TAKE PART IN THE 10/40 VISION TEST

Vision screening for children aged **10 to 40 months:**

You don't need to do anything!

You will receive an invitation with a code.

Please contact us if:

- You have not received an invitation: your child is between 12 months and 4 years old and he/she has a Luxembourg national identification number
- You have already received an invitation and the code to make the appointment has expired



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VISION TEST 10/40

FOR CHILDREN AGED

10 TO 40 MONTHS

HOW IS MY VISION?



FREE OF CHARGE





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Vision is one of the most important senses for a child's development. Vision has an impact on the development of their motricity and their global learning (language, reading, writing, etc.).

Around 80% of the information received by the brain comes from the eyes.

Your child cannot tell you that they cannot see properly, as they do not know any different.

When treatment is necessary, the earlier it is started, the more likely it is to be effective.



YES, BUT...

'My child doesn't talk yet; he's still too young to name the images.'

Yes, but...

it's not necessary to be able to talk in order to examine the eyes and check that they are parallel. The tests are adapted to the child's age.

'My child picks up all the crumbs!'

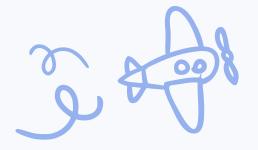
Yes, but...

one eye is enough to see them. It is important to check that your child is using both eyes. If one eye is not used, the vision in that eye will not develop normally.

'She sees all the planes in the sky!'

Yes, but...

seeing a plane does not mean recognising its shape. Only a vision test can determine whether or not a child needs glasses.



WATCH OUT FOR THE WARNING SIGNS

Do not wait for an invitation to an eye test; consult an ophthalmologist immediately if you notice:

- A white reflection in your child's eye, especially in photos
- A lack of response to visual stimulation
- If your child has red and watery eyes
- If your child squints, after the age of 4 months, whether constantly or occasionally

ANY MORE QUESTIONS?

www.santesecu.lu/vision-test



