Multicultural Learners



Juvenile Delinquents



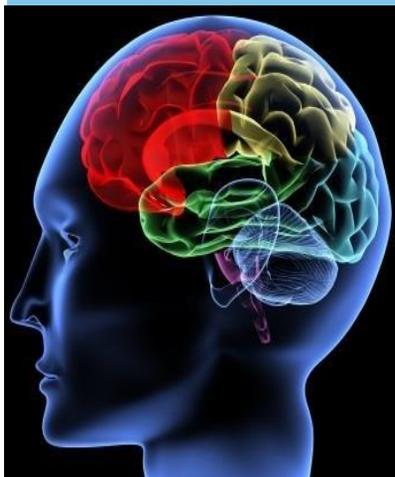
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**My Intention:**  
To open the heart, nourish the mind,  
and inspire the spirits of learners  
and teachers.

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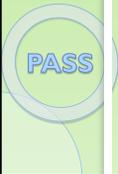
# Wedding the Art and Science of Teaching: Theory Into Reality



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And actually wed, May 17, 2014



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## Goals for Our Workshop



- We will ...
- Merge the brain science of **PASS** with real classroom examples and practical strategies to help students **think smart** and **take charge of their learning** in school and life
- Learn how to **assess** PASS using the CAS-2 and use this information for eligibility determination and intervention
- Learn **practical strategies** to support student use of PASS abilities to be more successful in school and in life.
- How to **effectively teach strategies** for maximum impact, ownership and improve performance.
- **WHY: We Can Help Students Think Smarter and be more successful**

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## Here's Where We're Going...

- Introduction/Routines and Procedures
- PASS and Thinking Smart
- PASS & Learning
  - Planning & Instruction
  - Attention & Instruction
  - Successive & Instruction
  - Simultaneous & Instruction
- Think Smart: Closing



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## Decades of Research shows...

- In most classrooms, 20% of the students do 80% of the talking and thinking.
- Today, we will all be talking and thinking together, using strategies that HELP CHILDREN, and us, LEARN !



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## Routines & Procedures

- Sound of Coming Together
- Core Groups
- Chat Chums



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## Core Groups

- Groups of 3-4
- Establish roles:
  - Coach
  - Organizer/Time Keeper
  - Recorder
  - Energizer

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## Let's chat...

**WHEN IT'S TIME TO TALK WITH YOUR CHAT CHUM:**

- Share with your Core Group... ..
- Your Name
- Where you are from
- What do you do
- What brings you here

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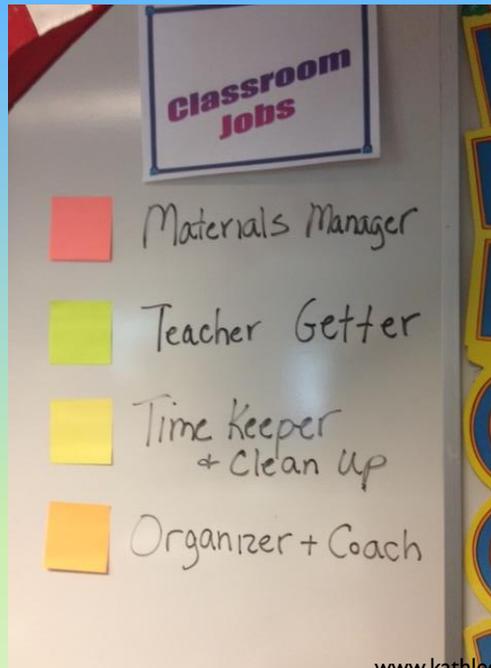
## Norms for Today



- Respect Others
- Stay engaged and involved
- Professional Use of Technology (Stay Present)
- Practice forming new habits of the mind that challenge the limits of your potential.

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## Chat Chums



### Time to share...

- Knee to Knee, Eye to Eye
- Share....
- Remember back to your own school days. Do you recall being taught how to “think smart?” Yes or no? Share memories.



## WHY AREN'T KIDS THINKING



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## Let's Practice: Thinking Together

- As you watch the following video, think...
- What was the teacher's goal in this skit?
- Was the goal achieved?
- Why was it so hard to get the students to think?
- Your own questions and thoughts..



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## A Lesson in Thinking



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## Core Group Activity

- **Task:**
- What was the teachers goal in this skit?
- Was the goal achieved ?
- Why was it so hard to get the students to think?
- **STAND AND SHARE**

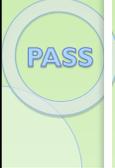


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## Mountain View High School Student Comments

- 'The teacher was frustrated because the students weren't thinking about what he was saying'
- 'They should have paused before responding so that they could think'
- 'When you feel pressure you'll say anything if you don't know the answer'



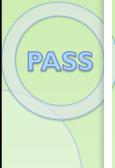
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## Mountain View High School Student Comments

- We need to know why the teacher is getting us to learn history
- The way the teachers run the class stops you from thinking because they tell you there is only one way to do something – but it's a fact that there is more than one way to solve a problem'
- 'That's what I like about this class, there are different ways to solve the problems'



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## Let's Take a Mindful Moment or Brain Break (or Syn-nap)

The brain needs time **process!**

- **Stretch**
- Cross Laterals
- Walk and Talk
- Energizers
- Relaxers



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## Why Brain Breaks?

- **SYN-NAPS: Neurotransmitters, brain transport proteins, needed for memory construction and attention are depleted after as little as ten minutes of doing the same activity. **Syn-naps** are brain-breaks where you change the learning activity to let the brain chemicals replenish.**
- **The Syn-naps can be stretching, singing, or acting out vocabulary words. After just a few minutes, refreshed brains will be ready for new memory storage. (Dr. Judy Willis)**



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## Here's Where We're Going...

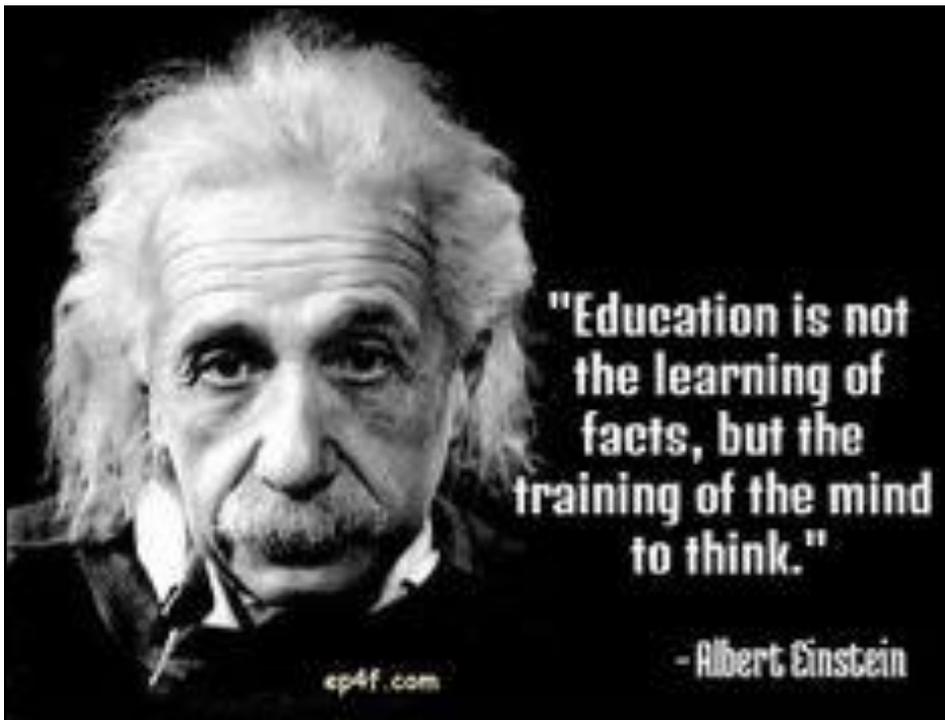
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## Our Goal – Think Smart!

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## A Nation of Adults Like This?



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## Winning Formula to Think Smart!

+ **Mindsets**  
 + **Skill Sets**  
 = **RESULTS!**





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## Mindsets + Skillsets = Results

➤ **Mindsets**

- Willingness to grow or acceptance of limitations
- Willingness to put forth the effort needed to “Think Smart.” Develop skill sets and utilize knowledge

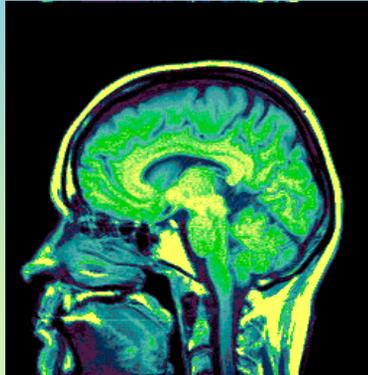
➤ **Skill Sets**

- Using what is known
- Being so fluent with knowledge that it is easily accessed and used
- Using strategies, paying attention, seeing the big picture, and working with information that is in a sequence

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## INTELLIGENCE IN THE 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY CONCEPTUALIZED AS BRAIN FUNCTION



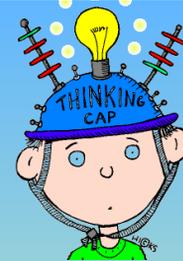
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## “Just Think!”

- What do we mean – Just think?
- Thinking has many names
  - Metacognition, executive function, mindfulness, cognitive processing, IQ, intelligence, attention, reasoning, problem solving, memory etc.
- Psychologists have used these terms when defining thinking -- especially intelligence
- We need to reflect on the concept of IQ and intelligence to define how to THINK SMART



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## From IQ to Brain Function



- Learning is based on BRAIN function
  - Wechsler (traditional IQ) not based on brain
  - We can redefine intelligence as neurocognitive processes based on brain function (A. R. Luria)
- Reinvent IQ based on the brain
  - Measure brain function, not IQ
  - Do not include achievement test questions
  - Measure *thinking* not *knowledge*

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## Knowledge vs. Thinking

- What does the student have to *know* to complete a task?
  - *This is dependent on developing content understanding*
- How does the student have to *think* to complete a task?
  - *This is dependent on developing the metacognitive brain*



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## The test we use to assess ability matters!



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### Case of Alejandro

Note: this is not a picture of Alejandro

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## CASE STUDY: ALEJANDRO (C.A. 7-0 GRADE 1)

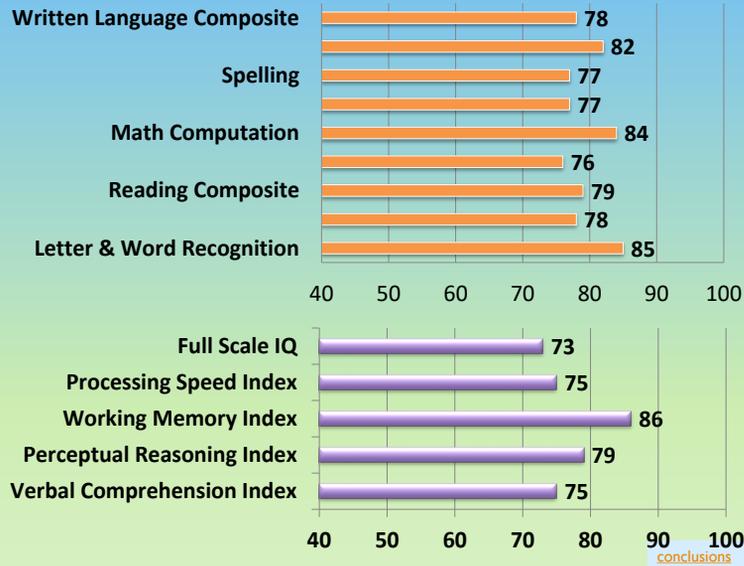
### REASON FOR REFERRAL

- Academic:
  - Could not identify letters/sounds
  - October 2013: Could only count to 39
  - All ACCESS scores of 1
- Behavior:
  - Difficulty following directions
  - Attention concerns
  - Refusal/defiance

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## WISC-IV ASSESSMENT



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## Think and Talk



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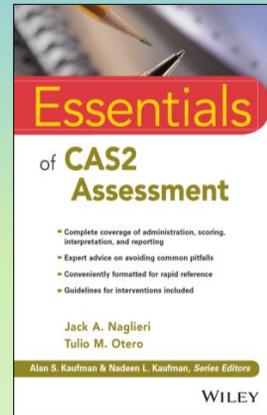
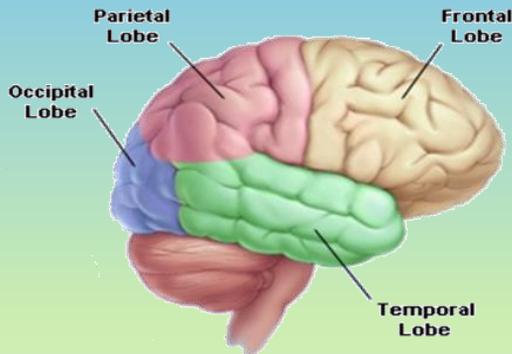
What would you say about his abilities based on this assessment?

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NOTE: STOP AND TALK is important because the brain retains 50% through talk.

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## A Brain-based Theory of Learning called PASS



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## PASS Neurocognitive Theory

- Learning is based on the BRAIN
  - Wechsler (traditional IQ) not based on brain
  - PASS neurocognitive theory of learning is based on brain function (A. R. Luria)
    - Knowing a student's PASS processing abilities is critical for understanding their successes and difficulties
    - Efficient instruction is tailored to a student's PASS
  - PASS includes concepts such as Executive Function (P&A), and the ability to work with Visual-Spatial (Simultaneous), and Sequencing (Successive) tasks.

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## PASS Neurocognitive Theory

- **P**lanning = THINKING ABOUT HOW YOU DO WHAT YOU DECIDE TO DO
- **A**ttention = BEING ALERT AND RESISTING DISTRACTIONS
- **S**imultaneous = GETTING THE BIG PICTURE
- **S**uccessive = FOLLOWING A SEQUENCE
  
- **PASS theory** is a modern way to measure neurocognitive abilities related to brain function

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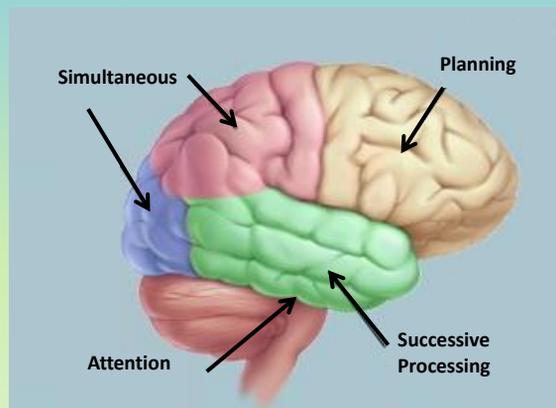
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## PASS Neurocognitive Theory

- The brain is the seat of abilities called PASS
- These neurocognitive processes are the foundation of learning (Naglieri & Otero, 2011)

Naglieri, J. A. & Otero, T. (2011). Cognitive Assessment System: Redefining Intelligence from A Neuropsychological Perspective. In A. Davis (Ed.). *Handbook of Pediatric Neuropsychology* (320-333). New York: Springer Publishing.



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# A Theory of Learning

## 28 Cognitive Assessment System: Redefining Intelligence From a Neuropsychological Perspective

Jack A. Naglieri and Tulio M. Otero

### INTRODUCTION

Pediatric neuropsychology has become an important field for understanding and treating developmental, psychiatric, psychosocial, and learning disorders. By addressing both brain functions and environmental factors intrinsic in complex behaviors, such as thinking, reasoning, planning, and the variety of executive capacities, clinicians are able to offer needed services to children with a variety of learning, psychiatric, and developmental disorders. Brain-behavior relationships are investigated by neuropsychologists by interpreting several aspects of an individual's cognitive, language, emotional, social, and motor behavior. Standardized instruments are used by neuropsychologists to collect information and derive inferences about brain-behavior relationships. Technology, such as magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), functional MRI (fMRI), positron emission tomography, computerized tomography, and diffusion tensor imaging, has reduced the need for neuropsychological tests to localize and access brain damage. Neuropsychological tests, however,

Such tools should not only provide the necessary processes necessary for efficient functioning but also provide for the detection and diagnosis of conditions and address the question of how to

### FROM NEUROPSYCHOLOGY TO ASSESSMENT

Luria's theoretical account of brain-behavior relationships is perhaps one of the most influential (Luria, 2008). Luria conceptualized the brain-behavior relationship in terms of functional orders that the clinician must understand: the brain, the functional syndromes and impairments, and the clinical methods of diagnosis and treatment. Luria's theoretical formulations, methods, and ideas are articulated in works such as *Higher cortical functions in man* (1966, 1980) and *The Working Brain* (1973). Luria viewed the brain as a functional mosaic, the parts of which interact in dif-

## Handbook of PEDIATRIC Neuropsychology

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*"It is tempting, if the only tool you have is a hammer, to treat everything as if it were a nail." - Abraham Harold Maslow*

### Plan to Succeed!

In the July newsletter, [Self-Regulation Empowers Students](#), we discussed Jack Naglieri's P.A.S.S. theory (Naglieri, 2010).

We described the four abilities as presented in the P.A.S.S. theory: Planning, Attention, Simultaneous processing, and Successive processing. When taught in conjunction, these abilities are shown to have long-term positive effects for students both in terms of academic success as well as personal concepts of self-efficacy.

As promised, we will now dig a little deeper into the first ability listed in the P.A.S.S. theory – Planning. "Planning is a neurocognitive ability that a person uses to determine, select, and use efficient solutions to problems. It involves: evaluating tasks, selecting or developing strategies to approach tasks, monitoring progress during tasks, and developing new strategies when necessary" (Naglieri, 2010). When a student's planning abilities are weak



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## Clarifying Key Terms

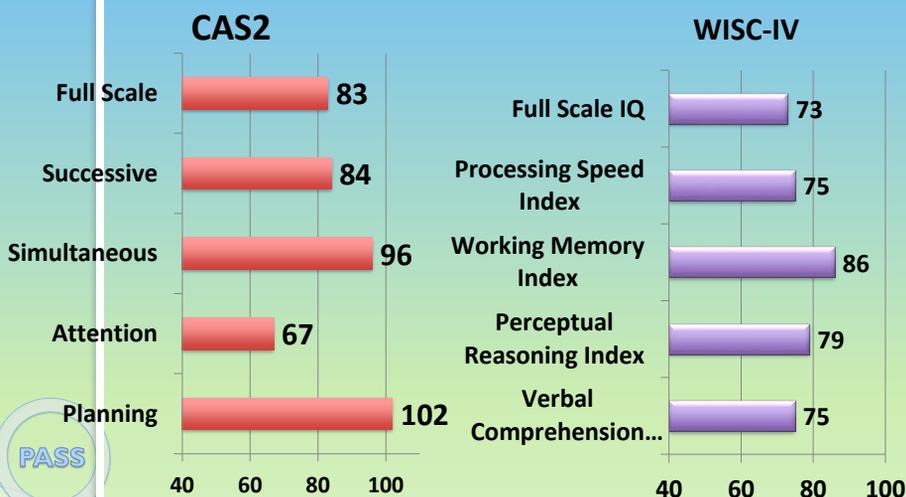
- **PASS** – a *neurocognitive theory* of learning
  - **PASS** is **NOT** IQ nor traditional intelligence
- **IQ** – All tests related to the US Army Alpha and Beta (1917) including Wechsler, Woodcock, DAS, Stanford-Binet
- **Knowledge** – everything we learn
- **Skill** – knowledge we can use with little cognitive effort

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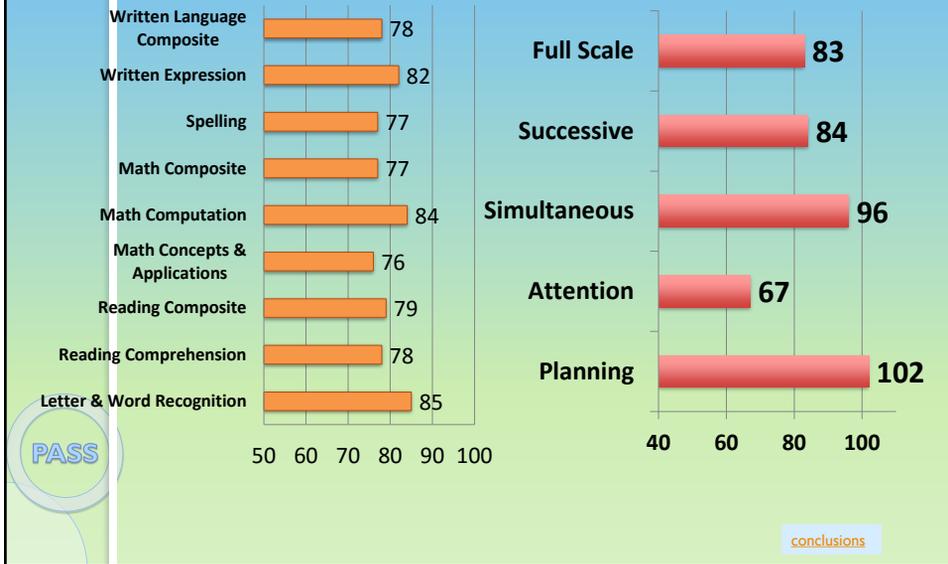
## PASS Scores from CAS2



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## Alejandro's Results



## Core Group Activity



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- Which test results make more sense?
- Was WISC-IV information Helpful?
- Did CAS2 Results change your mind?
- Can you determine if the student has a SLD using PASS?
- Your thoughts...

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## Alejandro and PASS (by Dr. Otero)

- ▶ Alejandro is not a slow learner.
- ▶ He has good scores in basic psychological processes:
  - ▶ Simultaneous = 96 and Planning = 102
- ▶ He has a “disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes”
  - Attention = 67 and Successive = 84
- ▶ And he has academic failure which equals SLD.

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## Discrepancy Consistency Model for SLD

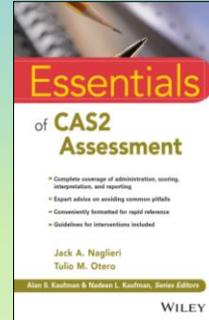
- Discrepancy between high and low processing scores
  - Discrepancy between high processing and low achievement
  - Consistency between low processing and low achievement
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## Discrepancy Consistency Model for SLD

- This method documents evidence of a 'disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes' and academic failure.
- The **discrepancies** tell us that the student has (1) variability in PASS scores and (2) a difference between PASS and achievement
- The **consistency** helps us understand **WHY** the student has failed and **WHAT** to do about it



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## BREAK TIME



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## LET'S TAKE A BRAIN BREAK or Syn-Nap



The brain needs time to **process!**

- **Stretch**
- **Cross Laterals**
- **Walk and Talk**
- **Energizers**
- **Relaxers**



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## Alejandro and IDEA

Is PASS non-discriminatory?

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## IDEA 2004

“(3) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.—Each local educational agency shall ensure that—

“(A) assessments and other evaluation materials used to assess a child under this section—

**non  
discriminatory  
assessments**

“(i) are selected and administered so as not to be discriminatory on a racial or cultural basis;

“(ii) are provided and administered in the language and form most likely to yield accurate information on what the child knows and can do academically, developmentally, and functionally, unless it is not feasible to so provide or administer;

“(iii) are used for purposes for which the assessments or measures are valid and reliable;

“(iv) are administered by trained and knowledgeable personnel; and

“(v) are administered in accordance with any instructions provided by the producer of such assessments;

“(B) the child is assessed in all areas of suspected disability;

“(C) assessment tools and strategies that provide relevant information that directly assists persons in deter-<sup>59</sup>

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## Why use PASS?

- We need the best tool to help us understand **why** a student is having difficulty learning
  - The test must yield a profile of scores
- We need to know exactly what the **test scores mean**
  - Scores should be easy to explain to teachers, parents, and the students
- The test must be **non-discriminatory**
  - Verbal and quantitative tests must be eliminated

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## The First IQ TEST: Alpha

1. Bull Durham is the name of a **tobacco**
2. The Mackintosh Red is a kind of **fruit**
3. The Oliver is a **typewriter**
4. A passenger locomotive type is the **Mogul**
5. Stone & Webster are well know **engineers**
6. The Brooklyn Nationals are called **Superbas**
7. Pongee is a **fabric**
8. Country Gentleman is a kind of **corn**
9. President during the Spanish War **Mckinley**
10. Fatima is a make of **cigarette**

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From: Psychological Examining the United States Army (Yerkes, 1921, p. 213)

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## Are Verbal Tests Accurate?

### What to believe about Albert Einstein's childhood and education

BY VALERIE STRAUSS

There is huge news in the science world: Researchers just announced that they have detected gravitational waves from the merging of two black holes in deep space — something predicted a century ago by Albert Einstein's General Theory of Relativity.

The finding serves to underscore — again — the prodigious genius of Einstein, a theoretical physicist whose work fundamentally changed the way humans view and understand their world.

The outlines of his life story are well known: He was born in Germany in 1879, worked as a patent clerk in Bern, Switzerland, start-

ing in 1905, and in 1915 completed the earth-shattering General Theory of Relativity, which helped explain how space, time and gravity interact and which propelled him into the scientific stratosphere. He emigrated to the United States in 1933 and spent the rest of his career at the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton, N.J.

There also are commonly held aspects of his childhood and education that seem to conflict with the broad genius that he was. That he was a lazy child. That he was a bad student who flunked math. That he had a learning disability. How much of this is true?

According to various sources, including the Albert Einstein Ar-

chives in Israel, which has the largest collection of Einstein papers in the world, some of that is true and some isn't.

• **Was he a bad student?** started school at age 6 and, according to an Albert Einstein archives biography, his early teachers did not find him especially talented even though he got high marks. He hated the strict protocols followed by teachers and learning demanded of students which explains his disdain for school, which he carried with him when, at age 9, he entered Luitpold Gymnasium, a competitive school in Germany.

By age 11, he was reading calculus books, and at 13 he de-

ed that Immanuel Kant was his favorite author after reading the "Critique of Pure Reason."

but the evidence strongly suggests that he was not, several biographers have said.

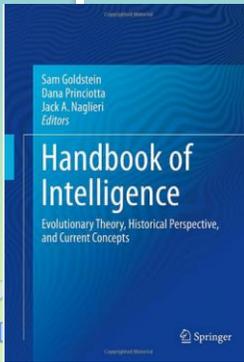
• **Did he flunk math? He did fine in math, but he did flunk the entrance exam to a Zurich polytechnic school when he first took it — when he was about 1½ years away from graduating from high school, at age 16, and hadn't taken a lot of French, the language in which the exam was given. He did fine on the math section but failed the language, botany and zoology sections, according to History.com.**

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# Evolution of IQ (Goldstein, Princiotta & Naglieri, 2015)



## Hundred Years of Intelligence Testing: Moving from Traditional IQ to Second-Generation Intelligence Tests

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Jack A. Naglieri

*"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."*  
 —Ralph Waldo Emerson

### Context

April 6, 1917, is remembered as the day the United States entered World War I. On that same day a group of psychologists held a meeting in Harvard University's Emerson Hall to discuss the possible role they could play with the war effort (Yerkes 1921). The group agreed that psychological knowledge and methods could be of importance to the military and utilized to increase the efficiency of the Army and Navy personnel. The group included Robert Yerkes, who was also the president of the American Psychological Association. Yerkes made an appeal to members of APA who responded by

Training School in Vineland, New Jersey, on May 28. The committee considered many types of group tests and several that Arthur S. Otis developed when working on his doctorate under Lewis Terman at Stanford University. The goal was to find tests that could efficiently evaluate a wide variety of men, be easy to administer in the group format, and be easy to score. By June 9, 1917, the materials were ready for an initial trial. Men who had some educational background and could speak English were administered the verbal and quantitative (Alpha) tests and those that could not read the newspaper or speak English were given the Beta tests (today described as nonverbal). The Alpha tests were designed to measure general information (e.g., how many months are

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## Race by test (Naglieri, 2015)

psychological processes measured by KABC2 and CAS2 are the more fair than traditional tests

**Table 20.1** Mean score differences in standard scores by race on traditional IQ and second-generation intelligence tests

Test	Difference
<i>Traditional</i>	
SB-IV (matched)	12.6
WISC-IV (normative sample)	11.5
WJ-III (normative sample)	10.9
WISC-IV (matched)	10.0
<i>Second generation</i>	
KABC (normative sample)	7.0
KABC (matched)	6.1
KABC-2 (matched)	5.0
CAS2 (normative sample)	6.3
CAS (demographic controls)	4.8
CAS2 (demographic controls)	4.3

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# Naglieri, Rojahn, Matto (2007)

Hispanic White difference on CAS Full Scale of 4.8 standard score points (matched)

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## Hispanic and non-Hispanic children's performance on PASS cognitive processes and achievement<sup>☆</sup>

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**Abstract**

Hispanics have become the largest minority group in the United States. Hispanic children typically come from working class homes with parents who have limited English language skills and educational training. This presents challenges to psychologists who assess these children using traditional IQ tests because of the considerable verbal and academic (e.g., quantitative) content. Some researchers have suggested that intelligence conceptualized on the basis of psychological processes may have utility for assessment of children from culturally and linguistically diverse populations because verbal and quantitative skills are not included. This study examined Hispanic children's performance on the Cognitive Assessment System (CAS; Naglieri, J.A., and Das, J.P. (1997). Cognitive Assessment System. Itasca, IL: Riverside.) which is based on the Planning, Attention, Simultaneous, and Successive (PASS) theory of intelligence. The scores of Hispanic (N=244) and White (N=1956) children on the four PASS processes were obtained and the respective correlations between PASS and achievement compared. Three complementary sampling methodologies and data analysis strategies were chosen to compare the Ethnic groups. Sample size was maximized using nationally representative groups and demographic group differences were minimized using smaller matched samples. Small differences between Hispanic and non-Hispanic children were found when ability was measured with tests of basic PASS processes. In addition, the correlation between the PASS constructs and achievement were substantial for both Hispanic and non-Hispanic children and were not significantly different between the groups. Published by Elsevier Inc.

# PASS Score by Language

## Bilingual Hispanic Children's Performance on the English and Spanish Versions of the Cognitive Assessment System

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CAS Full Scale = 84.6 in English and 87.6 in Spanish

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CAS Full Scale = 86.4 in English and 87.1 in Spanish

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# CAS in Italy

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## Multigroup Confirmatory Factor Analysis of U.S. and Italian Children's Performance on the PASS Theory of Intelligence as Measured by the Cognitive Assessment System

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Italian mean = 100.9  
& US mean = 100.5  
using US norms

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This study examined Italian and U.S. children's performance on the English and Italian versions, respectively, of the Cognitive Assessment System (CAS; Naglieri & Conway, 2009; Naglieri & Das, 1997), a test based on a neurocognitive theory of intelligence entitled PASS (Planning, Attention, Simultaneous, and Successive; Naglieri & Das, 1997; Naglieri & Otero, 2011). CAS subtest, PASS scales, and Full Scale scores for Italian ( $N = 809$ ) and U.S. ( $N = 1,174$ ) samples, matched by age and gender, were examined. Multigroup confirmatory factor analysis results supported the configural invariance of the CAS factor structure between Italians and Americans for the 5- to 7-year-old (root-mean-square error of approximation [RMSEA] = .038; 90% confidence interval [CI] = .033, .043; comparative fit index [CFI] = .96) and 8- to 18-year-old (RMSEA = .036; 90% CI = .028, .043; CFI = .97) age groups. The Full Scale standard scores (using the U.S. norms) for the Italian (100.9) and U.S. (100.5) samples were nearly identical. The scores between the samples for the PASS scales were very similar, except for the Attention Scale ( $d = 0.26$ ), where the Italian sample's mean score was slightly higher. Negligible mean differences were found for 9 of the 13 subtest scores, 3 showed small  $d$ -ratios (2 in favor of the Italian sample), and 1 was large (in favor of the U.S. sample), but some differences in subtest variances were found. These findings suggest that the PASS theory, as measured by CAS, yields similar mean scores and showed factorial invariance for these samples of Italian and American children, who differ on cultural and linguistic characteristics.

# WJ-III and ELL Hispanic Students

(Sotelo-Dynea, Ortiz, Flanagan & Chaplin, 2013)

11 point mean score difference in GAI

As English skills go down so does the GAI

Table 1  
WJ III GIA and Test Performance Differences Between LEPs and the WJ III Standardization Sample Mean

WJ III Test	Sample		WJ III Sample		Difference	<i>t</i>	<i>d</i>
	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>			
General Intellectual Ability	89.34	11.78	100	15	-10.64	-7.07**	-.90
Verbal Comprehension	80.38	14.09	100	15	-19.62	-10.87***	-1.40
Concept Formation	87.16	12.20	100	15	-12.84	-8.22***	-1.05
Numbers Reversed	95.23	12.46	100	15	-4.77	-2.96*	-0.38
Visual-Auditory Learning	95.62	14.56	100	15	-4.38	-2.35*	-0.30
Sound Blending	97.82	11.57	100	15	-2.18	-1.47	-0.19
Visual Matching	98.93	9.80	100	15	-1.07	-0.85	-0.11
Spatial Relations	99.18	8.45	100	15	-0.82	-0.758	-0.10

\* $p < .05$ . \*\* $p < .01$ . \*\*\* $p < .001$ .

Table 2  
Differences Among the NYSESLAT Proficiency Group's WJ III, GIA Mean Score, and the WJ III Standardization Sample Mean

NYSESLAT Proficiency Group	Sample		WJ III Sample		Difference	<i>t</i>	<i>d</i>
	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>	<i>M</i>	<i>SD</i>			
Beginner	71.75	3.95	100	15	-28.25	-14.31*	-7.15
Intermediate	82.29	8.66	100	15	-17.71	-7.65*	-2.05
Advanced	89.55	9.17	100	15	-10.45	-10.45*	-1.14
Proficient	101	9.23	100	15	1.00	.405	0.11

\* $p < .001$ .

# Correlations with Achievement

- Can you take achievement out of a cognitive test?
- The average correlations between ability and academic scores with and without *critierion contamination*...

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**Hundred Years of Intelligence Testing: Moving from Traditional IQ to Second-Generation Intelligence Tests**

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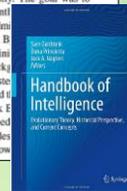
*"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."*  
—Ralph Waldo Emerson

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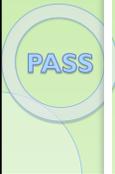
**Context**

April 6, 1917, is remembered as the day the United States entered World War I. On that same day a group of psychologists held a meeting in Harvard University's Emerson Hall to discuss the possible role they could play with the war effort (Yerkes 1921). The group agreed that psychological knowledge and methods could be of importance to the military and utilized to increase the efficiency of the Army and Navy personnel. The group included Robert Yerkes, who was also the president of the American Psychological Association. Yerkes made an appeal to members of APA who responded by

Training School in Vineland, New Jersey, on May 28. The committee considered many types of group tests and several that Arthur S. Otis developed when working on his doctorate under Lewis Terman at Stanford University. The goal was to find tests that could efficiently measure a variety of men, be easy to administer, and be easy to score. Beta materials were ready for an individual who had some educational background and could speak English; Alpha materials were quantitative (Alpha) tests and the Beta tests (today described as the Beta tests) were designed for individuals who could not read the newspaper or speak English. The Alpha tests were designed to measure general information (e.g., how



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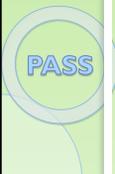
# Correlations with Achievement

- Average correlations between IQ Scales with total achievement scores and *basic psychological processes*

Note: All correlations are reported in the ability tests' manuals. Values per scale were averaged within each ability test using Fisher z transformations.

Correlations Between Ability and Achievement Test Scores			Average Correlation	
			All Scales	Scales without achievement
WISC-V N = 201	Verbal Comprehension	.74	<b>.53</b> → <b>.47</b>	
	Visual Spatial	.46		
	Fluid Reasoning	.40		
	Working Memory	.63		
WJ-IV COG WJ-IV ACH N = 825	Processing Speed	.34	<b>.54</b> → <b>.50</b>	
	Comprehension Knowledge	.50		
	Fluid Reasoning	.71		
	Auditory Processing	.52		
	Short Term Working Memory	.55		
KABC WJ-III ACH N = 167	Cognitive Processing Speed	.55	<b>.53</b> → <b>.48</b>	
	Long-Term Retrieval	.43		
	Visual Processing	.45		
	Sequential/Gsm	.43		
CAS WJ-III ACH N=1,600	Simultaneous/Gv	.41	<b>.59</b>	
	Learning/Glr	.50		
	Planning/Gf	.59		
	Knowledge/GC	.70		
	Planning	.57		
	Simultaneous	.67		
	Attention	.50		
	Successive	.60		

Note: WJ-IV Scales Comp-Know= Vocabulary and General Information; Fluid Reasoning = Number Series and Concept Formation; Auditory Processing = Phonological processing. 70



## Core Group Activity



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- What are your thoughts about this research?
- What questions do you have about these research studies?
- Other ideas?

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## PASS Comprehensive System

**GOAL:** Create a set of tools to measure PASS Theory for use across multiple settings and multiple tiers

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## Options for Assessing PASS

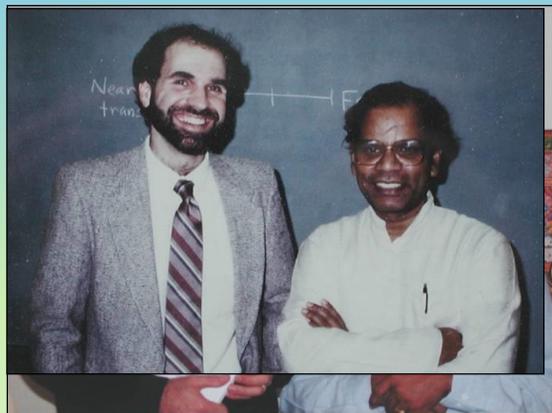
- PASS neurocognitive processes can be measured using the
  - CAS-2 (for school psychologists);
  - CAS-2 Brief (for speech/language, special education, etc); and
  - CAS-2 Rating Scale (for teachers)
- For effective instructional planning and identification of special students (e.g. SLD, ADHD), fair assessment, and the gifted.

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## A neurocognitive approach to understanding learning and learning problems (Naglieri & Das, 1997)



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# PASS Comprehensive System

(Naglieri, Das, & Goldstein, 2014)

**CAS2 Rating Scale**  
(4 subtests)

**CAS2 Brief**  
(4 subtests)

**CAS2 Core**  
(8 subtests)

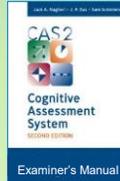
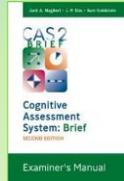
**CAS2 Extended**  
(12 subtests)

Total Score  
Planning  
Simultaneous  
Attention  
Successive

Total Score  
Planning  
Simultaneous  
Attention  
Successive

Full Scale  
Planning  
Simultaneous  
Attention  
Successive

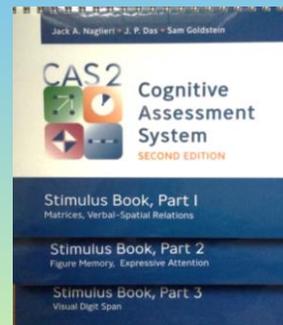
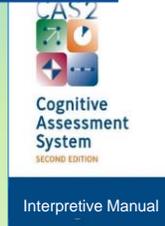
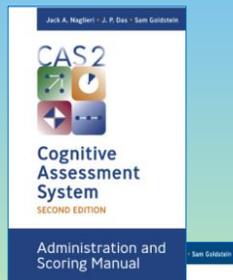
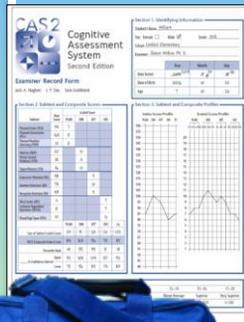
Full Scale  
Planning  
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Attention  
Successive  
Supplemental Scales  
Executive Function  
Working Memory  
Verbal / Nonverbal  
Visual / Auditory



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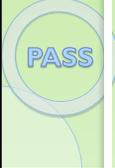
# CAS2 (Ages 5-18 yrs.)



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## Provide Help

The examiner can explain the demands of the task in any manner deemed appropriate and in any language



### Item Set 1

Expose Item Set 1 and say,

Look at this page. There are many boxes for you to fill in (point to the portion of the page with the empty boxes, but do not point in a sweeping motion to the rows or columns). Fill in as many of these as you can, as fast as you can, using these answers (point to the coded boxes, and pause for 3-5 seconds to allow the examinee to look at the page). You can do it any way you want. Let's see how many you can do.

Ready? (Provide a brief explanation if necessary.)

Begin. Start timing. Allow 60 seconds (1:00 minute). Record the time to completion and strategy use.

If the examinee stops or spends more than 1 or 2 seconds erasing, immediately say, **Keep going.**

If the examinee is still working after the time limit expires, say, **Stop.** Record the time in seconds. Note strategy use.

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## CAS2

- Same 8 (40 minutes) or 12 (60 minutes) subtest versions
- PASS and Full Scales provided (100 & 15) subtests (10 and 3)

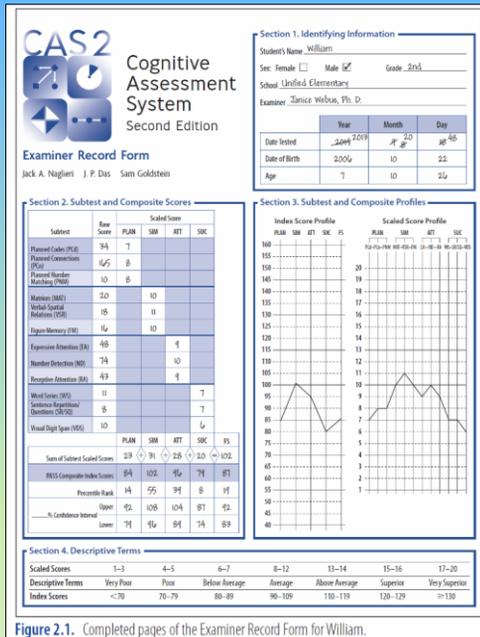
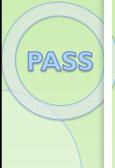
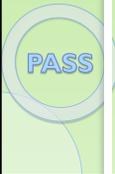


Figure 2.1. Completed pages of the Examiner Record Form for William.

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# CAS2

- Supplementary Scales: Executive Function, Working Memory, Verbal, Nonverbal
- Added: A Visual and Auditory comparison



## Supplemental Composite Scores

Subtest	Scaled Score				
	EF w/o WM	EF w/ WM	WM	VC	NvC
Planned Codes					7
Planned Connections	8	8			
Matrices					10
Verbal-Spatial Relations		11	11	11	
Figure Memory					10
Expressive Attention	9	9			
Receptive Attention				9	
Sentence Repetition/Questions		7	7	7	
	EF w/o WM	EF w/ WM	WM	VC	NvC
Sum of Subtest Scaled Scores	17	35	18	27	27
Composite Index Scores	91	91	94	93	92
Percentile Rank	27	27	34	32	30
Upper % Confidence Interval	101	99	101	101	99
Lower	84	85	88	87	86

Note: EF w/o WM = Executive Function without Working Memory; EF w/WM = Executive Function with Working Memory; WM = Working Memory; VC = Verbal Content; NvC = Nonverbal Content.

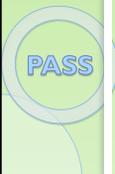
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# CAS2 Online Score & Report

<http://www.proedinc.com/customer/ProductView.aspx?ID=7277>

- Enter data at the subtest level or enter subtest raw scores
- Online program converts raw scores to standard scores, percentiles, etc. for all scales.
- A narrative report with graphs and scores is provided



**CAS2: Online Scoring and Report System (1-Year Base Subscription)** (14311)  
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Use CAS2 Online Scoring and Report System for:

- converting CAS2 subtest raw scores into standard scores, percentile ranks, descriptive terms, and age equivalents;
- generating PASS and Full Scale composite scores;
- comparing CAS2 subtest and PASS scale scores to identify significant intra-individual differences;
- providing a pdf report of CAS2 performance; and
  - [Sample Interpretive Report](#)
  - [Sample Score Summary](#)
- providing intervention options.

**Ordering options:**

- CAS2 Online Scoring and Report System first-time base subscription provides one-year unlimited online scoring and report access for up to 5 users.
- Annual base subscription renewal provides one-year unlimited online scoring and report access for up to 5 users.

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# CAS2 Online Score & Report

➤ Narrative report in Word or PDF



Scoring and Interpretive Report  
Jack A. Naglieri

Name: Jack Nag  
Age: 8  
Gender: Male  
Date of Birth: 07-12-2005  
Grade: 5  
School: East Lake

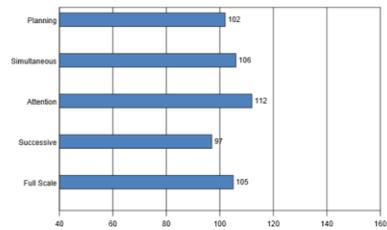
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*This computerized report is intended for use by qualified information can be found in the CAS2 Interpretive Manual.*

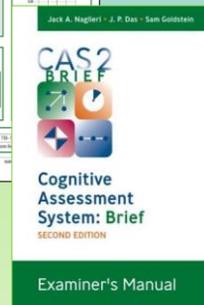
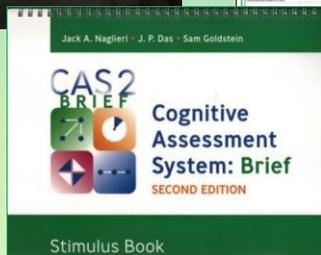
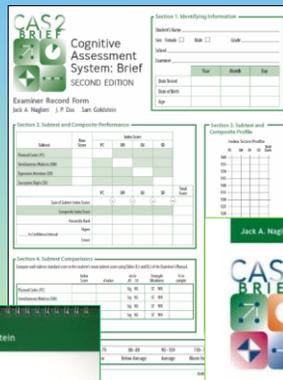
## FULL SCALE

Jack earned a Cognitive Assessment System, Second Edition (CAS2) Full Scale score of 105, which is within the Average classification and is a percentile rank of 63. This means that his performance is equal to or greater than that of 63% of children his age in the standardization group. There is a 90% probability that Jack's true Full Scale score falls within the range of 101 to 109. The CAS2 Full Scale score is made up of separate scales called Planning, Attention, Simultaneous, and Successive cognitive processing. Because there was significant variation among the PASS scales, the Full Scale will sometimes be higher and other times lower than the four scales in this test. The Attention Scale was found to be a significant cognitive strength. This means that Jack's Attention score was a strength both in relation to his average PASS score and when compared to his peers. This cognitive strength has important implications for instructional and educational programming.

PASS and Full Scale Scores



# CAS2: Brief for ages 4-18 years



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# CAS2: Brief

- Give in 20 minutes
- Good for reevaluations
- Yields PASS and Total standard scores (Mn 100, SD 15)
- All items are different from CAS2
  - Planned Codes
  - Simultaneous Matrices
  - Expressive Attention
- New Subtest
  - Successive Digits (forward only)

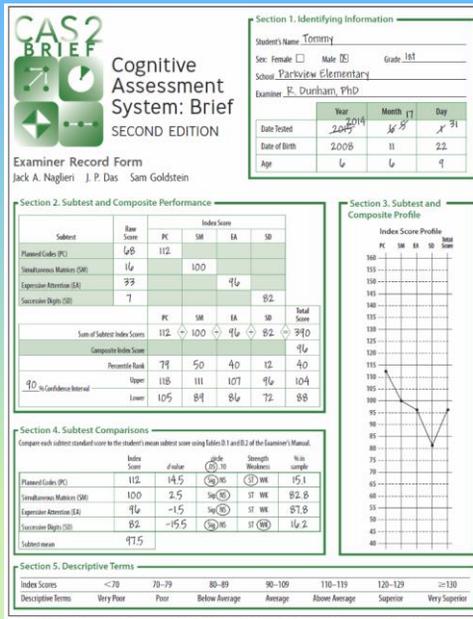


Figure 3.1. Example of page 1 of the CAS2: Brief Examiner Record Form, completed for Tommy.

# CAS2: Brief Simultaneous Matrices

## Simultaneous Matrices

**Administration:**  
Age-based entry points; apply ceiling (ceiling of 4; basal of 2, if needed)

**Materials:**  
CAS2: Brief Stimulus Book (pp. 1-90); #2 pencils

**Objective:**  
Examinees should select the option that best completes the matrix.

**Entry Points and Basals:** If an examinee age 12-18 fails the first item, administer previous items in reverse order until two consecutive correct answers have been obtained (basal). Record the response in the appropriate column, and then score the response (1 = correct, 0 = incorrect) for each item.

**Discontinue Rule:** Discontinue subtest if examinee receives four consecutive incorrect responses.

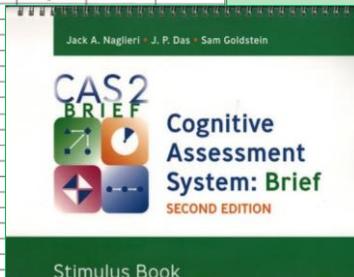
**Directions for All Examinees:**  
Show example in the CAS2: Brief Stimulus Book (p. 1), and say, Look at this page. There is a piece missing here (point to the question mark). Which one of these (point to the five options in a sweeping motion) goes here? (Point to the question mark.) If the response is correct, say, Yes, that's the right one because it's all yellow. If incorrect, point to Option 3 and say, This is the right one because it's all yellow. (If necessary, provide a brief explanation.) Continue with directions for the appropriate age group.

**Directions for Examinees Ages 4-11:**  
Show item 1 and say, Look at this page. There is a piece missing here.

## Directions for the Remaining Items:

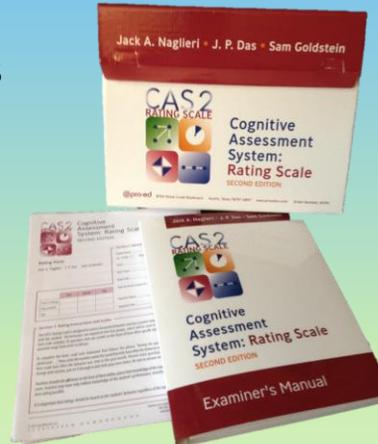
For each item, say as needed, There is a piece missing here (point to the question mark). Which one of these (point to the options in a sweeping motion) goes here? (Point to the question mark.) When the question is no longer necessary, say, Now do this one. (Provide no additional help.) If the examinee does not respond after about 60 seconds, encourage him or her to choose one of the options. If the examinee still does not respond, say, Let's try the next one. (Show the next item.)

Item	Correct Response	Examinee's Response	Score (1 or 0)
Example	3		
1.	2		
2.	3		
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			
7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			
11.			
12.			
13.			
14.			
15.			
16.			
17.			
18.			
19.			
20.			



## CAS2 Rating Scales (Ages 4-18 yrs.)

- The CAS2: Rating measures behaviors associated with PASS constructs
- Normed on a nationally representative sample of 1,383 students rated by teachers



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## CAS2 Rating Scales

- The CAS2: Rating form contains 40 items
- 10 items for each PASS scale
- PASS and Total scales are set to have a mean of 100 and standard deviation of 15

**CAS2 Rating Scale**  
Cognitive Assessment System: Rating Scale  
SECOND EDITION

**Section 1. Identifying Information**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sex: Female  Male  Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  
 School: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Teacher Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date You Started Student for: \_\_\_\_\_ (month/year)  
 Examiner Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Examiner Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 2. Rating Instructions and Scales**

The CAS2 Rating Scale is designed to assess classroom behaviors seen by a teacher who has had at least 4 weeks of experience with the student. The behaviors are organized into four groups, which will be used to obtain scores for four different scales. Each scale contains 10 questions that are scored on the basis of how often specific behaviors were seen. The scores for each question range from never to always.

To complete the form, read each statement that follows the phrase: "During the past month, how often did the child or adolescent...". Then circle the number under the word that best describes the behavior you saw. Read each question carefully, then mark how often the behavior was seen in the past month. Answer every question without skipping any. If you want to change your answer, just mark it through it and circle your new choice. Be sure to answer every question.

Teachers should rate all items to the best of their ability, given their knowledge of the student and the student's goals. In some cases, teachers may have only indirect knowledge of the student's performance; nevertheless, the teacher should provide the best rating possible.

It is important that ratings should be based on the student's behavior regardless of the language or medium used.

Additional copies of this form (CAS2-RS) may be purchased from: [www.pearson.com/usa/edu](http://www.pearson.com/usa/edu), 5th Floor, 100 Lakeside Blvd., Upper Merion, PA 19088-0001

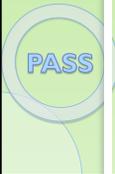
14. work well with other children and adults?  
 15. use their objects and ideas are alike?  
 16. work well with physical objects?  
 17. like to use social materials?  
 18. see the links among several things?  
 19. show interest in complex shapes and patterns?  
 20. recognize faces easily?

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# CAS2 Rating Scales

- The CAS2: Rating Scale scores can be used as part of a larger comprehensive evaluation or for instructional planning



**Section 3. PASS Scale and Total Score Summary**

PASS Scale	Raw Score	Standard Scores				
		Planning	Simultaneous	Attention	Successive	
Planning	19	95				
Simultaneous	31		115			
Attention	24			100		
Successive	11				85	
<b>Standard Score</b>		95	115	100	85	<b>Sum of Standard Scores</b>
<b>Total Score</b>						<b>99</b>
<b>Percentile Rank</b>		37	84	50	16	47
<b>Upper % Confidence Interval</b>		100	120	105	92	102
<b>Lower % Confidence Interval</b>		90	108	95	80	96

**Section 4. PASS Scale and Total Score Profile**

**Section 5. PASS Scale Comparisons**

Compare each PASS scale standard score to the student's mean PASS score using Tables C.1 and C.2 of the Examiner's Manual.

	Standard Score	d value	Circle (95) 10	Strength or Weakness	% in Sample
Planning	95	-3.8	Stg (NS)	ST WK	68.0
Simultaneous	115	16.2	Stg (NS)	ST WK	10.8
Attention	100	1.2	Stg (NS)	ST WK	96.3
Successive	85	-13.8	Stg (NS)	ST (VK)	16.9
<b>PASS mean</b>	<b>98.8</b>				

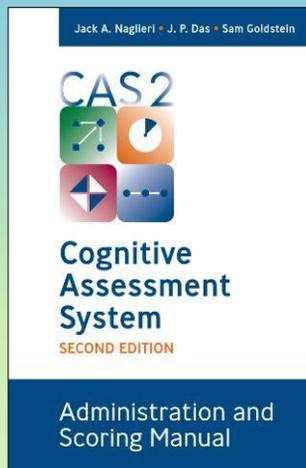
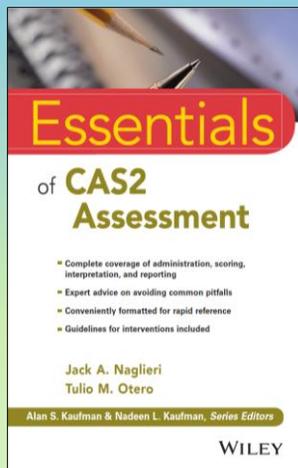
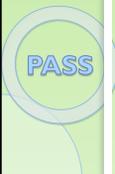
**Section 6. Descriptive Terms**

Descriptive Terms	Very Poor	Poor	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Superior	Very Superior
<b>Standard and Total Score</b>	<70	70-79	80-89	90-109	110-119	120-129	≥130

Figure 2.3. Sample page 4 of Rating Form, completed for Tommy.

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## Core Group Activity



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- Talk to your core group members
- Do you have any questions about the CAS2 suite of measures?

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## The Brain and Learning

In the classroom, the more ways the materials in the are introduced to the brain and reviewed, the more dendritic pathways of access will be created. There will be more cell-to-cell bridges and these pathways will be used more often, become stronger and remain safe from pruning.



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-- Dr. Judy Willis, Neurologist, 2006.

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Devereux Scales of Mental Disorders

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## 3 Minute Body Scan



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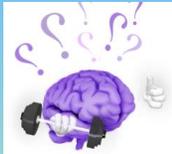
**Mindsets**

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**Skill Sets**

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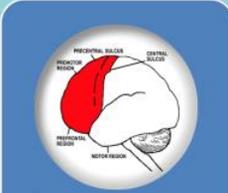




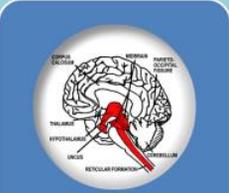

## PASS: A neurocognitive approach

### Three Functional Units - A. R. Luria

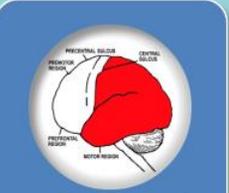




**Planning**  
The "How To", cognitive control, use of processes and knowledge, intentionality



**Attention**  
Focused cognitive activity and resistance to distraction



**Simultaneous & Successive Processing**  
Two forms of processing information






## Building the Big Picture

Big Idea :PASS

Subheadings:

Planning

Mindsets

Skill Sets

Attention

Successive

Simultaneous



You will be capturing the big idea of each key part of PASS on your organizer after we teach each section.

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## Here's Where We're Going...

- Introduction/Routines and Procedures
- PASS and Thinking Smart
- PASS & Learning
  - Planning & Instruction
  - Attention & Instruction
  - Successive & Instruction
  - Simultaneous & Instruction
- Think Smart: Closing



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## Planning (or lack of it!)



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## PASS Theory: Planning

- ▶ **Planning** is a neurocognitive process that a person uses to determine, select, and use efficient solutions to problems
  - problem solving
  - developing plans and using strategies
  - retrieval of knowledge
  - impulse control and self-control
- These can also be described as executive function, metacognition, strategy use

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# Which Lemming has good Planning?

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## CAS2: Rating Scale Planning

**Directions for Items 1–10.** These questions ask how well the child or adolescent decides how to do things to achieve a goal. They also ask how well a child or adolescent thinks before acting and avoids impulsivity. Please rate how well the child or adolescent creates plans and strategies to solve problems.

During the past month, how often did the child or adolescent . . .

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Frequently	Always
1. produce a well-written sentence or a story?	0	1	2	3	4
2. evaluate his or her own actions?	0	1	2	3	4
3. produce several ways to solve a problem?	0	1	2	3	4
4. have many ideas about how to do things?	0	1	2	3	4
5. have a good idea about how to complete a task?	0	1	2	3	4
6. solve a problem with a new solution when the old one did not work?	0	1	2	3	4
7. use information from many sources when doing work?	0	1	2	3	4
8. effectively solve new problems?	0	1	2	3	4
9. have well-described goals?	0	1	2	3	4
10. consider new ways to finish a task?	0	1	2	3	4

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 Planning Raw Score

## Do Planed Codes

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## Planned Codes 1

- ▶ Child fills in the codes in the empty boxes
- ▶ Children are encouraged to think of a good way to complete the page

A	B	C	D
X O	O O	X X	O X

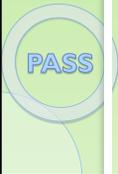
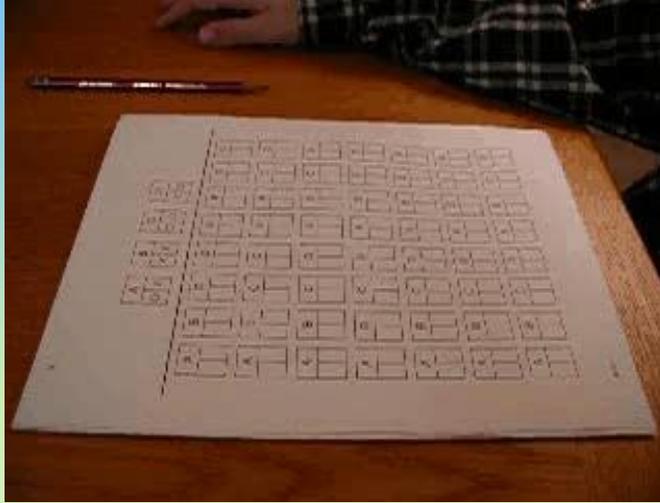
A	B	C	D	A
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X O	O O			
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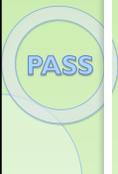
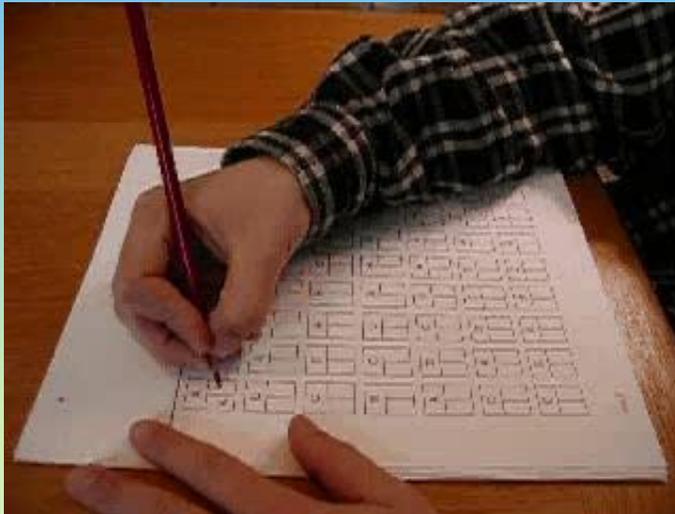
## Planned Codes 1



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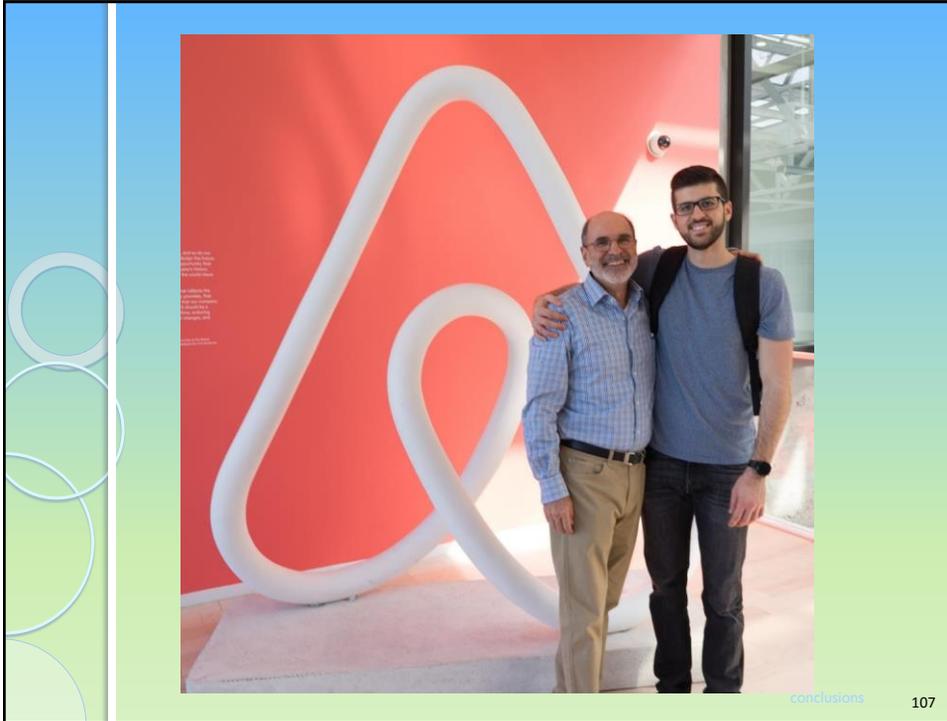
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## Planned Codes Page 2



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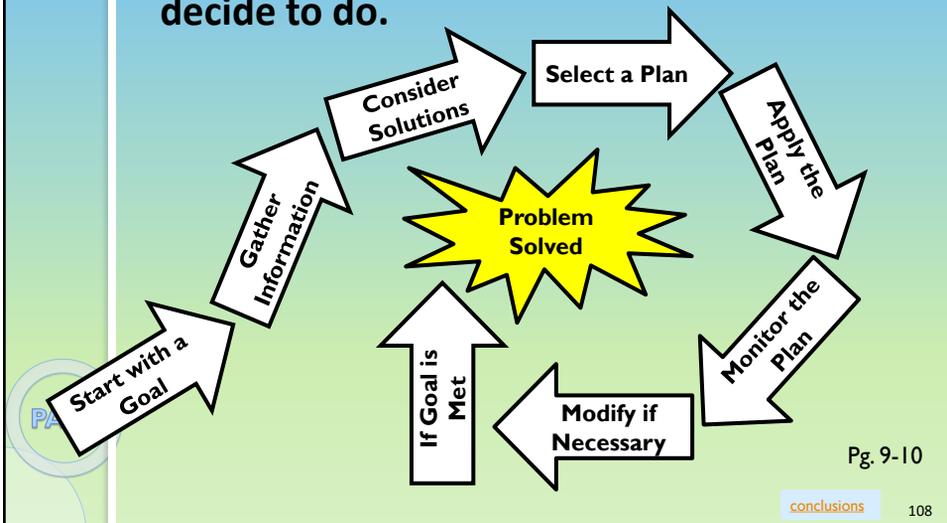


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## PASS Abilities: Planning

➤ Planning Ability is: *how you do what you decide to do.*



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## Does a 13 month old have EF?

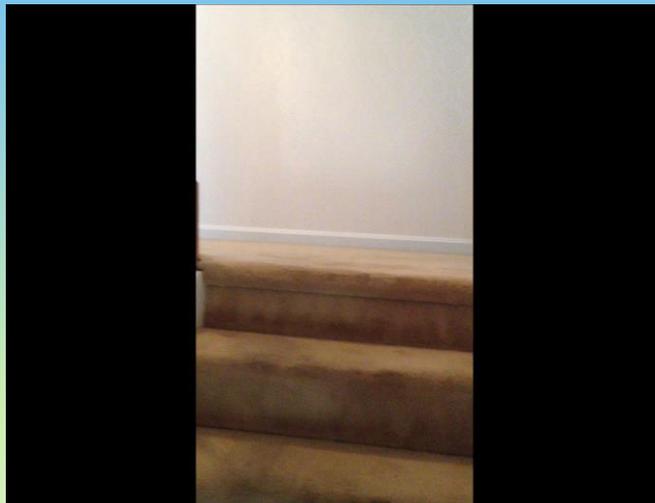


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## Age 19 mos: Knowledge & Planning



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## The Role of PASS and Learning

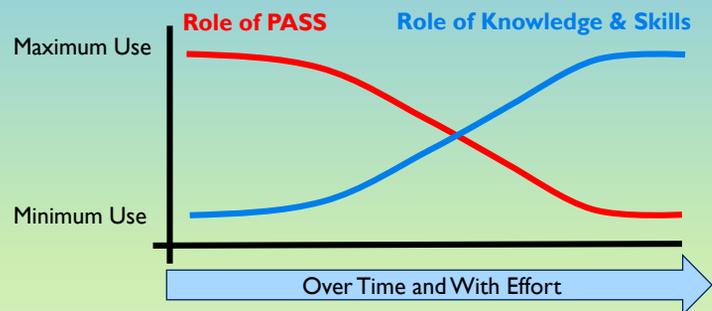
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## Planning Learning Curves

- Learning depends upon many factors especially PASS
- At first, PASS plays a major role in learning
- When a new task is learned and practiced it becomes a skill and execution requires less thinking



Note: A **skill** is the ability to do something fluently.

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## Math Strategies

### Note to the Teacher:

When we teach children skills by helping them use strategies and plans for learning, we are teaching both knowledge and processing. Both are important.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

### Doubles and Near Doubles

double  
 $8 + 8 = 16$

How many are there? near double  
 $8 + 9 = 17$

Ring the double. Add.

1.  $6 + 6 = 12$   
 $6 + 7 = 13$

2.  $5 + 5 = 10$   
 $5 + 6 = 11$

3.  $7 + 7 = 14$   
 $7 + 8 = 15$

4.  $4 + 4 = 8$   
 $4 + 5 = 9$

**CHECK** If you know the sum of  $8 + 8$ , how can you find  $8 + 9$ ?

three hundred thirty-five 335

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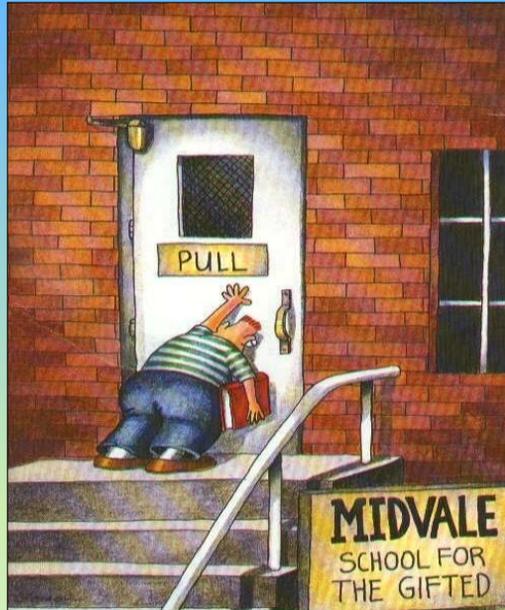
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## POOR PLANNING



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## PASS Theory: Planning Challenges

Examples of classroom problems related to Planning

- Using the same strategy even if it is not effective
- Struggling with how to complete tasks
- Not monitoring progress during a task
- Misinterpretation of what is read



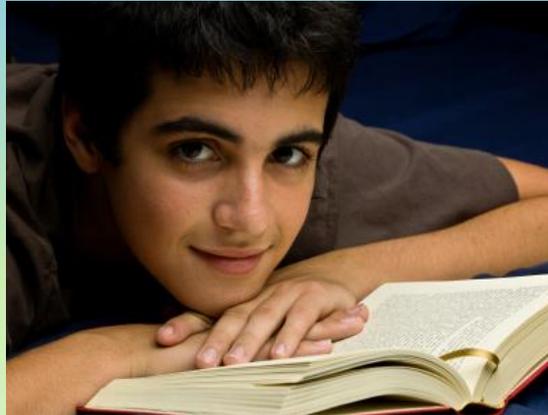
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## ° The Case of Rocky

Specific  
Learning  
Disability  
and  
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## The case of Rocky

- ▶ Rocky<sup>1</sup> is a real child with a real problem
- ▶ He lives in a large middle class school district
  - a wide variety of services are available
- ▶ In first grade Rocky was performing significantly below grade benchmarks in reading, math, and writing.
  - He received group reading instruction weekly and six months of individual reading instruction from a reading specialist
  - He made little progress and was retained

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Note: This child's name and other potentially revealing data have been changed to protect his identity.

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## The case of Rocky

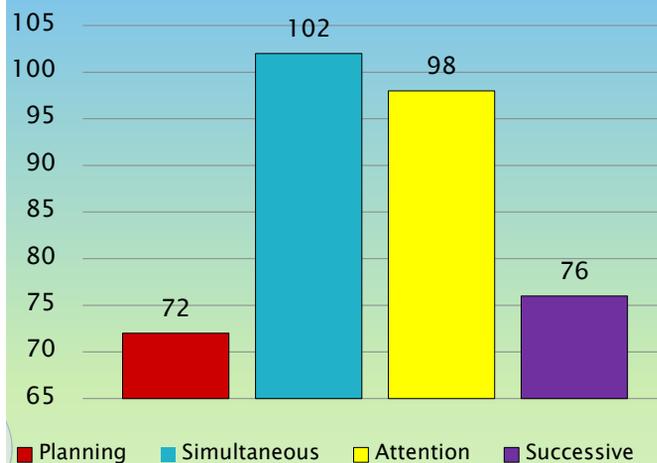
- ▶ By the middle of his second year in first grade Rocky was having difficulty with
  - decoding, phonics, and sight word vocabulary;
  - math problems, addition, fact families, and problem solving activities;
  - and focusing and paying attention.”
- After two years of special team meetings and special reading instruction he is now working two grade levels below his peers and is having difficulty in reading, writing, and math
- A comprehensive evaluation was conducted

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## Basic Psychological Processing Scores



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## The case of Rocky

- ▶ He has Planning and Successive weaknesses
- ▶ Met DSM for ADHD
- ▶ Met SLD definition a “disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes”

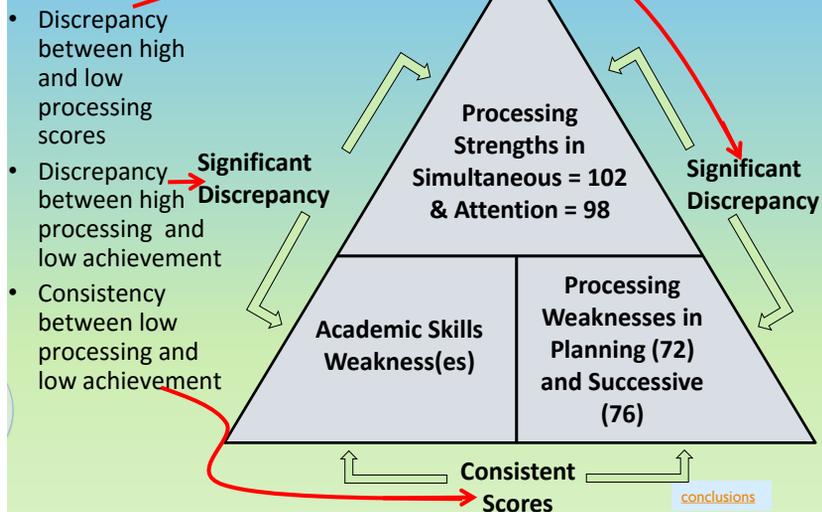
	Score	Diff	Significant	S/W
Planning	72	-15.0	yes	Weakness
Simultaneous	102	15.0	yes	
Attention	98	11.0	yes	
Successive	76	-11.0	yes	Weakness
PASS mean	87.0			

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## Discrepancy Consistency Model for SLD

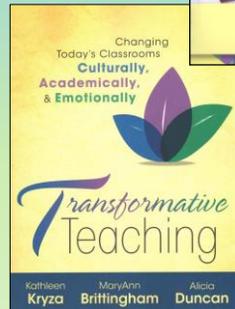
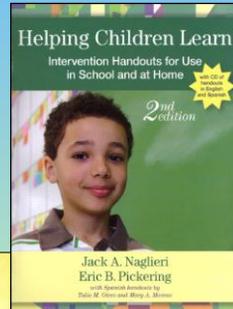


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## Core Group Activity

- What interventions should you recommend to address the weakness in Planning?



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## Six Learning Foundations that Work for ALL Learners

- Safe Environment
- Routines and Procedures
- Growth Mindsets
- Student Talk
- Student and Teacher Self Reflection
- Mindfulness



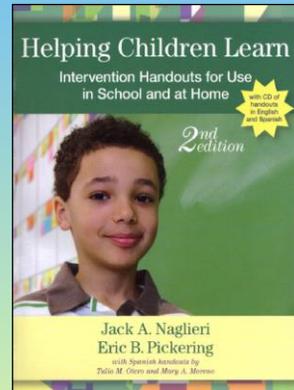
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## Intervention Support Tools

- Helping Children Learn Intervention Handouts for Use in School and at Home, *Second Edition*  
By Jack A. Naglieri, Ph.D., & Eric B. Pickering, Ph.D.,
- Spanish handouts by Tulio Otero, Ph.D., & Mary Moreno, Ph.D.



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## Interventions for Rocky

Using Plans to Overcome Anxiety

Graphic Organizers for Connecting and Remembering Information

Remembering and relating information is a common part of learning and daily life. Students are

Segmenting Words for Reading/Decoding and Spelling

Decoding a written word requires the person to make sense out of printed letters and words and

Chunking for Reading/Decoding

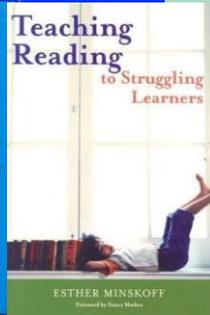
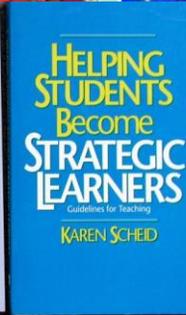
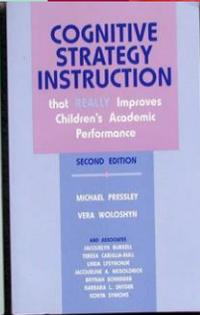
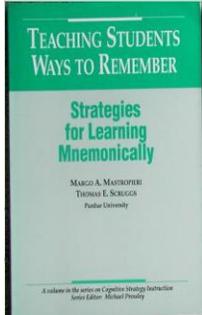
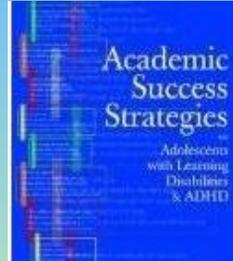
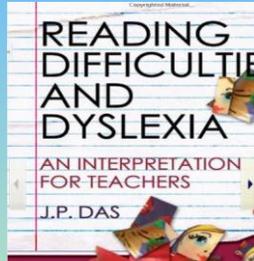
Reading/decoding requires the student to look at the sequence of the letters in words and understand the organization of specific sounds in order. Some students have difficulty with long sequences of letters and may benefit from instruction that helps them break the word into smaller, more manageable units, called *chunks*. Sometimes the order of the sounds in a word is more



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# Intervention Resources

➤ Intervention resources



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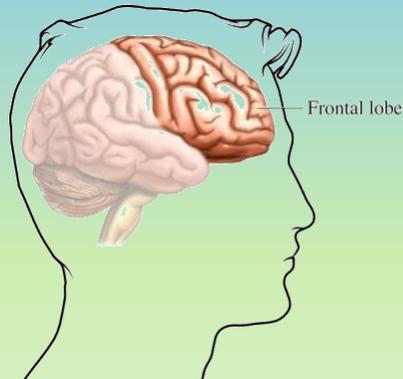
## Let's Take a Break!



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# Instructional Implications for Planning

Engaging the **FRONTAL LOBES**



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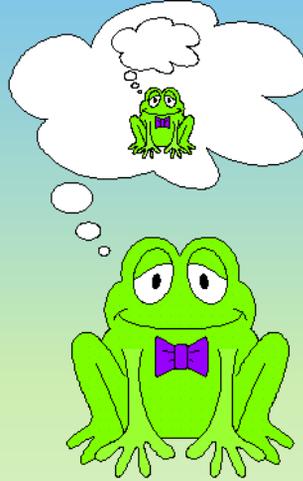
## Encourage EF: Go Slow to Go Fast!



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## Make Thinking Visible



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## Intentional & Transparent

Want Students to OWN their Learning?

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## Intentional and Transparent

- Intentional: **YOU** Know why you're doing what you're doing.
- Transparent - **THEY** know why you're doing what you're doing.



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## Brain Rule

“We need to repeat to remember”



**Talking**

about an event  
immediately after it has  
occurred

**enhances**

**memory**

for that event

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## Litmus Test of Transparency

- If someone came into your class and asked your students *what they are learning and why it's important to learn*, could most of them give a clear and specific answer
- We are doing a KWL because good readers predict and ask questions
  - We are making graphic organizers to connect our thoughts and ideas
  - We are singing a song to help us see how pioneers in the past had to live and entertain themselves.
  - I am using a mentor text as I write the lead for my piece because I learn from my favorite authors
  - I am helping to put things away because it's my responsibility to keep our community clean.



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## Or...

- Would they simply tell what they are doing?
- We are doing a KWL.
  - I am writing a story about my dad's birthday?
  - I am drawing a picture of girl from Japan.
  - We are making a graphic organizer for our project? (Why? Cause Ms. K likes them)
  - We are doing the worksheets (Why? What kind of thinking is required?)



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## Teaching for Transfer

If we want  
learning to  
stick, we have  
to make it  
sticky.



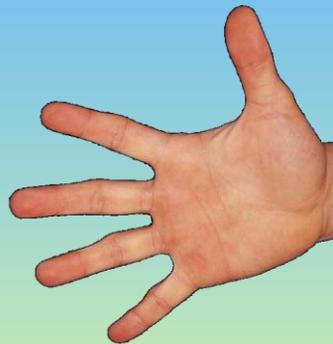
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## Metacognition

- On a scale of 1-5 fingers, how well do you think you know the concept of metacognition
- Do you talk to your students about the power of thinking about thinking?



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# Planning

## Planning Facilitation for Math Calculation

Math calculation is a complex activity that involves recalling basic math facts, following procedures, working carefully, and checking one's work. Math calculation requires a careful (i.e., planful) approach to follow all of the necessary steps. Children who are good at math calculation can move on to more difficult math concepts and problem solving with greater ease than those who are having problems in this area. For children who have trouble with math calculation, a technique that helps them approach the task planfully is likely to be useful. Planning facilitation is such a technique.

Planning facilitation helps students develop useful strategies to carefully complete math problems through discussion and shared discovery. It encourages students to think about how they solve problems, rather than just think about whether their answers are correct. This helps them develop careful ways of doing math.

### How to Teach Planning Facilitation

Planning facilitation is provided in three 10-minute time periods: 1) 10 minutes of math, 2) 10 minutes of discussion, and 3) 10 more minutes of math. These steps can be described in more detail:

*Step 1:* The teacher should provide math worksheets for the students to complete in the first 10-minute session. This gives the children exposure to the problems and ways to solve them. The teacher gives each child a worksheet and says, "Here is a math worksheet for you to do. Please try to get as many of the problems correct as you can. You will have 10 minutes." Slight variations on this instruction are okay, but do not give any additional information.

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## A Cognitive Strategy Instruction to Improve Math Calculation for Children With ADHD and LD: A Randomized Controlled Study

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### Abstract

The authors examined the effectiveness of cognitive strategy instruction (Successive) given by special education teachers to students with ADHD. The experimental group were exposed to a brief cognitive strategy instruction that focused on development and application of effective planning for mathematical computation. Standardized tests of cognitive processes (Wechsler Intelligence Scale) and math worksheets completed throughout the experimental period. At 1 year follow-up, the experimental group continued to outperform the control group. Large pre-post effect sizes were found for students in the experimental group (0.85 and 0.26), Math Fluency (1.17 and 0.09), and Numerical Operations. At 1 year follow-up, the experimental group continued to outperform the control group. Students with ADHD evidenced greater improvement in math worksheets (which measured the skill of generalizing learned strategies to other situations) when provided the PASS-based cognitive strategy instruction.



## Design of the Study

### Experimental and Comparison Groups

7 worksheets with Normal Instruction

#### Experimental Group

19 worksheets with  
Planning Facilitation

#### Comparison Group

19 worksheets with Normal  
Instruction

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## Instructional Sessions

- Math lessons were organized into “instructional sessions” delivered over 13 consecutive days
- Each instructional session was 30-40 minutes
- Each instructional session was comprised of three segments as shown below

10 minutes	10-20 minutes	10 minutes
10 minute math worksheet	Planning Facilitation or Normal Instruction	10 minute math worksheet

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## Planning (Metacognitive) Strategy Instruction

- ▶ Teachers *facilitated* discussions to help students become more self-reflective about use of strategies
- ▶ Teachers asked questions like:
  - What was your goal?
  - Where did you start the worksheet?
  - What strategies did you use?
  - How did the strategy help you reach your goal?
  - What will you do again next time?
  - What other strategies will you use next time?

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**Table 3.** Students' Comments During Planning Facilitation Sessions

### Goals

- "My goal was to do all of the easy problems on every page first, then do the others."
- "To get as many correct as I can."
- "To get as many right as quickly as possible."
- "To take time and make sure I get them correct."

### Starting place

- "I started on the first one."
- "I skipped around."
- "I do the easy ones first."
- "I look at the type of problem and the number of steps."

### Overall plan

- "I did all the easy problems on a page and went onto the next page."
- "I do all the addition first, then the easy minus, and then the hard ones."
- "I do the problems I know, then I check my work."

### Specific strategies

- "I simplify fractions first."
- "Skip the longer multiplication questions."
- "The problems that have lots of steps take more time, so I skip them."
- "I do them [the algebra] by figuring out what I can put in for X to make the problem work."
- "I draw lines so I don't get my columns confused [on the multiplication]."
- "I stopped drawing lines because it slowed me down."
- "If a problem is taking a long time I skip it and come back to it if I have time."
- "I did the ones that take the least time."
- "Remember that anything times 0 is 0."

### Noticing patterns in the worksheets

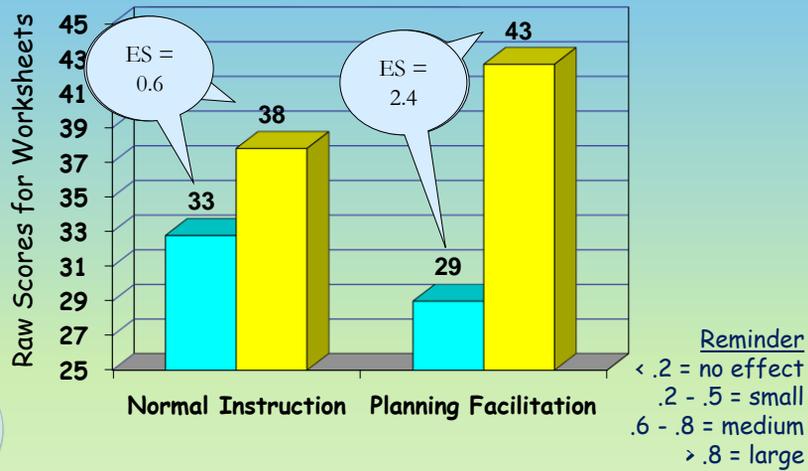
- "I did all the problems in the brain-dead zone first."
- "I started in the middle of the page, the problems on top take longer."
- "Next time I'll skip the hard multiplication at the top of the first page."



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## Classroom Worksheets Pre-Post

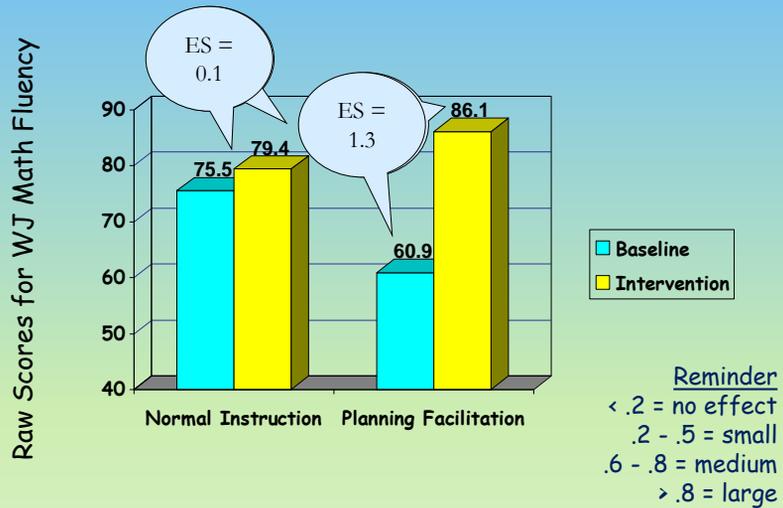


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## Woodcock-Johnson Math Fluency

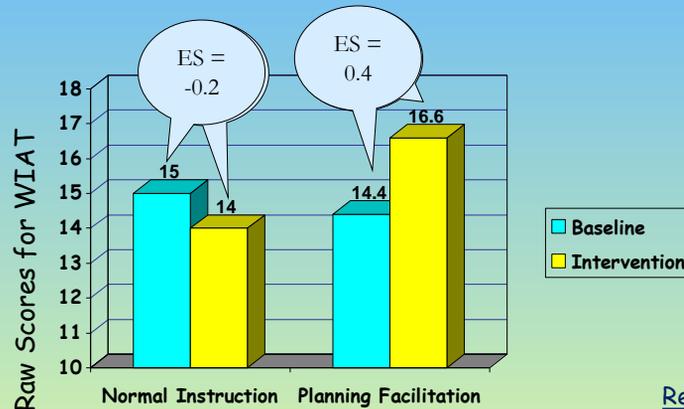


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## WIAT Numerical Operations



Reminder  
 $< .2$  = no effect  
 $.2 - .5$  = small  
 $.6 - .8$  = medium  
 $> .8$  = large

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## One Year Follow-up

At 1-year follow-up, 27 of the students were retested on the WJ-III ACH Math Fluency subtest as part of the school's typical yearly evaluation of students. This group included 14 students from the comparison group and 13 students from the experimental group. The results indicated that the improvement of students in the experimental group ( $M = 16.08$ ,  $SD = 19$ ,  $d = 0.85$ ) was significantly greater than the improvement of students in the comparison group ( $M = 3.21$ ,  $SD = 18.21$ ,  $d = 0.09$ ).

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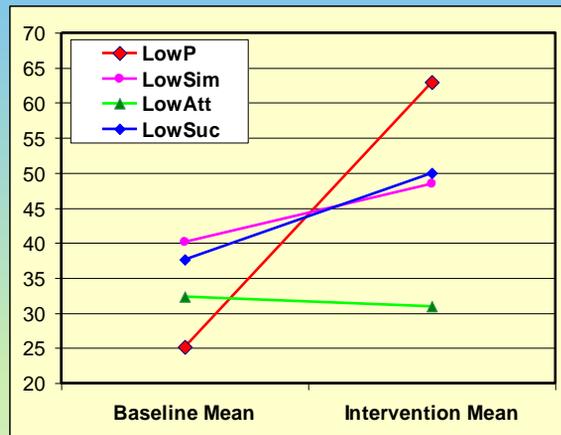
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## Iseman (2005)

Cognition (Planning scores) predicted response to intervention

- Baseline Intervention means by PASS profile
- Different response to the same intervention



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## Results

- The experimental group did better than the control on math taken from the curriculum on standardized math tests
- A year later the experimental group still outperformed the control group.
- ***Mindsets Plus Skill Sets Equals Results!***

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**Discuss:** What does this mean for our work as psychs, teachers, speech path, etc

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## Don't Commit Assumicide

-Kelly Gallagher

- Assuming that someone else has taught students the skills they need to learn effectively in your classroom.
- Assuming that students will transfer skills they learned in someone else's class into your classroom without helping them transfer the skills.

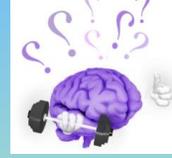


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## Winning Formula to Think Smart!

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{Mindsets} \\
 + \\
 \text{Skill Sets} \\
 \hline
 = \text{RESULTS!}
 \end{array}$$



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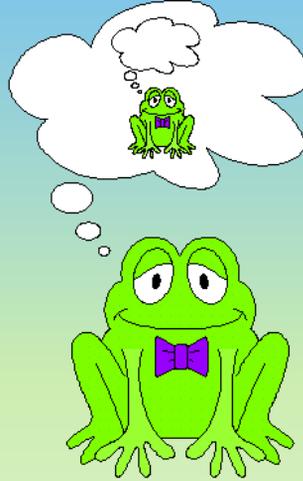
## Skill Sets



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## Make Metacognition Visible



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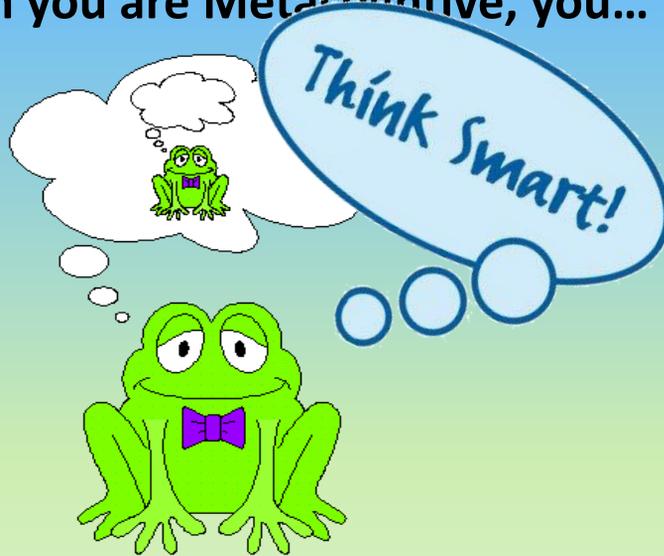
Learning to do well in school isn't magic....



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When you are Metacognitive, you...



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You have to Think **SMART**  
And have a...



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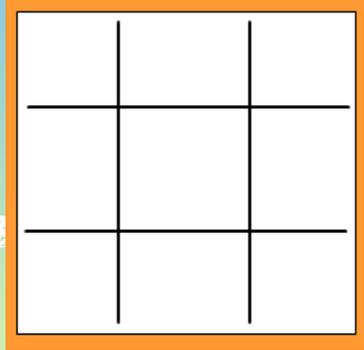
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## First: Teach Intentionally About Metacognition

Metacognition is thinking about your thinking, having a plan of action for what to do when you don't know.



RESTATE: Now restate the term in your own words.

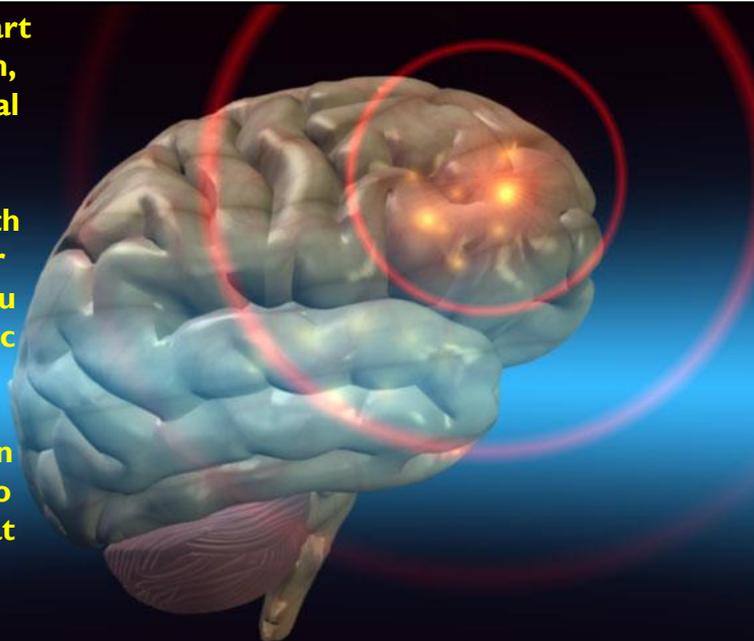


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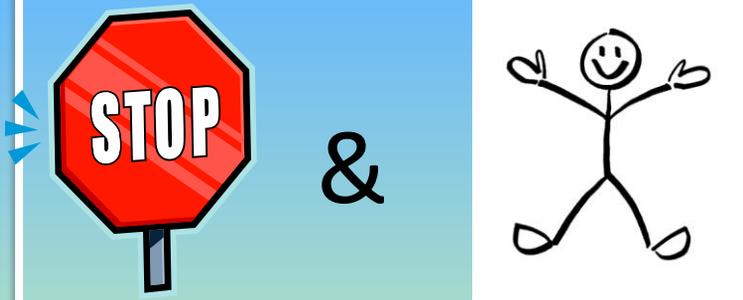
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2012

The front part of your brain, or pre-frontal cortex, is where you come up with strategies or plans like you did for tic tac toe.

You can train your brain to get better at **Planning**



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Draw a picture that represents your idea of metacognition. Share.

**STOP AND DRAW: Non-linguistic representations helps cement learning**

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## REVIEW: More on Metacognition (Read “How People Learn” for more...)

- **METACOGNITION** consists of three basic elements:
  - *Developing a plan of action*
  - *Maintaining/monitoring the plan*
  - *Evaluating the plan*
- The more students are aware of their thinking processes as they learn, the more they can control such matters as goals, dispositions, and attention. Self-awareness promotes self-regulation



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## Metacognitive Talk...

- Instead of saying “Here are some strategies you could use...”
- Say, “What are some strategies you could use... or even, here are a list of strategies, which ones would work for you?”

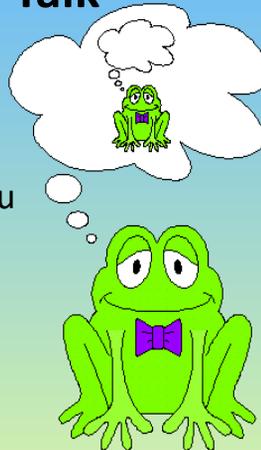
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## You Try It! Turn and Talk

- Based on what you just learned, describe how you are metacognitive about exercising or eating right.
- Do you need to monitor and adjust? How’s your plan working? (Metastrategic)



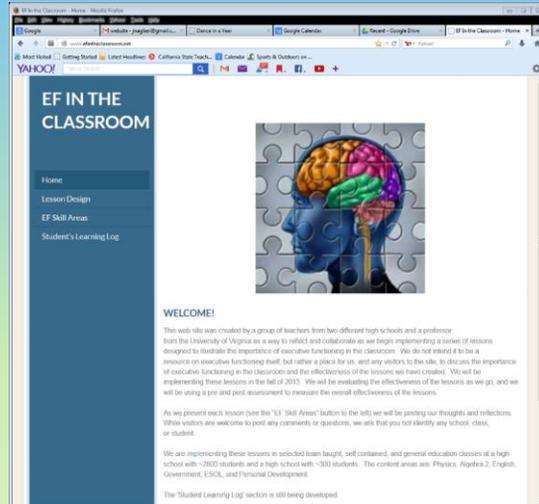
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# High School Lessons www.efintheclassroom.net

- Start with Awareness of thinking about thinking



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## Metacognition Lesson: EF in the Classroom

### Planning Lesson

**Phrase of the week:** What is your plan?

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bQLCZOG202k>

1. What had to happen so that the people could dance together in this video?
2. What are the parts of a good plan?
3. How do you know if a plan is any good?
4. What should you do if a plan isn't working?
5. How do we use planning in this class?

Go to student learning log and create a plan for the week.

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## Students watched a Flash Mob at Antwerp train Station (2009)



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## Planning Lesson **Student responses**

- Q: What would you have to plan out?
  - They had to learn the dance steps (knowledge)
  - Someone had to start dancing (initiation)
  - Permission from train station (planning)
- Q: What are the parts of a good plan?
  - Think of possible problems (strategy generation)
  - Organize the dance (organization)
  - Practice the dance steps (initiation)
  - Have a good idea of what to do (knowledge)

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## Planning Lesson Student responses

➤ Q3: How do you know if a plan is any good?

- Put the plan in action and see if it works (self-monitoring)
- Give it a try (perhaps learn by failing)

1.Q4: What should you do if a plan isn't working?

1. Fix it. (self-correction)
2. Go home ! (a bad plan)

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## Planning Lesson Student responses

Q5: How do you use planning in this class?

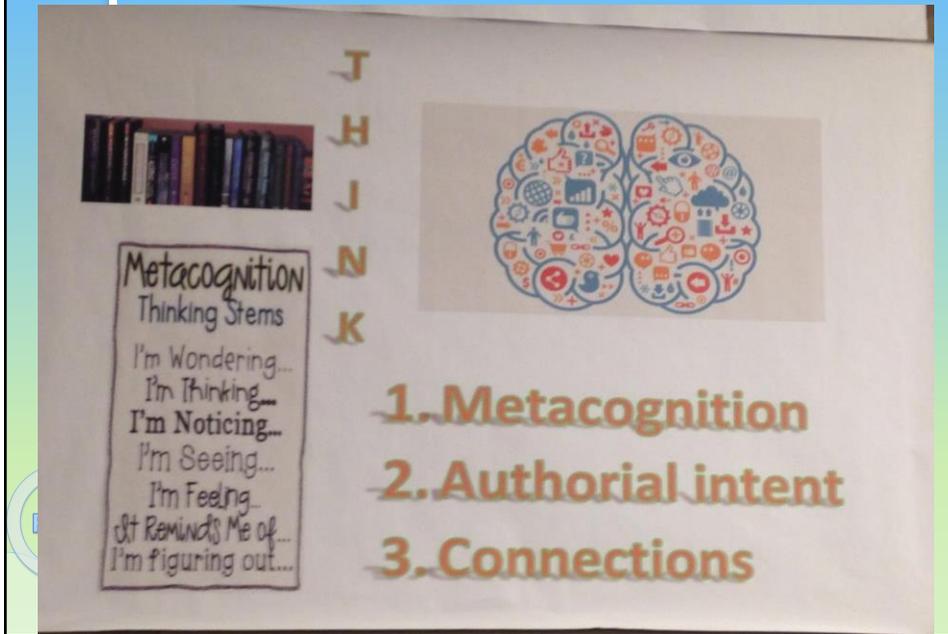
1. We don't plan in this class
2. Mrs. XXX does all the planning in this class so you don't have to think about planning

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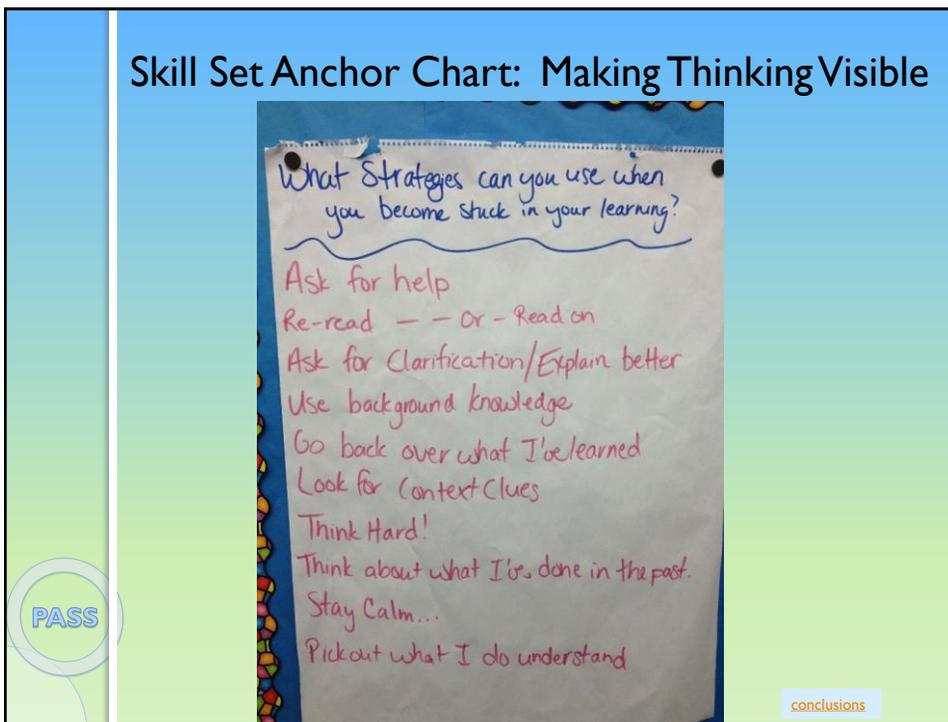
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## Anchor Charts = Transparent



## Skill Set Anchor Chart: Making Thinking Visible



**Think SMART!**

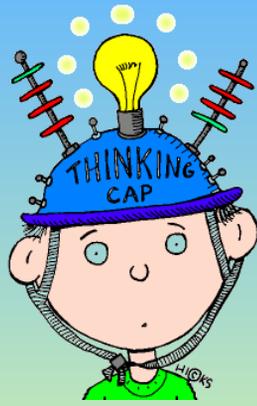
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**M**ake a PLAN

Take **A**ction!

**R**eview/Reflect/Revise

**T**a da! (or) Try Again



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**Let's Try**

- I'll give you some examples and you tell me if this person is THINKING **SMART** or NOT.
- Scott tried once, but couldn't do his math homework, so he watched T.V.
- Was he THINKING **SMART**?
- Let's help Scott THINK **SMART**



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**Think SMART!**

**S**top and THINK

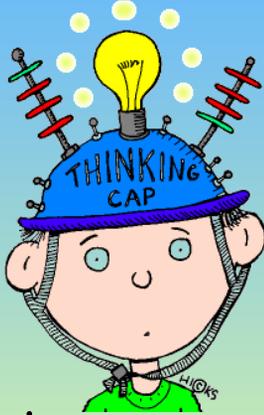
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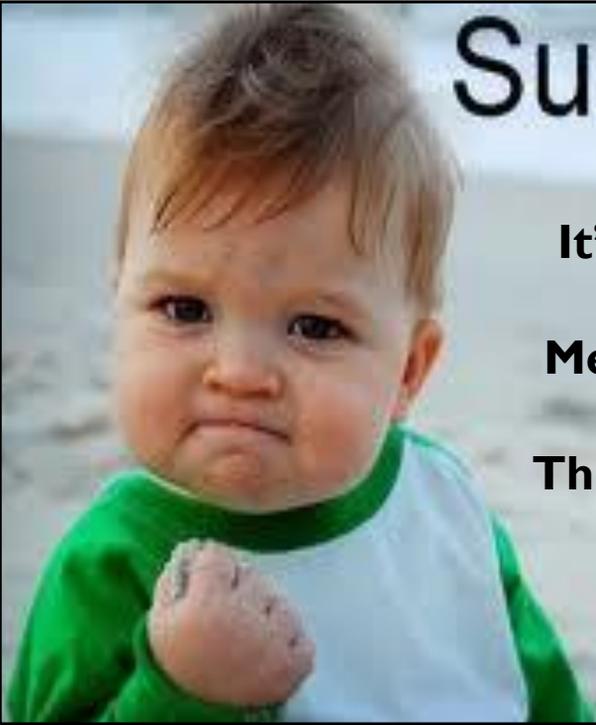
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**Success.**

**It's not Magic,  
It's  
Metacognition!**

**Think SMART =  
Success!**

## Think **SMART** Rap!

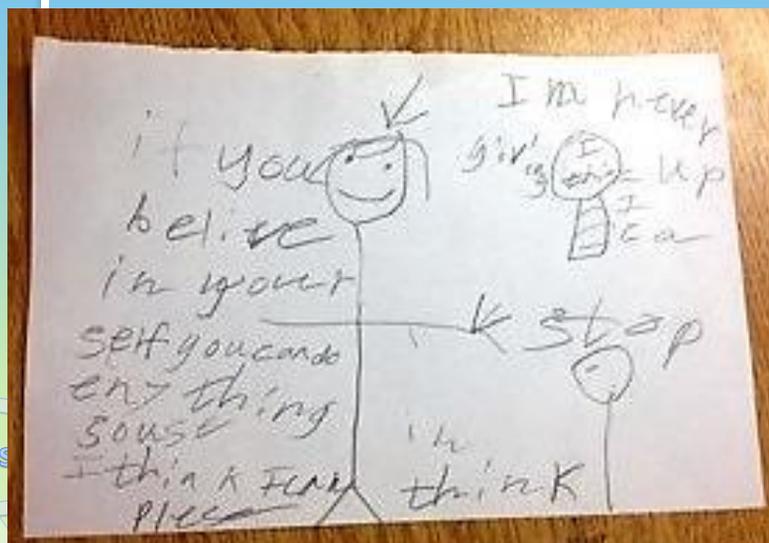
Think **SMART**!  
 Here's how you **START**  
 You **THINK**, "I CAN!"  
 Then you make a **PLAN**  
 Now give it **GO**,  
 Watch your brain **GROW**!  
 So now **YOU KNOW**...  
 THINK **SMART**!  
**Peace out!**



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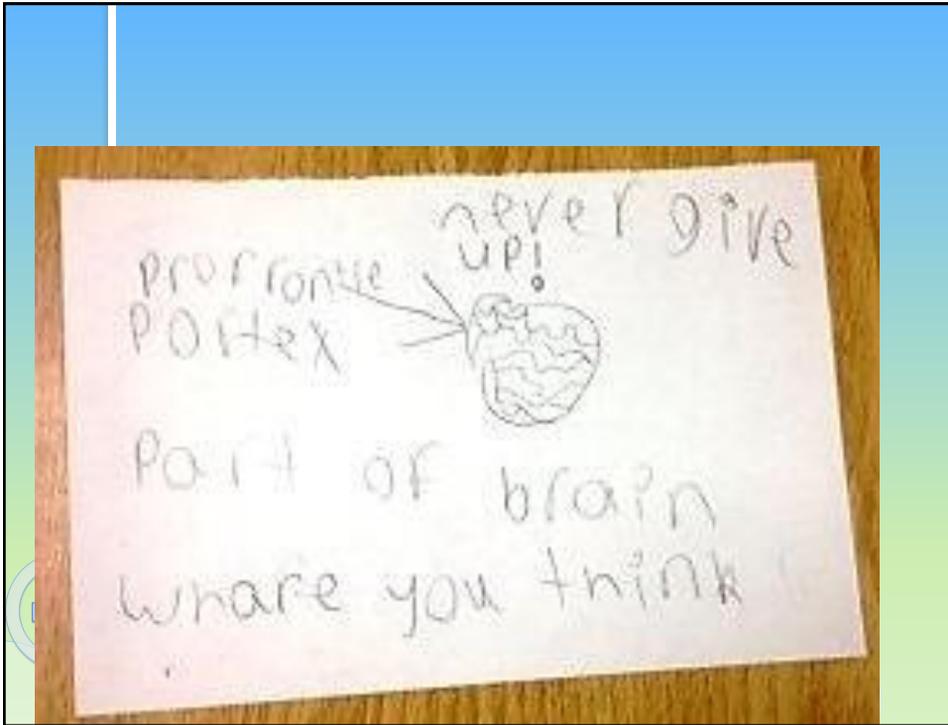
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## Self-Assessment...



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## Dennis, 16, On Metacognition

- What's metacognition?
- It's the recognition,
- Of how my brain works,
- Understanding my learning quirks.
- It means I've got to have a plan
- And more important, think, "I can!"
- Before, during, after, that's the trick
- Metacognition means that learning sticks.
- When I have a plan, I'm a stronger reader
- This can help me become a real leader!
- So I'll practice my skills each and every day.
- Metacognition will take me all the way!

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## Core Group Activity



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How will you support students and teachers in developing their meta-strategic skill sets?

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NOTE: STOP AND TALK is important because the brain retains 50% through talk.

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## Building the Big Picture

Big Idea :PASS

Subheadings:

Planning

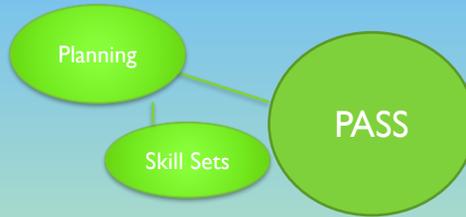
Mindsets

Skill Sets

Attention

Successive

Simultaneous



You will be capturing the “Big Idea” of each key part of PASS on your organizer after we teach each section.

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## A New View

Planning and Attention = Executive Function



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## Self Regulation/Executive Function

- Self Regulation is a deep, internal mechanism that enables children to engage in mindful, intentional and thoughtful behaviors.
  - Elena Bodrvoa and Deborah J. Leong
- Self-Regulation is a Skill that is Taught, it does not emerge naturally.



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## Students Can Do MORE Than We Think...

- When children are constantly regulated by adults, they may appear to be self-regulated, but they are actually “teacher regulated.”
- If our goal is to...

- **EMPOWER**



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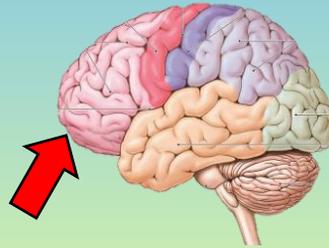


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## Mindsets + Skillsets = Results

- Mindsets & Skillsets include
  - Brain-based concepts such as
    - PASS
    - Executive Function
    - Metacognition
    - Self-Regulation
- These concepts are all closely related to the **FRONTAL LOBES** of the brain, what A. R. Luria described as **PLANNING** and **ATTENTION**



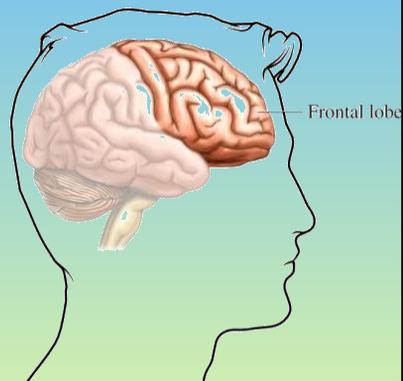
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## Executive Function/Frontal Lobe

- Frontal Lobe function impacts both students *social-emotional* and *academic* success.
- We (have been) and will be weaving in ways to promote development of *social-emotional* and *academic* Executive Function throughout sessions.



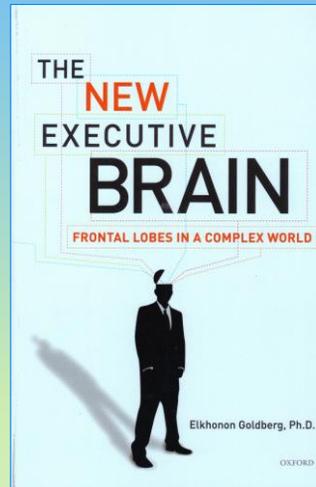
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## Executive Functions

- Elkhonon Goldberg provides a valuable review of what the frontal lobes do
- Describes EF as the orchestra leader



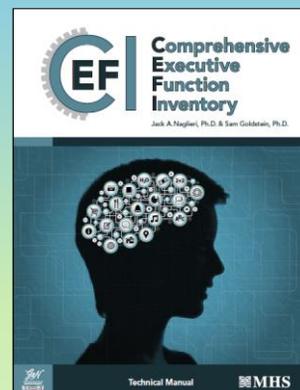
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## Comprehensive Executive Function Inventory (CEFI)

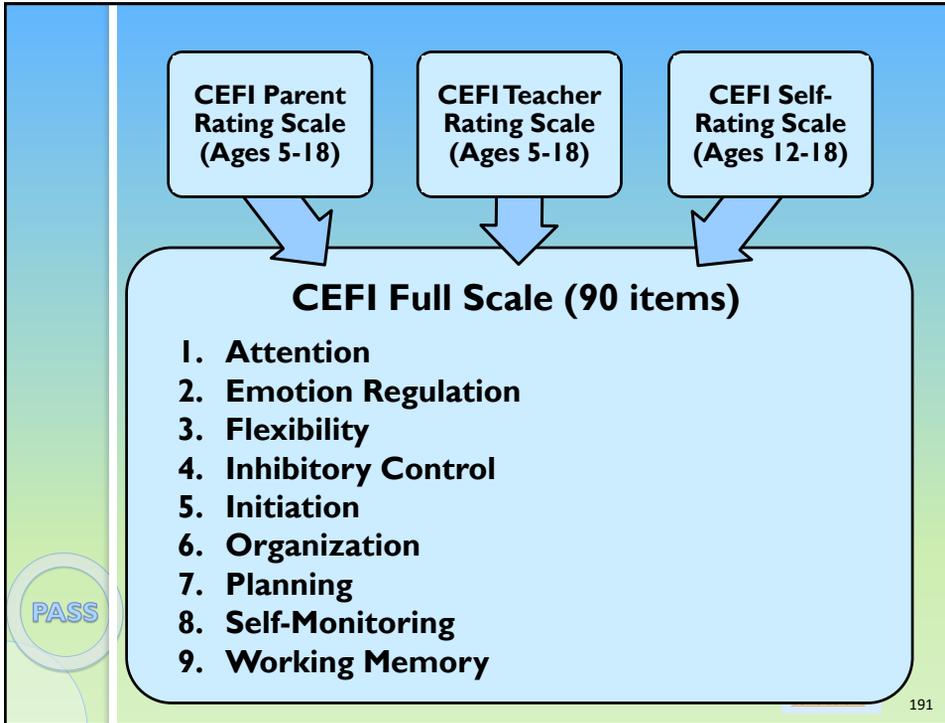
Jack A. Naglieri  
Sam Goldstein

A rating scale designed to measure behaviors association with Executive Function for ages 5-18 years rated by a parent, teacher, or the child/youth.



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## Comprehensive Model of EF

Behavior	Cognition	Social Emotional	Academic performance	Impairment

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## Tomorrow's Focus

- Planning - Mindsets
- Attention
- Successive Processing
- Simultaneous Processing
- Bringing to all together



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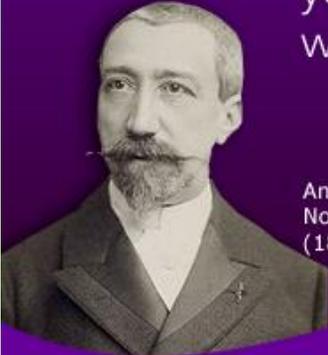
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## Your Ticket out the door!

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"An **education isn't** how much you have committed to memory, or even **how much you know. It's** being able **to differentiate between** what you do **know and** what you **don't.**"



Anatole France  
Novelist and Nobel Prize winner,  
(1844-1924)

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