

# Academically or Intellectually Gifted 2022-2023

Thomasville City Schools





# CogAT- Universal Screener

Purpose of Assessment: The Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT) appraises the cognitive development of students by

measuring students' learned reasoning abilities in the three symbol systems most closely related to success in school:

Verbal reasoning, Quantitative reasoning and Nonverbal reasoning. Scores are used for 3 primary purposes:

- 1. To guide efforts to adapt instruction to the needs and abilities of students.
- 2. To provide a measure of each student's level of cognitive development that captures important information not
  - represented in school grades or in other measures of school achievement.
- 3. To identify students whose predicted levels of achievement are markedly discrepant from their observed levels of
  - achievement.



# Pathway 1: Intellectually Gifted (IG)

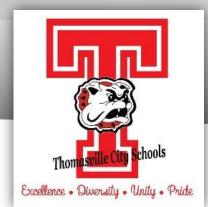
### Must meet 1 of the 3 criteria

Intellectually Gifted (Aptitude Only)

- Aptitude Test: 95th percentile or above on Composite (Reading and Math)
- Aptitude Test: 95th percentile or above Verbal Subtest (Reading Only)
- ☐ Aptitude Test: 95th percentile or above Nonverbal or Quantitative Subtests (Math Only)

Aptitude Tests: CogAT, Naglieri, or OLSAT





## Pathway 2: Academically and Intellectually Gifted (AIG)

#### Must meet both criteria

Academically and Intellectually Gifted (Aptitude and Achievement)

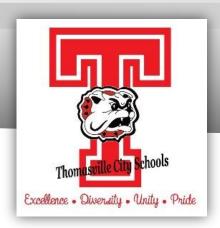
- Aptitude Test: 90th percentile or above on any subtest or Composite (Reading and Math)
- Achievement Test: 90th percentile or above on any reading or math achievement test



## Pathway 3: Academically Gifted (AG)

#### Must meet 2 of the 3 criteria

- Academically Gifted (Aptitude, Achievement, Student Performance)
- ☐ Aptitude Test: 85th percentile or above on subtest or Composite
- Achievement Test: 85th percentile or above on Reading or Math EOG
- Student Performance: If performance criteria is used, any 1 of the 3 options below is sufficient for placement.
  - Classroom Observations: 30+ on Observation Checklist
  - ☐ Grades: 85 average or above in Reading (2 most recent grading periods
    - Grades: 85 average or above in Math (2 most recent grading periods)
  - Performance Tasks: Teachers will provide student work products as evidence of advanced student performance.



## Fall AIG Headcount

NCDPI AIG Headcount Total 151

4th Grade = 8

5th Grade = 18

6th Grade = 12

7th Grade = 24

8th Grade = 11

9th Grade = 22

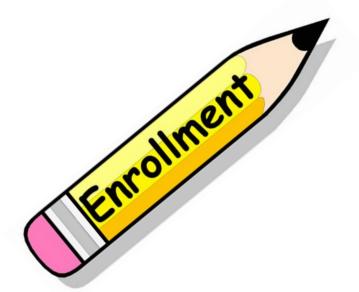
10th Grade = 21

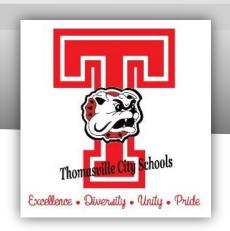
11th Grade = 19

12th Grade = 16

30 students equal a subgroup









NCAGT will be in Winston-Salem, NC on March 2 & 3, 2023

Thursday, March 2nd and Friday, March 3rd

AIG Lead Teachers from each school registered to attend