

Verbal Reasoning Paper D

1.	d	31.	l	61.	watch
2.	t	32.	m	62.	3
3.	r	33.	h	63.	8
4.	w	34.	e	64.	10
5.	f	35.	y	65.	2
6.	r	36.	c	66.	14
7.	male, female	37.	TAIL	67.	35
8.	light, heavy	38.	NEAR	68.	hospital, office
9.	optimist, pessimist	39.	1396	69.	toes, fingers
10.	work, rest	40.	3549	70.	water, sky
11.	rare, frequent	41.	1539	71.	flash, bash
12.	incline, flat	42.	DICE	72.	reward, lager
13.	<u>the night</u>	43.	HAT	73.	sett, nest
14.	Worms <u>and</u>	44.	AIR	74.	E
15.	mother <u>are</u>	45.	MEW	75.	SLIPPER
16.	but <u>Alex</u>	46.	HIP	76.	BPTOSSX
17.	will <u>end</u>	47.	ASH	77.	WAGON
18.	Get <u>into</u>	48.	NET	78.	KFHS
19.	bar, ring	49.	call	79.	PEACH
20.	ham, mock	50.	feast	80.	VPPW
21.	rain, bow	51.	diner		
22.	home, made	52.	pear		
23.	bat, her	53.	rear		
24.	wide, spread	54.	liner		
25.	MC	55.	Freddie		
26.	LR	56.	coast		
27.	GU	57.	staff		
28.	JC	58.	sink		
29.	UP	59.	bright		
30.	CS	60.	fast		

VERBAL REASONING

PAPER D

Please read the following before you start the test :-

1. Do not begin the test until you are told to do so.
2. This is a multiple choice test so you need to mark your answers on the separate answer sheets, not in this booklet.
3. Mark your answers clearly on the answer sheets using a pencil. In the column that has the same number as the question, draw a firm line clearly through the rectangle next to your answer. Do not cross out any answers – if you want to change an answer, rub it out completely and put in your new answer. Make sure that you keep your place on the answer sheet.
4. Try and answer as many questions as you can. If you cannot answer a question, do not waste time on it but go on to the next question. If you are unsure of an answer, choose the one which you think is best.
5. You can do any rough working out in this booklet.
6. Work as quickly and as carefully as you can.
7. You will have 50 minutes to complete the test.



In each question below, **one** letter can be moved from the first word to the second word making **two** new words. The order of the letters must not be changed and the new words must make sense. Find the letter that can be moved and mark it on the answer sheet.

Example: staid rip

Answer: **t** (the new words are **said** and **trip**)

1. lazed lay
2. petal fee
3. shore phase
4. wages itch
5. rifle lips
6. pearl mine

In the questions below find the **two** words which are **opposite in meaning**. Choose one word from each group. Mark the two words on the answer sheet.

Example: fast heavy exit : slow rush feast

Answer: **fast : slow**

7. male mail letter : post female envelope
8. day light night : heavy lamp weak
9. friend optician optimist : positive pessimist doctor
10. work sleep office : labour rest game
11. unusual rare sole : frequent shoe free
12. pole incline level : staff flag flat

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In each sentence below, a **four letter** word is hidden between the **end** of one word and the **beginning** of the next word. The order of the letters must not be changed. Find the pair of words containing the hidden word and mark the correct answer on your answer sheet.

Example: We think they earn enough money.

Answer: **they earn** (the hidden word is 'year')

- 13. The stars shine in the night sky.
- 14. Worms and bugs taste scrummy in soup!
- 15. Ruby and her mother are walking home.
- 16. Joe likes football, but Alex prefers rugby.
- 17. The lesson will end at four o'clock.
- 18. "Get into bed now!" cried dad.

In each question below find **two** words, **one** from each group, that together make **one** correctly spelt word. The order of the letters must not change and the word from the first group must always come first. Mark **both** words on the answer sheet.

Example: (in, give, rest) (ring, less, beg)

Answer: **restless**

- 19. (bar, turn, show) (sing, ring, rest)
- 20. (tie, ham, cow) (mock, leg, beat)
- 21. (police, rain, ice) (station, bow, cloud)
- 22. (ham, bar, home) (made, side, card)
- 23. (bat, path, flip) (purr, her, ball)
- 24. (salmon, wide, shell) (den, shone, spread)

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

In each question below, it is necessary to find the next letters in the series and mark them on your answer sheet. The alphabet above is to help you with the questions.

Example: FD GD HE IE JF (?)

Answer: KF

25. AK CN EQ GT IW KZ (?)
26. FX GW HV IU JT KS (?)
27. DG WE EC XA FY YW (?)
28. ST UR XO ZM CJ EH HE (?)
29. LJ OM KI PN IH RO FG (?)
30. BG DI GK KM PO VQ (?)

In each question below, find the **one** letter that will finish the word in front of the brackets and begin the word after the brackets. The **same** letter belongs in **both** sets of brackets. Find the letter and mark it on the answer sheet.

Example: dim (?) asy shap (?) agle

Answer: e (the four words **dime, easy, shape** and **eagle**)

31. wil (?) ast fee (?) oad
32. stea (?) ean sea (?) oral
33. fres (?) air was (?) aste
34. win (?) ase lan (?) yes
35. eas (?) ear pans (?) ell
36. dis (?) are comi (?) heat

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Below is a list of four words and three numbers. The numbers are codes for **three** of the four words, listed in a random order. Match the codes to the words and work out the answer to each of the following questions. Mark the answers on the answer sheet.

LATE	TAIL	RAIN	RANT
2396	1357	1379	

- 37. Find the word that has the number code **9352**
- 38. Find the word that has the number code **7631**
- 39. Find the code for the word **RATE**

Below are a list of four words and three numbers. The numbers are codes for **three** of the four words, listed in a random order. Match the codes to the words and work out the answer to each of the following questions. Mark the answers on the answer sheet.

DUKE	KICK	KIND	NICE
7547	1279	7531	

- 40. Find the code for the word **NICE**
- 41. Find the code for the word **DINE**
- 42. Find the word that has the number code **1549**

In each question below, the word in **CAPITALS** has had **three** letters taken out. These letters are next to each other and will make one correctly spelt word without changing the order. Insert a three letter word so the completed sentence makes sense. Mark the correct three letter word on the answer sheet.

Example: She looked at the **SS** through a telescope.

Answer: **TAR** (stars)

- 43. She can do **WEVER** she wants.
- 44. We went **UPSTS** to bed.
- 45. Finish your **HOORK** before you go out.
- 46. Maisie wanted to have fish and **CS** for her tea.
- 47. Lightning **FLED** in the sky.
- 48. Mercury is the closest **PLA** to the Sun.

In the questions below, in the first group the words in brackets are made up from the other two words in the group. The three words in the second group must go together in the same way as those in the first group. Find the word that is missing from the second group and mark it on your answer sheet.

Example: tramp (pale) field : fresh () sepal

Answer: heap

49. fish (wash) wake : bell () came
 50. cable (beach) hero : safes () term
 51. string (great) fear : friend () anew
 52. tread (ages) snag : grape () rile
 53. mask (skim) lime : hare () harp
 54. timer (means) nails : relit () enter

55. Bobby, Carla, Freddie, Kitty and Ruby all have their birthdays in the same week during the month of March, but all on different days.

Freddie is not the first to have his birthday.

Bobby's birthday is on the last day of March and is the day after Ruby's birthday.

Carla is the first to have her birthday which is on 27th March which is two days before Kitty's birthday.

Whose birthday falls on 28th March?

In each question below, one word is similar in meaning to the words in both sets of brackets. Find the word and mark it on your answer sheet.

Example: (sort type) (generous caring)

Answer: kind

56. (glide drift) (seashore beach)
 57. (workers employees) (cane stick)
 58. (basin bowl) (drop submerge)
 59. (clever intelligent) (shiny glowing)
 60. (quick rapid) (starve famish)
 61. (clock timepiece) (observe look)

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In each question below, the equations must balance. Find the number that will correctly complete the sum and mark it on your answer sheet.

Example: $9 + 6 = 22 - ?$

Answer: 7

62. $4 + 8 + 3 = 1 \times 5 \times ?$

63. $4 \times 4 \times 2 = 2 \times 2 \times 6 + ?$

64. $4 \div 2 \times 3 = 2 \times 8 - ?$

65. $15 \div 5 + 1 = 12 \div 2 \div 3 + ?$

66. $5 \div 5 \times 7 - 3 = 4 \times 4 + 2 - ?$

67. $12 \times 3 + 9 - 5 = 25 \div 5 + ?$

In each question below, in the two groups of words, the words in bold type are related to one of the words in the brackets in the same way. Find the **two** words, **one** from each group, which will complete the sentence in the best way and mark **both** words on the answer sheet.

Example: house is to (man, car, horse) as sty is to (eye, cat, pig)

Answer: man : pig

68. doctor is to (nurse, hospital, patient) as secretary is to (office, manager, typing)

69. foot is to (toes, nails, ten) as hand is to (fingers, two, wave)

70. swim is to (dive, water, fish) as fly is to (be, sky, ground)

71. flag is to (flash, wave, surrender) as bag is to (school, hold, bash)

72. drawer is to (table, reward, clothes) as regal is to (lager, queen, king)

73. badger is to (sett, stripy, nocturnal) as bird is to (flying, pigeon, nest)

74. Pippa, Mary, James, Rory and Jessica collect stamps.

Pippa's collection consists of 52 stamps from Great Britain. Mary has collected 98 stamps from five different countries.

James and Rory have only got stamps from America, Germany and Great Britain.

Jessica has only got stamps from America, Great Britain, France and Spain.

If these statements are true, only one of the sentences below **must** be true. Mark the correct statement on your answer sheet.

- A. James and Rory have collected the same number of stamps.
- B. James is the only person to have stamps from America.
- C. Rory has collected 15 more stamps than James.
- D. Pippa has collected more stamps than Mary.
- E. Mary has collected stamps from more countries than any of the other children.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

In the questions below, a different code is required for each question. It is necessary to work out the correct code for the first part of the question and then find the answer to the second part. Mark the answer on the answer sheet. The alphabet is here to help you with these questions.

Example: If the code for **SEAL** is **UGCN**, what is the code for **CALF**?

Answer: **ECNH**

- 75. If the code for **JUMPER** is **ITLODQ**,
what does **RKHOODQ** mean?
- 76. If the code for **CAPITAL** is **BBOJSBK**,
what is the code for **COUNTRY**?
- 77. If the code for **TRAIN** is **UTDMS**,
what does **XCJSS** mean?
- 78. If the code for **LIFT** is **ORUG**,
what is the code for **PUSH**?
- 79. If the code for **APPLE** is **BRQNF**,
what does **QGBEI** mean?
- 80. If the code for **HAIL** is **KCJL**,
what is the code for **SNOW**?

END OF TEST

Verbal Reasoning Paper D

Pupil's Name

Date of Test

School Name

DATE OF BIRTH

PUPIL NUMBER					
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[1]	[1]	[1]	[1]	[1]	[1]
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[9]	[9]	[9]	[9]	[9]	[9]

SCHOOL NUMBER					
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Day	Month	Year
[0]	[0]	January
[1]	[1]	February
[2]	[2]	March
[3]	[3]	April
	[4]	May
	[5]	June
	[6]	July
	[7]	August
	[8]	September
	[9]	October
		November
		December

Example

s	☐
t	☐
a	☐
i	☐
d	☐

1

l	☐
a	☐
z	☐
e	☐
d	☐

2

p	☐
e	☐
t	☐
a	☐
l	☐

3

s	☐
h	☐
o	☐
r	☐
e	☐

4

w	☐
a	☐
g	☐
e	☐
s	☐

5

r	☐
i	☐
f	☐
l	☐
e	☐

6

p	☐
e	☐
a	☐
r	☐
l	☐

Example

fast	☐	slow	☐
heavy	☐	rush	☐
exit	☐	feast	☐

7

male	☐	post	☐
mail	☐	female	☐
letter	☐	envelope	☐

8

day	☐	heavy	☐
light	☐	lamp	☐
night	☐	weak	☐

9

friend	☐	positive	☐
optician	☐	pessimist	☐
optimist	☐	doctor	☐

10

work	☐	labour	☐
sleep	☐	rest	☐
office	☐	game	☐

11

unusual	☐	frequent	☐
rare	☐	shoe	☐
sole	☐	free	☐

12

pole	☐	staff	☐
incline	☐	flag	☐
level	☐	flat	☐

Example

We think	☐
think they	☐
they earn	☐
earn enough	☐
enough money	☐

13

The stars	☐
stars shine	☐
shine in	☐
in the	☐
the night	☐

14

Worms and	☐
and bugs	☐
bugs taste	☐
taste scrummy	☐
in soup	☐

15

Ruby and	☐
and her	☐
her mother	☐
mother are	☐
walking home	☐

16

Joe likes	☐
likes football	☐
but Alex	☐
Alex prefers	☐
prefers rugby	☐

17

The lesson	☐
lesson will	☐
will end	☐
end at	☐
at four	☐

18

"Get into	☐
into bed	☐
bed now	☐
now!" cried	☐
cried Dad	☐

Example

in	☐	ring	☐
give	☐	less	☐
rest	☐	beg	☐

19

bar	☐	sing	☐
turn	☐	ring	☐
show	☐	rest	☐

20

tie	☐	mock	☐
ham	☐	leg	☐
cow	☐	beat	☐

21

police	☐	station	☐
rain	☐	bow	☐
ice	☐	cloud	☐

22

ham	☐	made	☐
bar	☐	side	☐
home	☐	card	☐

23

bat	☐	purr	☐
path	☐	her	☐
flip	☐	ball	☐

24

salmon	☐	den	☐
wide	☐	shone	☐
shell	☐	spread	☐

Example

HG	☐
JF	☐
GP	☐
KG	☐
KF	☐

25

NC	☐
MC	☐
MM	☐
NB	☐
MB	☐

26

LS	☐
RL	☐
LR	☐
LT	☐
JT	☐

27

ZU	☐
WG	☐
GU	☐
GV	☐
ZV	☐

28

JD	☐
BP	☐
KB	☐
KD	☐
JC	☐

29

BP	☐
UP	☐
RQ	☐
UQ	☐
SP	☐

30

CS	☐
XS	☐
CX	☐
YT	☐
CT	☐

Example
s ☐
e ☐
b ☐
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31
t ☐
p ☐
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l ☐
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e ☐
g ☐
y ☐

36
h ☐
s ☐
t ☐
c ☐
w ☐

37
TAIL ☐
LATE ☐
RAIL ☐
TALE ☐
TEAL ☐

38
NEAT ☐
LARE ☐
NAIL ☐
NEAR ☐
RANT ☐

39
1392 ☐
1396 ☐
9623 ☐
2396 ☐
1293 ☐

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3459 ☐
1247 ☐
3435 ☐
3549 ☐
4935 ☐

41
9276 ☐
1576 ☐
7549 ☐
3541 ☐
1539 ☐

42
DINE ☐
KINK ☐
DICE ☐
NICK ☐
DUCK ☐

Example
CAP ☐
CAR ☐
TAP ☐
TAR ☐
TOP ☐

43
HAT ☐
HEN ☐
WAS ☐
HOT ☐
HIT ☐

44
EAR ☐
AIR ☐
ART ☐
EAT ☐
ATE ☐

45
MAT ☐
PAR ☐
MEW ☐
PAL ☐
LIP ☐

46
HIP ☐
HOP ☐
PIT ☐
ALL ☐
WAS ☐

47
ASH ☐
ILL ☐
OLD ☐
AIL ☐
EEL ☐

48
NOT ☐
ATE ☐
ACE ☐
ANT ☐
NET ☐

Example
heap ☐
lap ☐
peal ☐
peel ☐
nape ☐

49
meal ☐
call ☐
ball ☐
cell ☐
male ☐

50
feast ☐
fears ☐
tears ☐
teams ☐
fares ☐

51
winner ☐
dined ☐
wined ☐
diner ☐
finer ☐

52
page ☐
peer ☐
pear ☐
gear ☐
peal ☐

53
hear ☐
reap ☐
rear ☐
rare ☐
heap ☐

54
tiler ☐
liner ☐
litre ☐
mitre ☐
inert ☐

55
Bobby ☐
Carla ☐
Freddie ☐
Kitty ☐
Ruby ☐

Example
mean ☐
open ☐
manage ☐
kind ☐
organise ☐

56
sand ☐
slide ☐
water ☐
coast ☐
skate ☐

57
rod ☐
labourer ☐
branch ☐
office ☐
staff ☐

58
sink ☐
dish ☐
release ☐
bath ☐
bathe ☐

59
academic ☐
metal ☐
light ☐
bright ☐
know ☐

60
slow ☐
fast ☐
hunger ☐
swift ☐
stays ☐

61
saw ☐
notice ☐
ticker ☐
chest ☐
watch ☐

Example
6 ☐
7 ☐
8 ☐
9 ☐
10 ☐

62
3 ☐
5 ☐
7 ☐
9 ☐
11 ☐

63
6 ☐
7 ☐
8 ☐
9 ☐
10 ☐

64
1 ☐
4 ☐
7 ☐
10 ☐
13 ☐

65
2 ☐
3 ☐
6 ☐
8 ☐
12 ☐

66
8 ☐
10 ☐
12 ☐
14 ☐
16 ☐

67
3 ☐
13 ☐
25 ☐
31 ☐
35 ☐

Example
man ☐
car ☐
horse ☐

eye ☐
cat ☐
pig ☐

68
nurse ☐
hospital ☐
patient ☐

office ☐
manager ☐
typing ☐

69
toes ☐
nails ☐
ten ☐

fingers ☐
two ☐
wave ☐

70
dive ☐
water ☐
fish ☐

be ☐
sky ☐
ground ☐

71
flash ☐
wave ☐
surrender ☐

school ☐
hold ☐
bash ☐

72
table ☐
reward ☐
clothes ☐

lager ☐
queen ☐
king ☐

73
sett ☐
stripy ☐
nocturnal ☐

flying ☐
pigeon ☐
nest ☐

74
A ☐
B ☐
C ☐
D ☐
E ☐

Example
ECNH ☐
AYJD ☐
FCNH ☐
ECHN ☐
EDNH ☐

75
SLOPPED ☐
SLITHER ☐
WHIPPED ☐
SLIPPER ☐
WHETHER ☐

76
BPTOSSX ☐
BNTMSQX ☐
BPVOUSZ ☐
DPVOUSZ ☐
DNVUQZ ☐

77
WAGER ☐
WAGON ☐
YEARS ☐
YOURS ☐
WOULD ☐

78
KFHS ☐
SXVK ☐
MRPE ☐
SFHK ☐
KSFH ☐

79
REACH ☐
PEARS ☐
PEACH ☐
REAPS ☐
RICES ☐

80
VWWP ☐
VPWP ☐
VPWW ☐
VWPP ☐
VPPW ☐