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Jonah's Cognitive Score Changes

Cognitive Function	3 Year Progress
Perceptual reasoning (ability to make sense of what is observed)	Went from 1^{st} %ile (an IQ of 66) to 47^{th} %ile (an IQ of 97). Jonah <u><i>changed</i></u> the ability of his brain to process and reason with visual information.
Matrix reasoning (ability to discover patterns with visual designs)	Went from 9 th %ile to 63 rd %ile
Picture concepts (ability to recognize similar visual concepts)	Went from 5 th %ile to 63 rd %ile
Block design (ability to measure spatial awareness)	Went from 1 st %ile to 16 th %ile
Visual-motor integration (Beery-Buktenica developmental test)	Went from 12 th %ile to 50 th %ile
Writing samples (Woodcock-Johnson Tests of Achievement)	Went from 6 th %ile to 74 th %ile

James' Cognitive Score Changes

Test	Description	2004	2007
Visual motor integration BEERY	Cognitive skills required for printing and copying	10 th %ile (low)	55 th %ile (average)
Processing speed WISC	Cognitive skills required for speed of copying and printing	12 th %ile (low)	45 th %ile (Average)
Phonemic awareness WJC-R subtest	Measure of language development and awareness of phonics	1st %ile (low)	28 th %ile (average)
Verbal intelligence WISC	Knowledge of word meanings, ability to expressive this knowledge	4 th %ile (low)	26 th %ile (low average)
Sound blending WJC-R	Ability to hear sound	1 st %ile (low)	32 nd %ile (average)
Concept formation WJC-R	Fluid reasoning and concept formation	4 th %ile (low)	25 th %ile (Average)
Nonverbal intelligence	Measure of abstract reasoning ability	32 nd %ile (low average)	58 th %ile (average.)

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Test	Description	2004	2007
Woodcock-Johnson cognitive efficiency	Capacity of cognitive system to process information automatically, including processing speed and short- term memory.	6 th %ile	65 th %ile (Average)
Woodcock-Johnson Reading fluency	Reading achievement	16 th %ile	46 th %ile (Average)
Woodcock-Johnson Writing fluency	Writing achievement	17 th %ile	30 th %ile (Average)

Matt's Cognitive Score Changes

Test	Description	2004	2007
BEERY	Cognitive skills required for printing and copying	6 th %ile	34 th %ile (Average)
WISC - Coding	Cognitive skills required for speed of copying and printing	5 th %ile	75 th %ile (Average)
Woodcock-Johnson Verbal Ability	Measure of language development and ability to retrieve words from memory	67 th %ile	94 th %ile (Superior)
WISC – Vocabulary	Knowledge of word meanings, ability to expressive this knowledge	63 rd %ile	91 st %ile (Superior)
WISC – Processing Speed	Reflects attention and speed of visual processing	26 th %ile	66 th %ile (Average)
Test of Nonverbal Intelligence – 3rd	Measure of abstract reasoning ability	50 th %ile	88 th %ile (High Average)

3 Case Studies Conducted by Howard Eaton 2004 Eaton Learning Centre

Pre and Post Tested 3 Arrowsmith students after one, two and three years in the Arrowsmith Program

Test Measure: Woodcock-Johnson III Cognitive and Achievement Tests

What were the improvements:

- Faster cognitive efficiency
- Improved visual-motor integration
- Improved visual-perceptual functioning
- Improved auditory processing for speech sounds and discourse
- Improved semantic knowledge
- Improved achievement skills

Student One: 8 year old boy - 3 years in Arrowsmith Program			
Woodcock-Johnson III	Score in 2000	Score in 2004	
Working Memory for Numbers	2 nd %ile	43 rd %ile	
Visual-Motor Copying Speed	5 th %ile	50 th %ile	
Visual Processing Speed	12 th %ile	45 th %ile	
Academic Fluency – Reading Speed;	Below grade level	At grade level	
Writing Speed; Math Calculation	expectation	expectation	
Speed			
Math Calculation Skills	1 st %ile	62 nd %ile	

Student One: 8 year old boy - 3 years in Arrowsmith Program

Student Two: 12 year old girl - 2 years in Arrowsmith Program

Woodcock-Johnson III	Score in 1999	Score in 2003
Visual-Spatial Awareness	11 th %ile	Average
Working Memory	4 th %ile	Average
Visual Processing Speed	38 th %ile	90 th %ile

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Student Three. To year old gill - T year in Anowshith Program			
Woodcock-Johnson III	Score in 2001	Score in 2004	
Writing Fluency	2 nd %ile	53 rd %ile	
Math Fluency	28 th %ile	75 th %ile	
Visual Auditory Learning	4 th %ile	61 st %ile	
Cognitive Efficiency	18 th %ile	64 th %ile	
WISC Non Verbal IQ	8 th %ile	Average	

Student Three: 18 year old girl - 1 year in Arrowsmith Program