



Wide Range Achievement Test (WRAT-5) for the Wide Range of Students with Vision Loss

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WRAT-5 Learning Objectives

- 1. Identify the benefits of selecting the WRAT-5 for evaluation purposes.
- 2. Identify and describe the WRAT-5 subtests.
- 3. Identify the materials available for administration for students with visual impairments.
- 4. Explain examples of test adaptations.

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5. Examine key differences between the print and braille adaptation that can affect validity of the administration and interpretation of the results.



WRAT-5 Benefits

- Quick administration
- Psychometrically sound
- Flexible
- Wide age range

Multiple Uses:

- Initial evaluation
- Re-evaluation
- Incremental progress checks





WRAT-5 Subtests

- Word Reading
- Spelling
- Math Computation
- Sentence Comprehension

Reading Composite Score:

- Word Reading
- Sentence Comprehension





WRAT-5 Materials: Standard Print Kit

- Manual
- Norms book
- Response Booklet
 - Blue and Green
- Record Forms
 - Blue and Green

- Word Reading List/Spelling List Card
 - Blue and Green
- Sentence Comprehension Card
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WRAT-5 Materials: Large Print

- Teacher Supplement
- Student Book
 - Word Reading List: Blue and Green
 - Sentence Comprehension Card: Blue and Green
- Response Booklets
 - Blue and Green





WRAT-5 Materials: Large Print

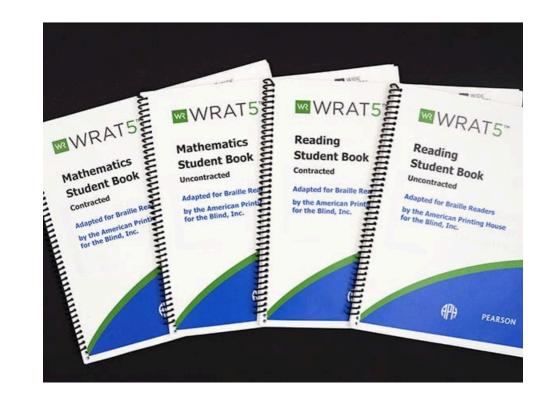
- Adapted large print student book
- Adapted large print blue response booklet
- Adapted large print green response booklet





WRAT-5 Materials: Braille (UEB and Nemeth)

- Teacher Supplement
- Mathematics Student Book
 - Contracted and Uncontracted
- Reading Student Book
 - Contracted and Uncontracted







WRAT-5 Administration: Special Materials

- Glare reduction sheets
- Writing utensils
- Bold-line writing paper
- Magnification devices





WRAT-5 Administration: Procedures

- Standard procedures outlined in the regular print edition should be followed.
- Test administrator who meets Pearson's Qualification Level B requirements.
- Test administrators may assist large print and braille readers by re-orienting the braille pages as needed.





WRAT-5 Administration: Acceptable Adaptations

- Accommodations may be used if previously indicated on the student's educational plan.
- Setting accommodations, such as separate room, special lighting, special table or chair height, should be planned in advance.





WRAT-5 Test Adaptations: Large Print

- Every attempt was made to not alter the intent of the test items.
- Test wording or context are the same; however, but may be shifted due to font enlargement.
- Enlarged illustrations and diagrams.





WRAT-5 Test Adaptations: Large Print

- Font changed to Tahoma, a sans serif font.
- Font size, minimum of 18 points.
- Examinees requesting a larger font size may benefit from a variety of magnification devices.





WRAT-5 Test Adaptations: Braille Edition

- Every attempt was made to not alter the intent of the test items.
- Available in contracted and uncontracted braille.





WRAT-5 Administration: Word Reading

Starting Point:

- Part 1: Letter Reading, Item 1
 - Grades K-2
- Part 2: Word Reading, Item 1
 - o Grades 3-12+

- Record Form
- Word Reading List Card
- Blank, unlined paper
- Audio recorder





WRAT-5 Administration: Spelling

Starting Point:

- Part 1: Letter Writing, Item 1
 - Grades K-2
- Part 2: Spelling, Item 1
 - o Grades 3-12+

- Record Form
- Response Booklet
- Spelling List Card
- Pencil with eraser





WRAT-5 Administration: Math Computation

Starting Point:

- Part 1: Oral Math, Item 1
 - Grades K-2
- Part 2: Math Computation, Item 1
 - o Grades 3-12+

- Record Form
- Response Booklet
- Blank, unlined paper
- Pencil with eraser
- Stopwatch or timer





WRAT-5 Administration: Sentence Comprehension

Starting Point:

Grades K: Do not administer

Grades 1-12: Sample Items 1-3, then

- Grades 1-4: Item 1
- Grades 5-7: Item 10
- Grades 8-12+: Item 15

- Sentence Comprehension Record Form
- Sentence
 Comprehension Card
- Blank, unlined paper





WRAT-5 Interpretation and Report Writing

- Observations
- Determine if you obtained the information needed
- Consider the need for additional informal and formal academic assessment administration
- Follow APH testing guidelines for reporting quantitative versus qualitative assessment data





WRAT-5 Interpretation and Report Writing

- Focus on the individual
- Address their present levels of performance
- Include a statement on:
 - Assessment observations
 - Administration adaptations used or not used and why
 - Professional perception of the validity of results





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