

CIRCLE Progress Monitoring Cut Points



If the student scores at or above these cut points, she or he is considered proficient. If the student scores below the benchmark, she or he is considered developing (for students younger than 4) or emerging (for students 4 and older).

Rapid Letter Naming

		Age as of Sept. 1st									
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or	Above			
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish			
1	*	*	7	5	8	6	10	7			
2	*	*	7	5	11	8	12	9			
3	*	* *		6	14	10	15	11			

^{*}Note: An insufficient number of children in this youngest age group demonstrated the skill to establish benchmarks.

Rapid Vocabulary Naming

		Age as of Sept. 1st									
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or	Above			
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish			
1	4	1	10	7	16	12	20	14			
2	9	6	11	8	19	14	22	16			
3	10	7	12	9	22	16	24	17			

Phonological Awareness - Total Score

				Age as of	Sept. 1st			
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or	Above
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish
1	3	1	7	2	8	5	10	7
2	7	5	10	7	12	10	14	12
3	9	7	12	11	15	13	17	15

Phonological Awareness - Sub-Measures

			Age as of Sept. 1st, for all Waves								
		3.0-	<3.5	3.5-<4.0		4.0-<4.5		4.5 or Above			
PA	Measure	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish		
	Syllabication	***	***	6	5	6	5	6	5		
	Onset-Rime	***	-	3	-	3	-	3	-		
	Alliteration	***	***	6	5	6	5	6	5		
	Rhyming 1	***	***	7	5	7	5	7	5		

^{***}A sufficient sample size has not been collected to date to set benchmarks for this age range.

^{(-):} Onset-rime is not assessed for Spanish-speaking students.



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Optional Phonological Awareness - Sub-Measures only

		Age as of Sept. 1st, for all Waves									
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or A	Above			
Optional PA Measure	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish			
Listening	***	***	5	3	5	3	5	3			
Words in a Sentence	***	***	4	3	4	3	4	3			
Rhyming 2	***	***	3	3	3	3	3	3			

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Math - Total Score

		Age as of Sept. 1st										
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or	Above				
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish				
1	5	3	7	4	9	6	11	8				
2	9	7	10	9	14	13	17	15				
3	11	10	13	13	18	17	20	20				

Math - Sub-Measures

			Age as	s of Sept. 1.	st, for all W	/aves		
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	3.5-<4.0		<4.5	4.5 or Above	
Math Measure	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish
Rote Counting	***	***	2	2	2	2	2	2
Shape Naming	***	***	4	4	4	4	4	4
Number Discrimination	***	***	2	2	2	2	2	2
Number Naming	***	***	3	3	3	3	3	3
Shape Discrimination	***	***	5	5	5	5	5	5
Set Counting	***	***	4	4	4	4	4	4
Operations	***	***	3	3	3	3	3	3

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Social and Emotional Behaviors

			Age a	s of Sept. 1	st, for all V	Vaves					
	3.0-	3.0-<3.5 3.5-<4.0 4.0-<4.5 4.5 or Above									
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish			
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^{**}Benchmark indicates an end of year outcome against which progress can be measured at each wave.

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Science

		Age as of Sept. 1st										
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or	Above				
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish				
1	8	7	10	9	13	11	15	13				
2	11	10	13	13	16	15	17	16				
3	13	13	16	15	18	17	19	19				

Book and Print Knowledge

				Age as of	Sept. 1st			
	3.0-	<3.5	3.5-	<4.0	4.0-	<4.5	4.5 or	Above
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish
1	1	1	2	1	3	1	4	2
2	3	2	4	3	5	5	6	6
3	4	4	6	5	7	7	8	8

Story Retell and Comprehension

			Age a	s of Sept. 1	Age as of Sept. 1st, for all Waves										
	3.0-	3.0-<3.5 3.5-<4.0 4.0-<4.5 4.5 or Above													
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish							
All**	1	1 1 2 2 3 3 4 4													

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Early Writing Skills

		Age as of Sept. 1st										
	3.0-	3.0-<3.5 3.5-<4.0 4.0-<4.5										
Wave	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish	English	Spanish				
1	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10				
2	11	10	13	11	16	15	19	18				
3	14	14	17	17	20	20	23	23				