Introducing the Wechsler Intelligence Scale for Children® – Fifth UK Edition, the latest version of the most powerful cognitive ability measure ever. WISC–VUK delivers more flexibility and more content, and has been redesigned to give you a truly comprehensive picture of a child's abilities. And now it is even more efficient.

Visual Puzzles: A new Visual Spatial subtest that measures the ability to analyse and synthesise information. Within a specified time limit, the child views a completed puzzle and selects three response options that, when combined, reconstruct the puzzle.

Figure Weights: A new Fluid Reasoning subtest that measures quantitative reasoning and induction. Within a specified time limit, the child views a scale with missing weight(s) and selects the response option that keeps the scale balanced.

Picture Span: A new Working Memory subtest that measures visual working memory. The child views a stimulus page of one or more pictures for a specified time and then selects the picture(s) (in sequential order, if possible) from options on a response page.

More clinically useful and with greater critical insights

The WISC®–VUK gives you flexibility and interpretive power, along with access to more subtests, so you get a broader view of a child's cognitive abilities. New subtests are targeted to common referral questions for children such as the presence of a specific learning disability; and special clinical situations such as evaluations of children who are English language learners.

New primary subtests

Three new primary subtests extend the content coverage of the WISC-VUK and increase its practical applications. These include:

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With Q-interactive®, you can access an entire library of subtests: anytime, anywhere, and even add or remove subtests during a testing session.
Faster and easier than ever before!

The WISC®–VUK offers deeper perspectives on a child’s WISC–VUK performance through a variety of interpretive enhancements. Plus, you get increased construct coverage without increasing testing time. So you get more insights and a more efficient, developmentally appropriate measure—and still have time to assess other domains of interest.

More interpretive power

• WISC–VUK has been linked with the WIAT-IIIUK through a sample of children who were administered both tests, to support more flexible evaluation of specific learning disabilities and two major approaches to specific learning disability identification: pattern of strengths and weaknesses analyses.
• Expanded score analysis approach highlights index and subtest-level strength and weaknesses analyses.
• Separate visual spatial and fluid reasoning composite scores results in greater interpretive clarity.
• Selection of process scores has been greatly expanded to enhance the depth of interpretation and understanding of performance.

More efficient and user-friendly

• Efficiently produce all primary index scores.
• Significantly reduced testing time to obtain the FSIQ.
• Simplified instructions with reduced vocabulary level, shorter discontinue rules, and refined scoring criteria.

“[The WISC-VUK] promises to be a worthy successor to the previous version with an interesting and engaging range of activities which will provide a wealth of data to assist professionals.”
R Pierson, AfBPsS C.Psychol