

## **Take the Test for Ten**

### **October Promotion Details**

The Tidewater Mensa Executive Committee has chosen to repeat the successful Take the Test for Ten Promotion that we conducted in July. If you have one or two friends or loved ones with strong Mensa potential who are interested in joining, please send one e-mail per friend to [testing@tidewater.us.mensa.org](mailto:testing@tidewater.us.mensa.org) at your earliest convenience. You should provide your friend's name and contact information, as well as your own name and membership number, and your friend should be CCed on the e-mail as well.

This \$10 testing promotion is limited to 25 applicants, and e-mails ideally should be received by October 1<sup>st</sup> for best consideration. The slots will be filled in a fair manner, giving precedence based upon the order in which the e-mails were received, though while also attempting to distribute the slots among the most members possible.

Keep in mind that, in honor of Mensa Testing Day on the 21<sup>st</sup>, testing for the entire month of October is only \$30 to begin with. Therefore, even if we run out of the \$10 slots, October is still a good time to get new people in the door at a discounted rate.

But wait! There's more! We are still offering a partial dues reimbursement of up to \$40 (not to exceed actual joining cost) for any new members who join our local group via either testing or score submission – making it all that much more of a great deal for those wish to join our ranks in the immediate future.

We currently have two public testing events scheduled for October. The first test will be at 2pm on Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, at the Willow Oaks Library in Hampton. Another test will be at 2pm on Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, tentatively at the Lafayette Library in Norfolk. Additionally, for the benefit of those for whom English is not their primary tongue, we will also be conducting the Culture Fair Battery one day in late October by special appointment only. Testing takes approximately two hours.

As a reminder, the purpose of this promotion is to grow the ranks of the Tidewater group. As such, the Take the Test for Ten Promotion is limited to those local to our immediate area and/or military personnel currently deployed here. Additionally, since the \$10 tests are being subsidized by the local group's treasury, we would graciously request that you try to limit your nominations to those friends who actually are likely to join Mensa upon passing the test, rather than sponsoring those who might be taking it just for fun.

Please address any additional questions to [testing@tidewater.us.mensa.org](mailto:testing@tidewater.us.mensa.org).