

TYM SCORING [posted as supplied by author]

Spelling/ abbreviations/punctuation are unimportant if the words make sense (with the exception of box 2). Minimum score on a question is 0

Box 1 2 points for full name, 1 for initials/other minor error

1 point for each space correctly filled in the remainder of the box. If the date is wrong by a day it still scores a point.

Box 2 2 points all correct, 1 point - mistake in 1 word, 0 - mistakes in 2.

Box 3 1 point for first name 1 for surname. 1914 scores 1 point, total 3

Box 4 1 point for each correct sum

Box 5 Any creature is fine bug, fish, bird or mammal. Breeds of dog/cat eg spaniel are fine. Mythical creatures (eg sea monster) and shark not allowed.

Box 6 2 marks for precise word such as “vegetable” or “animal/mammal/hunter/meat eater/pack animal”. Reasonable but less precise answer such as food, four legs or fierce scores 1 point. 2 such statements score 2 eg “grows in ground”, “fierce and four legs” = 2

Jacket naming Answers are collar/lapel/tie/pocket/button, 1 each. Shirt is acceptable for answer 1 and jacker/blazer acceptable once for 2 or 4.

Letter W if traced with no mistakes 3 points, another letter formed 2 points, if all circles are joined 1 point

Clockface all numbers 1, correct number position 1, correct hands 1 each

Sentence Score 1 point for each word remembered up to maximum 6

Please add the score for the amount of help the patient needed:

The definitions of trivial etc are in the Tym testing sheet

None	Score + 5
Trivial	Score + 4
Minor	Score + 3
Moderate	Score + 2
Major	Score + 1

A more detailed scoring sheet is available at www.tymtest.com