

Professional Skills Test – Numeracy

Navigational Features

Please Note: During the Numeracy Test all navigation is disabled during the mental arithmetic section.

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the test interface. On the left is the Department for Education logo and a 'Clear' button. On the right are a calculator icon, an 'END TEST' button, and a clock showing 30:24. Below the main test area is a question number list (M3-M12, 1-12) and 'Flag' and 'Next Question' buttons. Callout boxes provide instructions for each feature.

Clicking 'Edit' will allow you to edit your answers. 'Edit' will then change to 'Clear'. Pressing 'Clear' will remove answers entered for the question on screen.

A calculator is only available in the written data and written arithmetic section of the Numeracy test.

The clock shows the amount of time remaining. For the mental arithmetic section the time displayed is for each question. For the written section the time displayed is for the whole section.

Clicking 'End Test' when you have finished the test will submit your answers and end the test.

Please Note: Once you have clicked 'End Test' you will not be able to go back to the test.

Clicking 'Flag' will flag a question in the question number list on the left. You can use this to remind you of any questions that you want to review.

In the question number list the current question is highlighted in blue. Questions that you have attempted are shaded grey and questions not yet attempted are shaded white.

Please Note: You will not be able to navigate back to mental arithmetic questions.

Clicking 'Next Question' will take you to the next question. When you reach and answer the last question, clicking 'Next Question' will take you back to the first unanswered question or prompt you to end the test.