

## Verizon Life Span Literacy Matrix: Elementary School Literacy Measures

### **Test — Woodcock Johnson III NU Complete**

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**Purpose** — WJ III NU provides a comprehensive system for measuring general intellectual ability, specific cognitive abilities, scholastic aptitude, oral language, and academic achievement.

**Population** — The WJ III NU assesses individuals from 2 – 90+ years of age, kindergarten to graduate school.

**Time** — Test times for the WJ III Nu varies, about 5 minutes per test.

### **Description**

The WJ III NU provides tools and procedure for integration of norm-referenced academic and cognitive measures

### **Benefits**

The WJ III NU has expanded depth and coverage. The achievement battery has seven additional tests and eight additional clusters and the cognitive battery has eight additional tests and five additional clusters. It may be used to diagnose learning disabilities, determine discrepancies, plan educational program and plan individual programs.

### **Validity/Reliability**

The WJ III NU is a highly accurate and valid diagnostic system because the two batteries were co-normed and abased on a single sample. Most of the WJ III NU tests show strong reliabilities of .80 or higher; several are .90 or higher.

### **Cost**

Achievement Battery, Forms A and B - \$530 each  
Complete Battery - \$1153.25

### **Source**

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