

# Assessments

## Combined Cognitive & Educational Assessment



The Fabric combined cognitive and academic assessments provide a well-rounded understanding of a person's natural intellectual ability as well as their current academic achievement.

These tests are particularly relevant when there may be suspected learning difficulties that could be influencing how they are experiencing their learning environment. In a behavioural sense, what is often heard are comments like "they are not meeting their potential". This often indicates that the person's intellectual ability in certain areas has been noted as high, however, the actual academic output is low.

At Fabric we want to understand the reason why and note that this is often the result of underlying difficulties with learning that go unaddressed – thus, the behavioural challenges are really a result of a person struggling with the learning tasks presented.

### Purpose

To provide a well-rounded understanding of both the person's natural intellectual ability as well as their current academic achievement.

### Outcome

A detailed report containing the information and insights on the individual's intellectual and academic strengths and weaknesses with a series of recommendations to establish better learning practices.

### What's involved?

The Combined Cognitive & Educational Assessment consists of:

- An initial interview with a primary carer
- Up to six testing sessions with the student
- A detailed report of the student's learning strengths, weaknesses and our recommendations
- A feedback session to discuss the information in the report with the carer

Tests administered:

- Weschler Intelligence Scale
- Weschler Individual Achievement Test (WIAT)
- Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test – 4th edition (PPVT-4)

### How long?

It takes about four weeks from the first meeting until you receive the final report.

### Where?

The meetings take place at our Fabric office in Carrara or in our satellite offices in Lismore or Brisbane, depending on what best suits the client.

### What it costs?

Assessments and report writing are a standard rate of \$180.00 per 50 mins . Quotes are offered to address each individual situation.

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