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Thinking Skills for Selective Exam Course (face-to-face)

We are thrilled to introduce a new "Thinking Skills for Selective Exam" Course for our students. This course has been specially designed to foster the development of problem-solving and critical thinking abilities, equipping our students with the necessary skills for success in their academic journey and ultimately, for the selective school exam.



Course Highlights:

- ✚ **Develop Critical Thinking Skills:** The course is dedicated to empowering students with the confidence and creativity to confront challenges head-on. Our dedicated teacher will guide students through engaging activities and exercises, nurturing their proficiency as critical thinkers.
- ✚ **Effective Problem Solving:** Students will learn valuable problem-solving techniques, enabling them to navigate complex issues across various subjects.
- ✚ **Analytical Thinking:** We'll encourage students to analyse, evaluate, and derive reasoned conclusions from the information they encounter, fostering confidence in their thinking skills.
- ✚ **Ideal for preparing for the Selective School Thinking Skills Test:** The course is open to Year 4 and 5 students who are aiming for the selective school placement and will cover essential topics to equip them with the necessary knowledge for the thing skills test.

Course Timetable:

Students can attend the class once per week. Each session is 2 hours long as below.

Course Name	Session	Class Time	Class Location
Thinking Skills for Selective Exam	Saturday MC	10:00am - 12:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
	Saturday AC	1:00pm - 3:10pm	
	Thursday	5:00pm - 7:10pm	Strathfield Head Office

- The above timetable and class location* may be subject to change depending on the number of enrolments and available classrooms.

Weekly Lesson Plan:

With a comprehensive focus on preparing them for the selective school exam thinking skills component, the course will cover a diverse array of essential topics as below.

Week	Critical Thinking	Problem Solving
Week 1	Assessing the impact of additional evidence: Analysing Arguments	Finding procedures: Mixed number operations
Week 2	Assessing the impact of additional evidence: Identifying strengths & weakness	Finding procedures: Number concepts, Identifying weaknesses
Week 3	Detect reasoning errors: Analogies and Anecdotes	Finding procedures: Simple number operations
Week 4	Detect reasoning errors: Analysing argument	Finding procedures: Table
Week 5	Detect reasoning errors: Making conclusions	Finding procedures: Verbal data processing
Week 6	Drawing a conclusion: Making conclusions	Identifying similarity: Arrangement
Week 7	Drawing a conclusion – Similar premises	Identifying similarity: Table & Graph
Week 8	Identifying assumption: Multiple conclusions	Identifying similarity: Making conclusions –Code
Week 9	Identifying assumption: Recognising Implicit Assumptions	Relevant selections: Graph
Week 10	Matching arguments: Making Conclusions	Relevant selections: Verbal data processing

Don't miss out on this opportunity to give your child the competitive edge they need for the thinking skills section of the selective school exam.

2023 Term 4 Thinking Skills for Selective Exam Course – Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Early Bird Payment Discount Offer* (by 25-Sep-23)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 13-Oct-23)
Thinking Skills for Selective Exam	Sat	07-Oct	\$ 55	10	\$ 100	\$ 650	\$595	\$ 622.50
	Thu	12-Oct	\$ 55	10	\$ 100	\$ 650	\$595	\$ 622.50

- **Early Bird Payment Discount Offer*** is valid for **full** term payments by Monday, **5pm, 25th September 2023**.
- **Full Term Enrolment Offer**** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 13th October 2023**.
- The scholarship and sibling discounts do **not** apply to the thinking skills course,
- **Additional surcharge** will apply to all credit card payments. We only accept VISA and Mastercard.
- **Online Payment** is available on Cyberschool for all fees **except** sibling discounts. Check the instructions [HERE](#).