

Dear Parents,

Please note the following information for the upcoming ICAS competitions 2nd and 3rd Term 2016

ICAS Information for Competitors

Students and Parents please check the dates, times and Venue and mark them on your Calendar.

Subject	Date	Time	Venue	Year Levels
Digital Technologies	Tuesday 17 May 2016	7.30am for 7.40 am start	A Block Computer Lab	All
Science	Tuesday 31 May 2016	7.30am for 7.40 am start	A Block Computer Lab	All
Writing	Tuesday 14 June 2016	7.30am for 7.40 am start	A Block Computer Lab	All
Spelling	Wednesday 15 June 2016	7.30am for 7.40 am start	A Block Computer Lab	All
English	Tuesday 2 August 2016	7.30am for 7.40 am start	A Block Computer Lab Admin Computer Lab	Year 3 & 4 Year 5 & 6
Mathematics NB: This is NOT the advertised date on the ICAS website! We have applied for an alternate date.	Tuesday 9 August 2016	7.30am for 7.40 am start	A Block Computer Lab Admin Computer Lab	Year 3 & 4 Year 5 & 6

Preparation for the Competition.

The competitions are mainly marked by computer, use the example below to practice filling out the answer sheet. Students also need to read instructions carefully, and write answers on the ANSWER sheet provided.

To buy online or previous test papers go to <https://www.eaa.unsw.edu.au/icas/preparation> . This is the Students Portal for Educational Assessment Australia and has links to some practice questions and hints and tips for participating in the competitions.

I also have some papers from previous Years that are available for loan to students participating in this Year's competitions. These can be borrowed from the library for practice.

On the day of your competition:

- Arrive on time (before the stated Start time)
- Make sure you have had a good breakfast
- Go to the toilet before coming to the room
- Have any personal equipment with you. (Glasses, tissues, drink bottle etc.)
- Relax and do your best.

HOW TO FILL OUT THIS SHEET:



- Print your details clearly in the boxes provided.
- Make sure you fill in only one oval in each column.
- Rub out all mistakes completely.

EXAMPLE 1: Debbie Bach

FIRST NAME

D	E	B	B	I	E
O	O	O	O	O	O
A	A	A	A	A	A
B	B	X	X	B	E
C	C	C	C	C	C
D	D	D	D	D	D
E	X	E	E	E	E

LAST NAME

B	A	C	H
O	O	O	O
A	X	A	A
X	B	B	E
C	C	X	C
D	D	D	D
E	E	E	E

EXAMPLE 2: Chan Ai Beng

FIRST NAME **LAST NAME**

C	H	A	N
○	○	○	○
A	A	●	A
B	B	B	B
●	C	C	○
D	D	○	○
E	○	○	○

A	I	B	E	N	G
○	○	○	○	○	○
○	A	A	A	A	A
○	B	B	B	○	B
○	C	C	C	C	C
○	D	D	D	D	D
○	E	E	E	E	○

EXAMPLE 3: Jamal bin Abas

FIRST NAME

J	A	M	A	L			B	I	N
A	B	A	B	A	A	A	A	A	A
B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C
D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E

LAST NAME

A	B	A	S
A	B	A	A
B	B	B	B
C	C	C	C
D	D	D	D
E	E	E	E

FIRST NAME to appear on certificate

[illegible]

LAST NAME to appear on certificate

[illegible]

Are you male or female?

☐ Male ☐ Female



Does anyone in your home usually speak a language other than English?

☐ Yes ☐ No

School name: _____

Town / suburb: _____

Today's date: / / Postcode:

DATE OF BIRTH

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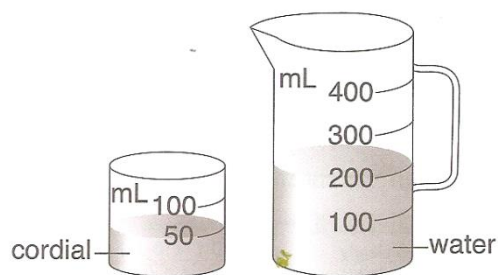
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	(H)	(R)
	(I)	(S)
	(J)	(T)

TO ANSWER THE QUESTIONS

Example: Ari added cordial to water to make a jug of drink.
What will be the volume of the drink in the jug?

- (A) 50 mL
- (B) 150 mL
- (C) 200 mL
- (D) 250 mL



The answer is 250 mL, so you would fill in the oval **(D)**, as shown.

(A) (B) (C) **(D)**



START

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