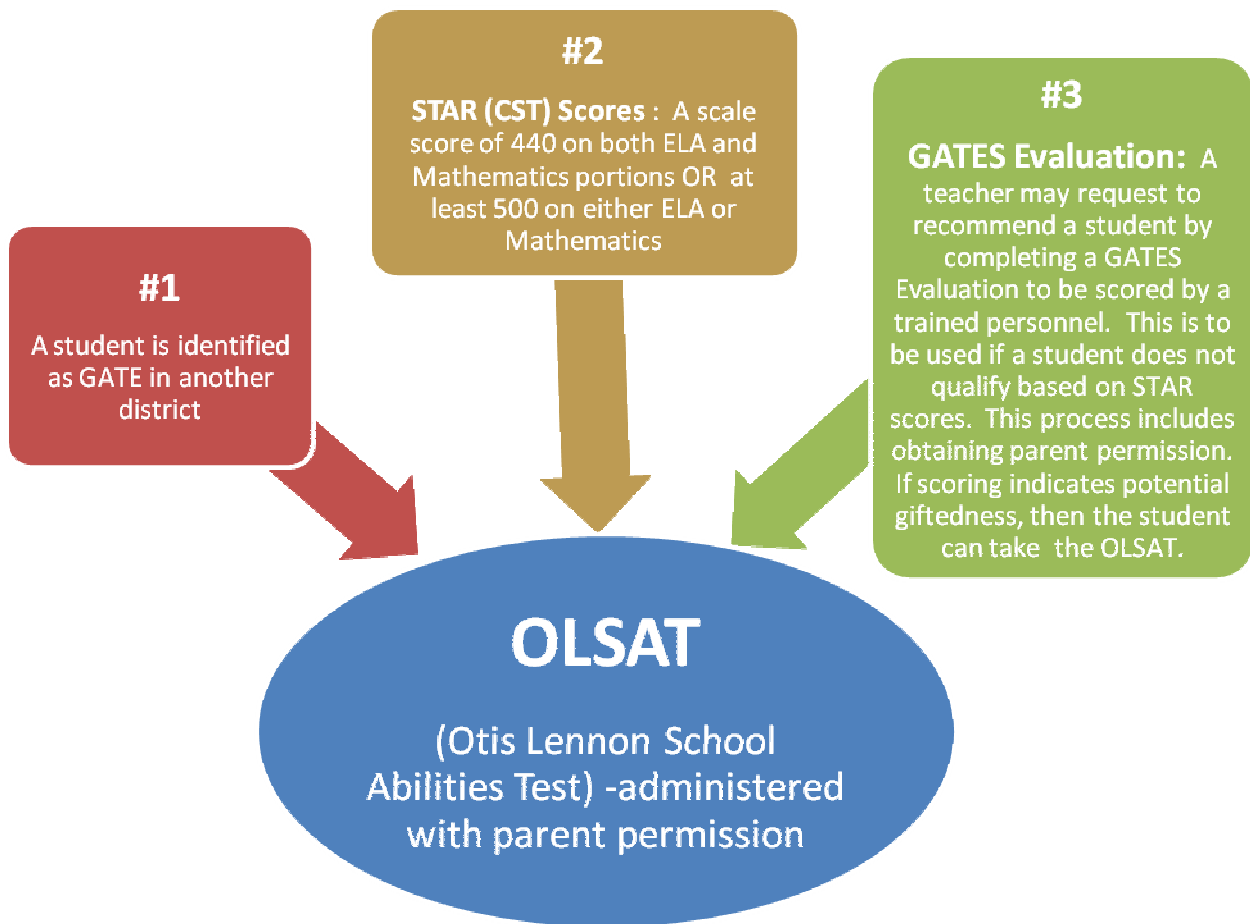


## GATE Qualification Criteria

In order to qualify for The Buckeye Union School District GATE Program, our LEA uses the following categories for purposes of examination. GATE is available to students in grades 3-8:

1. Intellectual Ability
2. High Achievement
3. Specific Academic Ability

In order to meet the criteria for GATE qualification, a student must take the OLSAT and receive the minimum score(s) that indicate giftedness. There are three ways that a student may qualify to take the OLSAT and then be considered for the BUSD GATE program:



If a student receives the required score(s) on the OLSAT, a permission slip to participate in GATE is sent home for a parent signature. Once this is received, the student is added to the GATE list.