

## Standardized Testing-Iowa Tests

While it is not required in the state of Illinois, many homeschool families choose to participate in testing as a means to check on the progress of their students. Testing them also gives them the opportunity to experience the "testing environment" prior to taking college entrance exams.

For several years, Heritage has proudly provided this service to Heritage families with students Grade 3-12. This opportunity is also open to homeschool families outside of Heritage.

**Testing date:** May 22-24, 2018

**Testing time:** 9:00 AM to about 12:00 PM each day

**Testing Location:** New Covenant Bible Church

### How do I order tests?

Contact Bob Jones University Press at [www.bjupress.com](http://www.bjupress.com) or [1-800-845-5731](tel:1-800-845-5731). Parents will order their own test materials for their students, but send them to Laura Kulesza. She is registered on the BJU website as a test administrator, so you may search for her name and select her as your administrator. **Using her name (Laura Kulesza) as the Test Administrator will ensure that your materials will be sent to her directly.** Space is limited, so please let me know soon if you plan to test with us.

### What test do I order?

The Iowa Test of Basic Skills (ITBS) for the grade that your child is in **currently** for the 2017-2018 school year. It should say "**Iowa Assessments Form E-Grade \_\_\_\_**". Please note that we offer testing for students in grades 3-12 only.

### What are the costs?

- Purchase of your testing materials \$30 per test)
- Proctor's fee \$25 per student paid to your administrator on the first day of testing

### When do I need to order by?

In order to ensure we receive your testing materials on time, you **must order before April 15th.**

### When will I get results of the test?

You will receive the results of the tests 2-4 weeks after they are administered. The results will be emailed to you. You may also find them at your BJU account.

If you have any questions about standardized testing please don't hesitate to email **Laura Kulesza** at [lakulesza@gmail.com](mailto:lakulesza@gmail.com). Once you have ordered your testing materials contact me with your child's full name and current grade in school, so that I can keep track of space availability. Space is limited, so order soon!