



Comprehensive Psychological Assessment

A comprehensive psychological assessment may be required when a child is suspected of having underlying learning difficulties. Assessments of learning difficulties can be intricate and complex in nature. The aim of an assessment is to unravel what may be preventing a child from learning to their full potential and to identify strengths and weaknesses. An assessment will also make recommendations for future intervention.

At Cassidy Psychology a full psychological assessment for a child or adolescent involves the following:

1. Parent Initial Consultation – 50 minutes
2. Cognitive (IQ) Assessment – 90-120 minutes
3. Academic/Functional Assessment – 90-120 minutes
4. Liaison with teachers and other health professionals as required
5. Report Preparation – 120 minutes
6. Parent Feedback Consultation – 30 minutes (phone or in person)

Please note:

- Medicare or private health insurance funds typically do not offer a rebate for psychological assessments.
- In situations where previous psychometric testing has been completed, it may not be appropriate to undertake all of the above steps and the price will be adjusted accordingly.
- In some situations further assessment may be required and this will incur additional costs. This will be done in consultation with you.

Please phone our reception on 6381 0071 to discuss the unique needs for your child's assessment and the associated fee.

Current rate: \$1500 (as of October 2017).

