

## Quality Assurance Services

### TESTING AT THE ATHENA SCHOOL

One of the unique aspects of The Athena School is our Quality Assurance Department. When the student arrives, we do an interview to establish the student's view of school and life and any difficulties they may be having. We then test the student's Word Recognition Age, Comprehension, Spelling, Grammar, Written Expression and Maths. Based on these test results we formulate a program, if needed, to address any gaps in the student's knowledge and this is incorporated into their Individual Education Program for the year (IEP). They are helped with this program by their teacher and/or Quality Assurance staff.

As the student moves through their IEP, many units of work have exams which are done in the Quality Assurance Department. Any needed correction is done so that the student has full understanding of what he has studied before he moves onto the next unit of work. This system allows our students to work at their own pace and take the time to fully comprehend and master a subject without the pressure of "having to keep up with others".

### BASICS OF READING COURSE

The Basics of Reading Course can take from 20-80 hours or more to complete. We deliver the course in blocks of hours. The first block is sold at 20 hours. If you require more hours, these can be purchased in blocks of 10 hours.

If you are studying Basics of Reading Course during school hours the cost per hour is \$30.00 plus gst. If you are studying outside of school hours the cost per hour is \$60.00 plus gst.

First block of 20 hours School hours rate of \$30.00 per hour: **\$600.00 plus gst**

First block of 20 hours Outside of School hours \$60 per hour: **\$1200.00 plus gst**

### TUTORING SERVICES

Sometimes a student arrives at Athena significantly behind our standards for their age. When this happens, we recommend one of our tutors work with the student out of school hours to get them on track. The Athena School is unique in the fact that we have tutors at the school trained in our curriculum and ready to help any student with one-on-one service. Tutoring is an additional cost.

All tutoring services are charged at \$60.00 per hour in blocks of 10 hours i.e. \$600 plus gst