

# 2019 IAR testing at Crestwood School

## Test-Taking Tips

- Read all of the instructions carefully.** Read each question carefully. Don't be afraid to ask your teacher for clarification.
- On multiple choice questions,** be sure and read through all of the available answers before making your choice, even if you think you know the correct answer.
- Not sure which choice is correct?** Try to eliminate all of the answers that you know are incorrect to narrow down your possible choices.
- Another way to determine the answer to a difficult question is to look for clues within the wording of the question itself.** Reread difficult questions and highlight important words or phrases.
- If you get stuck on a question, don't spend too much time on it.** Skip the question and go back to it later; there may be questions in another section of the test that could jog your memory and provide more clues.
- Proofread essay and short answer questions.** Make sure your answer makes sense. Check your grammar and spelling.
- When you have finished your test use any leftover time to review all of your answers.** Check for careless mistakes or anything you might have skipped. Reread questions to ensure you haven't misunderstood or misread anything.

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