



Colorado Heritage Education School System

Standardized Testing Service

Spring 2010

General Information



CHES provides standardized testing for its members and Colorado home school families using the Iowa Test of Basic Skills (ITBS) form A for grades 3 through 8 and the Iowa Test of Educational Development (ITED) form A for grades 9 through 12. Testing will be offered in

four locations: Reformation Baptist Church in Greeley, Timberline Church in Fort Collins, Gateway Baptist church in Loveland, and Conifer Community Church in Conifer.

Test Format Information

The Core Battery fulfills CHES's testing requirements as well as the state home school law requirements. The core battery covers reading comprehension, language skills (spelling, vocabulary, capitalization, punctuation, usage and expression), and mathematics.

The Complete Battery (used to be the Science and Social Studies portion of the test) is not required. This additional battery tests students in science, social studies, and study skills. Students must be signed up for the Core Battery in order to take this portion of the test.

Scoring—All tests administered during the spring test session will be sent to Riverside Publishing for scoring. CHES will be ordering the achievement and ability assessments to provide you with the most detailed breakdown of each sub-test. Scores will be mailed to you by the first week of June.

Personal Evaluations - CHES will be making personal evaluations available at a reduced price during the Greeley, Loveland, and Fort Collins test sessions for those who would like to utilize that option instead of the standardized test. A personal evaluation consists of an evaluator looking at work samples in reading, writing, and mathematics from the beginning and ending of the academic year to assess progress. A few un-timed work-tasks are given in those three areas at the evaluation. There is a separate registration form for the personal evaluations. Personal Evaluation are available only in Greeley, Loveland and Fort Collins.

Testing Dates Overview *

Greeley: April 12-14
 Fort Collins: April 19-20
 Conifer: April 22
 Loveland: April 26-28

(*For more information about specific times and locations please see the other side of this form.)



Fees and Ordering Information

CHES has payment plans available for families who are registering more than one student. Fees must be paid in full one week before test date in order to participate in the test session. If you need a payment plan, please enclose a \$35 deposit with your registration and you will be mailed an invoice for the remaining amount due.

There is a limited number of available spaces for each of the test sessions. CHES, AGAPE, & HUG members are given priority and sessions are filled on a first come, first served basis.

Registration Fees			
Registration Deadline: March 12, 2010			
Test Type	CHES/ HUG/ Agape Members	Non- Members	After March 12
Core Battery	\$35	\$45	Add \$10
Core + Complete Battery	\$45	\$55	Add \$10
Personal Evaluation	\$50	\$60	Add \$10
Please mail your registration form to: 1300 9th St. Greeley, CO 80631			
Make checks payable to CHES			

Greeley		
Reformation Baptist Church 1300 Ninth Street, Greeley		
Monday, April 12	9:00-11:30	Core Battery part I Grades 3-12
	1:00-3:30	Core Battery part I Grades 3-12
Tuesday, April 13	9:00-11:30	Core Battery part II Grades 3-12
	1:00-3:30	Core Battery part II Grades 3-12
Wednesday, April 14	9:00-11:30	Complete Battery Grades 3-12 (additional tests to the Core Battery)

Loveland		
Gateway Baptist Church 325 South Taft Ave. Loveland		
Monday, April 26	9:30-12:00	Core Battery part I Grades 3-12
Tuesday, April 27	9:30-12:00	Core Battery part II Grades 3-12
Wednesday, April 28	9:30-12:00	Complete Battery Grades 3-12 (additional tests to the Core Battery)

Fort Collins		
Timberline Church 2908 S. Timberline Rd. Fort Collins		
Monday, April 19	9:30-12:00	Core Battery part I Grades 3-12
Tuesday, April 20	9:30-12:00	Core Battery part II Grades 3-12
Tuesday, April 20	1:00-3:30	Complete Battery Grades 3-12 (additional tests to the Core Battery)

Conifer		
Conifer Community Church 9998 S. Havekost Rd. Conifer		
Thursday April 22	9:30- 12:00	Core Battery part I Grades 3-12
	1:00-3:30	Core Battery part II Grades 3-12

Personal Evaluation Schedule	
Location	Date(s)
Greeley	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, April 12-14
Fort Collins	Tuesday, April 27
Loveland	Monday, Tuesday, April 19-20

Test Registration Form - Order by March 12, 2010						
Family name:		Father's name:		Mother's name:		
Address:						
City, State, Zip:						
Home phone:		Cell:		Email:		
Test Location (mark one) <input type="checkbox"/> Greeley <input type="checkbox"/> Conifer <input type="checkbox"/> Fort Collins <input type="checkbox"/> Loveland				Greeley Only select preference Morning/ Afternoon	We are members of CHESS, HUG, or AGAPE <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
Student's Name	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	Grade Level	Test Format (choose one)	AM	PM	Amount
			<input type="checkbox"/> Core Battery <input type="checkbox"/> Core + Complete Battery			Amount Enclosed
			<input type="checkbox"/> Core Battery <input type="checkbox"/> Core + Complete Battery			
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Address:						
City, State, Zip:						
Home phone:		Cell:		Email:		
Test Location (mark one) <input type="checkbox"/> Greeley <input type="checkbox"/> Fort Collins <input type="checkbox"/> Loveland				Greeley/Fort Collins Only select preference Morning/ Afternoon	We are members of CHESS, HUG, or AGAPE <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
Student's Name	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	Grade Level	Choose day of week (See test days above)	AM	PM	Amount
						Amount Enclosed
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