

Supplementary Table 1. Pairwise linkage disequilibrium (r^2 value) for 34 SNPs spanning *SETBP1* according to the CEU sub-population as extracted in LDlink (<https://analysistools.nci.nih.gov/LDLink/?tab=home>).

Supplementary Table 2. Markers spanning SETBP1 that show nominally significant p-values in the gene – behavior targeted association analyses.

| Marker | Behavioral Traits* | | β | <i>p</i> |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| rs663651 | WJII | Picture Vocabulary | -1.009 | 0.021 |
| | | Word Attack | -1.978 | 0.032 |
| | | Spelling | -2.003 | 0.052 |
| | CTOPP | Blending Words | -0.965 | 0.030 |
| | | Memory for Digits | -0.863 | 0.032 |
| | | Blending Non-Words | -0.784 | 0.040 |
| | | Non-Word Repetition | -0.715 | 0.042 |
| | GORT | Oral Reading Quotient | -6.724 | 0.021 |
| rs11082414 | WASI | Vocabulary | 2.154 | 0.052 |
| rs3744825 | CTOPP | Non-Word Repetition | -1.090 | 0.042 |
| | | Blending Words | -1.331 | 0.048 |
| rs1064204 | PPVT | Total Score | -7.820 | 0.019 |
| | WJII | Oral Language Recall Direct | -5.902 | 0.031 |
| | | Oral Comprehension | -1.642 | 0.041 |
| | | Picture Vocabulary | -1.392 | 0.042 |
| rs11660213 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | -4.613 | 0.019 |
| rs10502845 | WJII | Oral Comprehension | -2.102 | 0.011 |
| | | Picture Vocabulary | -1.521 | 0.033 |
| | | Oral Language Recall Direct | -5.802 | 0.040 |
| | CTOPP | Blending Words | -1.679 | 0.020 |
| | | Memory for Digits | -1.304 | 0.046 |
| | WASI | Vocabulary | -3.393 | 0.024 |
| rs10502849 | CTOPP | Blending Non-Words | 0.815 | 0.032 |
| rs11872638 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | 6.123 | 0.033 |
| | WJII | Oral Language Recall Direct | 4.655 | 0.042 |
| rs17786966 | CTOPP | Non-Word Repetition | -0.946 | 0.046 |
| rs7230525 | CTOPP | Memory for Digits | 1.074 | 0.007 |
| rs7232987 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | 6.167 | 0.026 |
| rs744279 | PPVT | Total Score | -7.105 | 0.021 |
| | CTOPP | Non-Word Repetition | -1.076 | 0.039 |

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| rs8090594 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | -5.411 | 0.007 |
| rs9945779 | CTOPP | Blending Non-Words | -1.607 | 0.016 |
| | WASI | Vocabulary | -3.824 | 0.018 |
| | WJII | Oral Comprehension | -2.172 | 0.020 |
| | | Oral Language Recall Direct | -6.834 | 0.031 |

* Controlled for children's age and sex.

WJII=The Woodcock-Johnson Tests of Achievement (Woodcock et al., 2001); CTOPP=Comprehensive Test of Phonological Processing (Wagner et al., 1999); GORT=Gray Oral Reading Test (Wiederholt, 2001); WASI=Wechsler Abbreviated Scale of Intelligence (Wechsler, 1999); PPVTT=Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test (Dunn, 1997).

Associations generating the strongest signal after applying the gene-based empirical association as estimated with VEGAS2v02 are reported in bold.

Supplementary Table 3. Markers spanning SETBP1 that show nominally significant p-values in the gene – behavior targeted association analyses ran only in the Caucasian participants (n=116).

| Marker | Behavioral Traits* | | β | p |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| rs1064204 | PPVT | Total Score | -8.995 | 0.010 |
| | WJII | Oral Language Recall Direct | -6.120 | 0.039 |
| | | Oral Comprehension | -1.970 | 0.024 |
| | | Picture Vocabulary | -1.487 | 0.036 |
| rs11660213 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | -4.144 | 0.050 |
| rs10502849 | CTOPP | Blending Non-Words | 1.010 | 0.010 |
| rs11872638 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | 6.979 | 0.025 |
| rs7230525 | CTOPP | Memory for Digits | 1.245 | 0.006 |
| rs7232987 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | 7.380 | 0.014 |
| rs744279 | PPVT | Total Score | -6.603 | 0.042 |
| | CTOPP | Non-Word Repetition | -1.290 | 0.021 |
| rs8090594 | CTOPP | Rapid Digits Naming | -5.428 | 0.011 |
| rs7228266 | CTOPP | Blending Non-Words | 0.981 | 0.016 |
| | | Blending Words | 1.007 | 0.035 |
| rs1037939 | CTOPP | Blending Words | -0.909 | 0.034 |
| rs11082420 | WJII | Oral Comprehension | 1.169 | 0.035 |

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