



# ADDRESSING UNFINISHED LEARNING

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## SESSION 2 ADMINISTER ASSESSMENT & INTERPRET DATA

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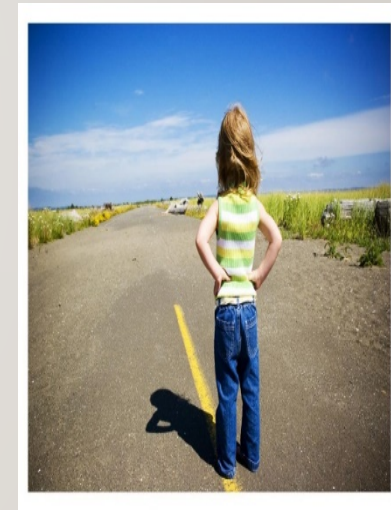
# OBJECTIVES

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- Learn how to administer the assessment found in the Multiple Measures.
- Understand how to interpret the results
- Know if further assessment is needed to determine a student's gaps in developing the basic foundational reading skills.



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- Suggested Back to School Assessment Procedures
  - Assessment Sequence
  - Assessing and Interpreting Results:
    - Maze
    - Vocabulary
    - San Diego Quick
    - MASI-R Oral Reading Fluency
    - CORE Phonics Survey
    - Phoneme Segmentation





## SUGGESTED BACK TO SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES

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Identify students who struggle and would benefit from additional instruction:

1. Administer the Maze to all students in the English Language Arts classes.
2. Administer the San Diego Quick to students who score below grade expectations.
3. Administer the MAFI-R Fluency Assessment to low scoring students
4. Administer the CORE Phonics Survey to students who are reading below the 4<sup>th</sup> grade.
5. Give the CORE Phoneme Segmentation Test to students that are at the intensive level

Provide targeted intervention instruction based on the Assessment Results.

- Monitor progress



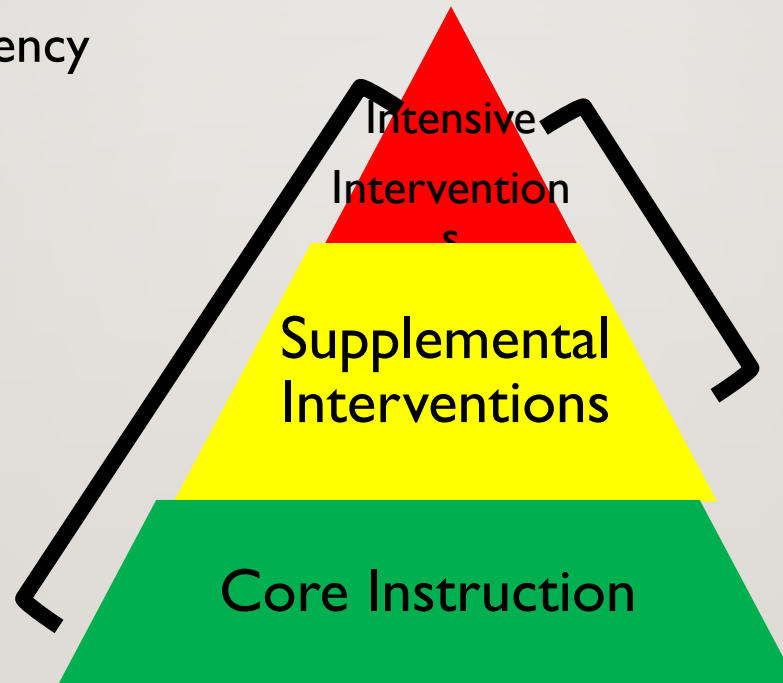


# APPROACHES TO SCHOOL WIDE ASSESSMENT

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**Benchmarking** to determine if students are meeting proficiency benchmarks and standards

**Universal screening** for all students for risk of reading difficulties, including dyslexia



**Progress monitoring** for students at risk



# ADDRESSING UNFISHED LEARNING SESSIONS

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Session 1

Appropriate middle school screeners

**Session 2**

**Administer screeners and interpret results**

Session 3

Selecting an intervention based on data

Session 4

Progress monitoring

# Screening Data Identifies Students at Risk

## Screen all students:

1. Proactively enables educational needs to be assessed to identify the most at-risk students
2. Reduces the need for individual student referrals
3. Avoids students “slipping through the cracks”







# ASSESSMENT SEQUENCE

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## Reading Maze Comprehension

- Score below expected level



## Reading Fluency (DIBELS), or San Diego Quick,

- Score below 40<sup>th</sup> percentile



## CORE Phonics Survey

- Score at intensive level



## CORE Phoneme Segmentation Test

- Determine if a student has phonemic awareness skills

# READING MAZE COMPREHENSION

MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 148--151

**What:** Every seventh word is placed with a correct word and two distractors

**Why:** Capable readers understand the syntax of what they are reading.

**How:** Standardized directions **(3 minutes)** - Scoring





# ADMINISTRATING THE MAZE TEST

## Important:

- Direct students practice the assessment process before administering the test.
- Pass out the assessment face down.
- This is standardized test: Read the directions on page 149 aloud exactly as they are written.
- At the end of 3 minutes direct the students to stop, turn their test over, and pass the test to the front of the room.
- Grade the test.
  - Students who score below the 40<sup>th</sup> percentile should be assessed with a one-minute oral fluency assessment

# READING MAZE COMPREHENSION TEST

## MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 166-167

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You are a student:

- **Turn to::** Passage 8-A,  
*Basketball Saturday* (grade 8)
- You will have 3 minutes to complete this assessment.





# INTERPRET MAZE ASSESSMENT

MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGE 152



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- The scoring table on page 152 shows the typical grade-level expectations for the number of items correct on the student passage.
  - Students who score significantly lower than expected probably have reading difficulties.
  - If scores fall below those shown on the scoring table administer the MASI R Oral Reading Fluency Assessment.

# SAN DIEGO QUICK ASSESSMENT

## MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 68-72

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Begin with a word list that is at least two grade levels below the student's current grade level.

Ask the student read each word in the list aloud.

- If a student pauses, encourage the student to read the word
- If a student misses three words in a list, drop to a lower list.



# SAN DIEGO QUICK

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## Interpreting the results:

- Independent Level: 0 errors
- Instruction Level: 1 or 2 errors
- Frustration Level: 3 or more errors



If a student reads below grade level administer the CORE Phonics Survey to determine if poor decoding is an underlying cause.

# MASI-R ORAL READING FLUENCY

MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 78-81

Multiple Measures oral reading passages are only available up to the sixth grade.

## **DIBELS**

Free passage download: Grades 6, 7, 8

<https://dibels.uoregon.edu/assessment/dibels/dibels-eighth-edition>

Look on the right hand side: Includes passages, scoring guide and additional information





# ASSESSING ORAL READING FLUENCY ORF

MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 78-81



Students are asked to read three grade level passages for one minute each.

Clear directions are located on pages 78-79

## Notes:

- This is a standardized test. The directions say, “please begin” to start, and “thank you” to finish. Do not substitute other words to start and finish this assessment.
- Reading must be for exactly one minute

To view the MASI-R video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8lQix9fc>



# CALCULATING SCORES

## MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 78-79

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### ORF Score:

Record the number of words that the student read in one minute. Subtract errors and skipped words from the total number of words read = word correct per minute (WCPM)

### Accuracy Score:

\_Determine the percentage of accuracy by dividing the number of words correct by the total number of total words read and then multiplying that number times 100

Record the median scores for each student

# ASSESSING: CORE PHONICS SURVEY


MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 41-43

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Instruction for administering each part of the survey are listed on page 41 and on the Teacher Record Form for each section.

This is a standardized test the direction need to followed as written:

## Notes:

- For student who are reading above the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade level administer the assessment beginning with Part L on 48.
  - Part L students read each word aloud down each column
  - If a student can read five of 8 words in a column move to the second column.
  - Pseudo words are listed in the third column
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# CORE PHONICS SURVEY

## MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 41-50

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- Parts E-K Students read **across** the rows. If a student cannot read two or more words in a row do not ask the student to read the pseudo-words
- Pseudo-words are included because we want to know if a student can read a word the student has never encountered previously.



# ADMINISTER THE CORE PHONICS SURVEY



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Work with your table partner to:

- Practice a sample of each of the 12 parts of the Phonics Survey (Skip Parts A - D), taking turns being student and teacher.
- Use the Record Form to administer the test; the “student” should make errors so that the “teacher” can learn the rules for administering each part.
  - Be sure that you understand how to administer and score each part and that you can pronounce all pseudo words.

Watch a teacher administer the CORE Phonics Survey

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yVVz9-r08tl>

# INTERPRET RESULTS

## MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGE 43

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Turn to page 43: Phonics for Reading is a mastery test

- Review the Levels of Performance for each section.
- Students who score at strategic or intensive level will benefit from targeted and intensive instruction and extensive practice in letter recognition, phonics and decoding indicated.
- Students who score significantly low on three or more subtests should be administered the CORE Phoneme Segmentation Test.










# PHONOLOGICAL AWARENESS ASSESSMENTS

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MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 19-30

	K-1	2-3	4-12
Phonological Test (MM 19)			
Phonological Segmentation Test (MM 25)			
Phoneme Segmentation Test (MM -30)			

1. Read the front matter for the Phoneme Segmentation Test on page 30.
2. Use the format in the practice items section to administer the test, taking turns being student and teacher.
3. Build errors into your student responses, then determine student performance level on the Grade Level Expectation chart in the front matter of the test.

# PHONEME SEGMENTATION TEST

MULTIPLE MEASURES PAGES 30-33



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Many older students who are significantly behind in reading and spelling may have underdeveloped phonological awareness.

- Students use blocks to show the sounds a word:  
sit (/s/ /i/ /t/)      shop (/sh/ /o/ /p/)
- Complete the two practice items on page 32 before proceeding to testing.
- Read the directions on the Teacher Record form and score each item with a (+) or (-)



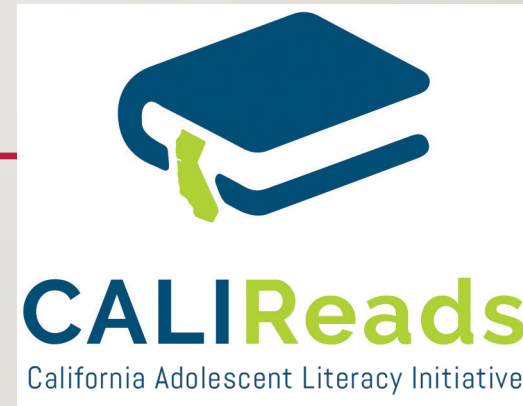
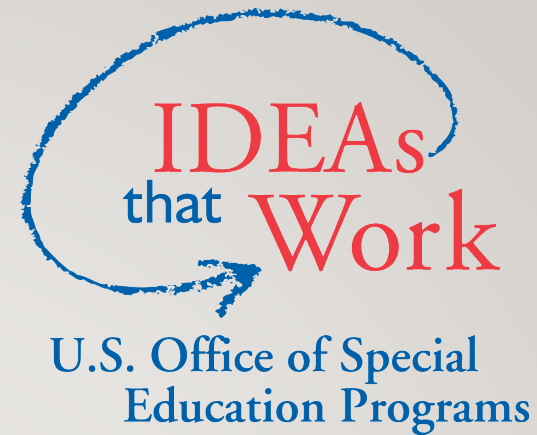


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