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For all users of the child version of the “Reading the Mind in the Eyes” Test.

Enclosed you will find

- the child version of the above test
- correct answers
- a copy of the paper describing the test in full

The revised adult version was first reported in the Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry, 42, 241-252. The child eyes test paper was first published in the Journal of Developmental and Learning Disorders, (2001) 5, 47-78.

We would, of course, appreciate hearing of any results you obtain with this test.

Thank you.

Best wishes

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Children's Eyes Instructions

In this folder I've got lots of pictures of people's eyes. Each picture has four words round it. I want you to look carefully at the picture and then choose the word that best describes what the person in the picture is thinking or feeling. Let's have a go with this one (*practice item*). Look at this person. Do you think he is feeling jealous, scared, relaxed or hate (*point to words as they are read*)? *Make sure child picks one of the options and give encouraging feedback without revealing whether they are right or wrong.*

OK, let's have a go at the rest of them. You might find some of them quite easy and some of them quite hard, so don't worry if it's not always easy to choose the best word. I'll read all the words for you so you don't need to worry about that. If you really can't choose the best word, you can have a guess. *Proceed with the test items in exactly the same way as the practice item.*

answers

M	P	jealous	scared	relaxed	hate
F	1	hate	surprised	kind	cross
F	2	unkind	cross	surprised	sad
M	3	friendly	sad	surprised	worried
M	4	relaxed	upset	surprised	excited
M	5	feeling sorry	making somebody do something	joking	relaxed
M	6	hate	unkind	worried	bored
M	7	feeling sorry	bored	interested	joking
M	8	remembering	happy	friendly	angry
F	9	annoyed	hate	surprised	thinking about something
M	10	kind	shy	not believing	sad
M	11	bossy	hoping	angry	disgusted
M	12	confused	joking	sad	serious
F	13	thinking about something	upset	excited	happy
M	14	happy	thinking about something	excited	kind
F	15	not believing	friendly	wanting to play	relaxed
F	16	made up her mind	joking	surprised	bored
F	17	angry	friendly	unkind	a bit worried
M	18	thinking about something sad	angry	bossy	friendly
F	19	angry	daydreaming	sad	interested
M	20	kind	surprise	not pleased	excited
F	21	interested	joking	relaxed	happy
F	22	playful	kind	surprised	thinking about something
F	23	surprised	sure about something	joking	happy
M	24	serious	ashamed	confused	surprised
M	25	shy	guilty	daydreaming	worried
F	26	joking	relaxed	nervous	sorry
M	27	ashamed	excited	not believing	pleased
M	28	disgust	hate	happy	bored