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List of Reading Assessments

This list is not meant to be a list of ‘approved’ assessments, nor is it intended to be all inclusive. The assessments listed here are not necessarily good or bad. This is just a resource to provide you with information to help you in determining which assessment would provide the most beneficial data. The Department is in no way endorsing any of the assessments listed here.

This list is intended to be a resource to assist you in researching assessments. The Department is in no way endorsing any of the assessments listed here. Before choosing assessments for your school and students, make sure each assessment is thoroughly researched by your school staff. This is a fluid list of resources of available assessments. The DPI welcomes suggestions and comments and we would be glad to add to this list if you contact us and provide us with information on other assessments.

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Reading Assessments Listed on SEDL

The Southwest Educational Development Laboratory (SEDL) is a private, nonprofit education research, development, and dissemination (RD&D) corporation based in Austin, Texas. Improving teaching and learning has been at the heart of SEDL’s work for the past 40 years. SEDL has a list of 80 different assessments with information on each one. The assessments listed on the SEDL are more specifically for grades K-3; however, some are appropriate for higher grades as well. Assessments listed on the SEDL link (<http://www.sedl.org/reading/rad/database.html>) include the following:

- Abecedarian Reading Assessment by BalancedReading.com
- Analytical Reading Inventory (7th Edition) by Pearson Education – Merrill Printice Hall
- Aprenda: La Preuba de Logros en Espanol – 3rd Edition by Harcourt Assessment Company
- Assessment of Literacy and Language (ALL) by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment
- Auditory Analysis Tests by Journal of Learning Disabilities (Vol. 4, No. 7. pp. 40-48)
- Bader Reading and Language Inventory – 5th Edition by Pearson Education – Merrill Printice Hall
- Basic Reading Inventory – 9th Edition by Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company
- Boehm Test of Basic Concepts – 3rd Edition (Boehm-3) by The Psychological Corporation - A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Boehm Test of Basic Concepts – 3rd Edition – Preschool (Boehm-3) by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Bracken Basic Concept Scale – Revised by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company

- Bracken School Readiness Assessment (BSRA) by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Brigance Diagnostic Comprehensive Inventory of Basic Skills – Revised (CIBS-R) by Curriculum Associates, Inc.
- Brigance Diagnostic Inventory of Early Development II (IED-II) by Curriculum Associates
- Brigance K & 1 Screen II by Curriculum Associates
- Brigance Preschool Screen II by Curriculum Associates
- Comprehensive Test of Phonological Processing (CTOPP) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Criterion Test of Basic Skills (CTOBS-2) by Academic Therapy Publications
- Decoding Skills Test by ProEd Publishing Company
- Developmental Reading Assessment, K-3 – 2nd Edition (DRA-2, K-3) by Celebration Press – Pearson Learning Group
- Diagnostic Assessments of Reading – 2nd Edition by Riverside Publishing Company
- Domine Reading and Writing Assessment Portfolio (Revised) by Dominic Press – Pearson Learning Group
- Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills – 6th Edition (DIBELS-6) by University of Oregon
- Early Reading Diagnostic Assessment – 2nd Edition (ERDA-2) by The Psychological Corporation - A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Ekwall/Shanker Reading Inventory – 4th Edition (ESRI-4) by Pearson, Allyn, and Bacon
- Expressive One-Word Picture Vocabulary Test (EOWPVT) by Academic Therapy Publications
- Fluency: Strategies & Assessments – 2nd Edition by Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company
- Gates-MacGinitie Reading Tests – 4th Edition (GMRT-4) by Riverside Publishing Company
- Gray Diagnostic Reading Tests – 2nd Edition (GDRT-2) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Gray Oral Reading Test – 4th Edition (GORT-4) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Gray Silent Reading Tests (GSRT) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Group Reading Assessment and Diagnostic Evaluation (GRADE) by American Guidance Service, Inc.
- Kindergarten Readiness Test (KRT) by Scholastic Testing Service (STS)
- Lindamood Auditory Conceptualization Test - 3rd Edition (LAC-3) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Metropolitan Achievement Tests, Reading Diagnostic Tests - 8th Edition (MAT-8) by The Psychological Corporation - A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Observation Survey of Early Literacy Achievement (Revised) – 2nd Edition by Heinemann
- Oral and Written Language Scales (OWLS) by American Guidance Service, Inc. (AGS)
- Phonemic Awareness in Young Children: A Classroom Curriculum by Paul H. Brookes Publishing Company
- Phonemic-Awareness Skills Screening (PASS) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Phonics-Based Reading Test (PRT) by Academic Therapy Publications
- Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening in grades 1-3 (PALS-1-3) by University of Virginia
- Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening in K (PALS-K) by University of Virginia
- Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening PreK (PALS-PreK) by University of Virginia
- Pre-Literacy Skills Screening (PLSS) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Pre-Reading Inventory of Phonological Awareness (PIPA) by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Preschool Language Scale – 4th Edition (PLS-4) by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Process Assessment of the Learner (PAL) – Test Battery for Reading and Writing by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Qualitative Reading Inventory – 4th Edition (QRI-4) by Pearson, Allyn, and Bacon
- Rapid Automatized Naming and Rapid Alternating Stimulus Tests (RAN/RAS) by ProEd Publishing Company

- Reading Analysis and Prescription System (RAPS) by Educational Solutions – MindPlay
- Reading Inventory for the Classroom (RIC) & Tutorial Audiotape Package – 5th Edition by Pearson Education – Merrill Printice Hall
- Ready to Learn: A Dyslexia Screener by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Receptive One-Word Picture Vocabulary Test (ROWPVT) by Academic Therapy Publications
- Rigby Reads (Reading Evaluation and Diagnostic System) by Harcourt – Rigby Publishing
- School Readiness Test (SRT) by Scholastic Testing Service (STS)
- Standardized Assessment of Phonological Awareness by Professor Garfield
- Standardized Reading Inventory – 2nd Edition (SRI-2) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Stanford Achievement Test – 10th Edition (SAT-10) by Harcourt Assessment
- Stanford Diagnostic Reading Test – 4th Edition (SDRT-4) by Harcourt Assessment
- Stanford English/Spanish Language Proficiency Test (Stanford ELP/SLP) by Harcourt Assessment
- Stanford Reading First by Harcourt Assessment
- STAR Early Literacy Computer – Adaptive Diagnostic Assessment by Renaissance Learning, Inc
- STAR Reading Computer – Adaptive Reading Test by Renaissance Learning, Inc.
- Stieglitz Informal Reading Inventory – 3rd Edition by Pearson, Allyn, and Bacon
- Teaching Beginning Readers: Linking Assessment and Instruction by Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company
- Tejas Lee by Texas Education Agency
- Test of Early Language Development – 3rd Edition (TELD-3) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Test of Early Reading Ability-3rd Edition (TERA-3) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Test of Kindergarten/First Grade Readiness Skills by Psychological and Educational Publications, Inc.
- Test of Kindergarten/First Grade Readiness Skills (TKFGRS) by Academic Therapy Publications
- Test of Oral Reading and Comprehension Skills (TORCS) by Academic Therapy Publications
- Test of Phonological Awareness Skills (TOPAS) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Test of Phonological Skills in Spanish (TPAS) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Test of Reading Comprehension – 3rd Edition (TORC-3) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Test of Silent Word Reading Fluency (TOSWRF) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Test of Word Reading Efficiency (TOWRE) by ProEd Publishing Company
- Texas Primary Reading Inventory by Texas Education Agency
- The Critical Reading Inventory by Pearson Education, Inc.
- Wechsler Individual Achievement Test – Second Edition (WIAT-II) by The Psychological Corporation – A Harcourt Assessment Company
- Yopp-Singer Test of Phoneme Segmentation “In the Journal Reading Teacher” (Vol. 49, No. 1. pp. 20-29)

Reading Assessments for Older Students

Florida Center for Reading Research has a list of *Commonly Used Assessments for Older Students* found at <http://www.fcrr.org/assessmentMiddleHighSchool.htm>. This website includes information on the following assessments:

- Comprehensive Test of Phonological Processing (CTOPP) by Pro-Ed, Inc.
- Diagnostic Assessment of Reading (DAR) by Riverside
- Gates MacGinitie Reading Test – 4th Edition (GMRT) by Riverside
- Gray Oral Reading Test (GORT-IV) by Pro-Ed, Inc.

- Peabody Picture Vocabulary (PPVT-III) by Pearson/AGS
- Qualitative Reading Inventory III (QRI-III) by Allyn, Bacon, and Longman
- Spellography Spelling Inventory by Sopris West
- Test of Silent Word Reading Fluency (TOSWRF) by Harcourt
- Test of Word Reading Efficiency (TOWRE) by Pro-Ed, Inc.
- Nelson Denny Reading Test (NDRT) by Riverside
- Group Reading Assessment and Diagnostic Evaluation (GRADE) by American Guidance Service
- Diagnostic Reading Assessment (DRA) by Pearson Learning Group
- Lexia CRT by Lexia Learning Systems
- Degrees of Reading Power (DRP) by Touchstone Applied Science
- Expressive Vocabulary Test (EVT) by Pearson/AGS
- Stanford Diagnostic Reading Test – 4th Edition (SDRT) by Harcourt
- Woodcock Diagnostic Reading Battery (WDRB) by Riverside
- Woodcock Reading Mastery Test (WRMT) by Pearson/AGS
- Scholastic Reading Inventory by Scholastics

Additional Reading Assessments

For grades K- 3

Phonological Awareness Literacy Screening (PALS)

PO Box 800785

Charlottesville, VA 22908-8785

Mailing address:

PALS

617 West Main Street, Third Floor

Charlottesville, VA 22902

Ph: (888) UVA-PALS

Fax: (434) 982-2793

E-mail: pals@virginia.edu

<http://pals.edschool.virginia.edu/>

Launching K-3 Readers

Teams Educational Resources

Los Angeles County Office of Education

Free on-line informal assessments in phonemic awareness, phonics, spelling, and others.

<http://teams.lacoe.edu/reading/assessments/assessments.html>

For grades 3-8, 10

Acuity

CTB McGraw-Hill

Two Penn Plaza

New York, NY 10121

Ph: (888) 282-5690

<http://www2.ctb.com/acuity/>

<http://www.ctb.com/>

The New Mexico Public Education Department convened a Formative Assessment Task Force to review current formative assessments (ongoing assessments administered 3-4 times a year) developed by vendors and school districts. Results for this assessment can be found at

http://www.ped.state.nm.us/div/acc.assess/assess/dl/Formative_assessment_consumer_guide/Consumer%20Guide%20Final.pdf.

For grades K-6

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Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills

University of Oregon Center on Teaching and Learning

Dynamic Measurement Group

132 East Broadway, Suite 230

Eugene, OR 97401

Phone: (541) 431-6931

Fax: (866) 211-1450 (toll free)

E-mail: info@dibels.org

<http://dibels.uoregon.edu/>

For grades K-12

Iowa Tests of Basic Skills

Riverside Publishing

425 Spring Lake Drive

Itasca, IL 60143-2079

Phone: (800) 323-9540

Fax: (630) 467-7192

E-mail: rpcwebmaster@hmco.com

<http://www.riverpub.com/products/itbs/index.html>

For grades K-12

Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA)

Measures of Academic Progress (MAP)

5885 SW Meadows Road

Suite 200

Lake Oswego, OR 97035

Phone: (503) 624-1951

Fax: (503) 639-7873

<http://www.nwea.org/about/index.asp>

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For grades 3-8

PASeries

Pearson Education

An assessment product that provides a pre-built series of assessments in mathematics and reading for grades 3 through 8.

E-mail: PASeries@pearson.com

Phone: (888) 281-8443

<http://www.pearsonpaseres.com>

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For grades: 1 – 12

Accelerated Reading Enterprise

Renaissance Learning, Inc.

PO Box 8036

Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54495-8036

<http://www.renlearn.com/ar/>

Ph: (800) 656-6740 or

Ph: (715) 424-3636

Fax: (715) 424-4242