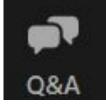


Getting Ready for iReady



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What is iReady?

Online Adaptive Assessment & Personalized Instruction

Adaptive Diagnostic Assessment

How do adaptive assessments work?

- starts each student at a difficulty level based on their chronological grade level
- correct answer → the test gets more difficult; incorrect answer → the test gets easier.

1st grade: 2+2= 4

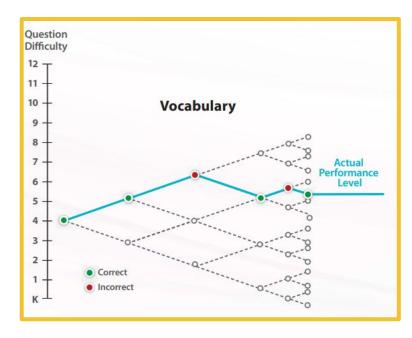
2nd grade: 2+2+2=6

3rd grade: 3x2=6

Adaptive Diagnostic Assessment

What does that mean in practice?

- No two students will take the same test
- Students will see material teachers haven't covered
- Every student receives a challenging test.
- A student's assessment score is not based on the number of items answered correctly



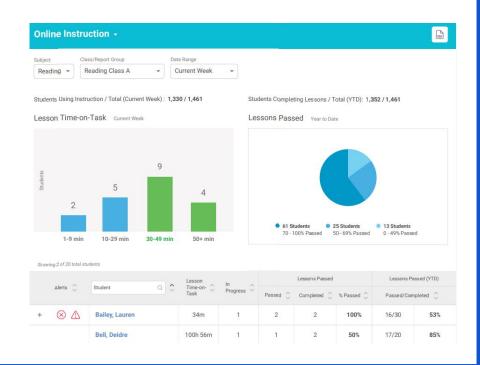
How does Amber use iReady Diagnostic Data?

The iReady Diagnostic is administered 3 times yearly (Fall, Winter, Spring) to students in Grades K-5. iReady reports inform teachers about students' achievement and growth. When using the Diagnostic data, look at growth and proficiency together.

Monitoring of Personalized Online Instruction

Class view:

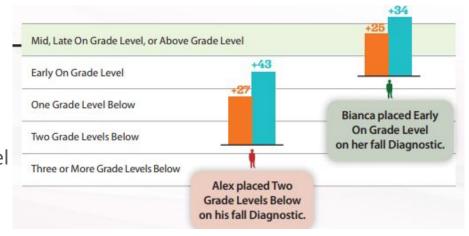
- Instructional minutes on-task per student
- Percentage of lessons passed
- Lesson alerts for struggling students



Growth

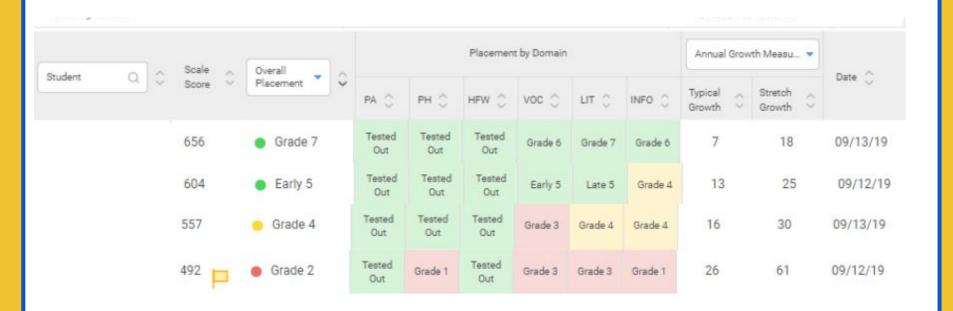
After students complete their first Diagnostic, i-Ready generates two growth measures for every student:

- Typical Growth the average annual growth of students at each grade and placement level
- Stretch Growth the growth
 recommended to put below-grade level
 students on a path to proficiency and
 on-grade level students on a path to
 advanced proficiency levels



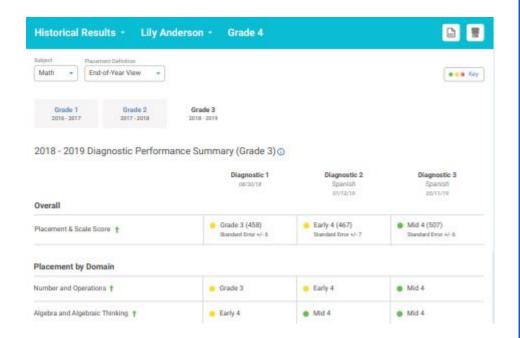
Proficiency

*Students can show a range of mastery



Historical Reports

- Up to 3 prior years of data
 - Progress toward growth
 - Diagnostic placement
 - Summary of Personalized instruction
 - Total year time-on-task



Diagnostic Growth

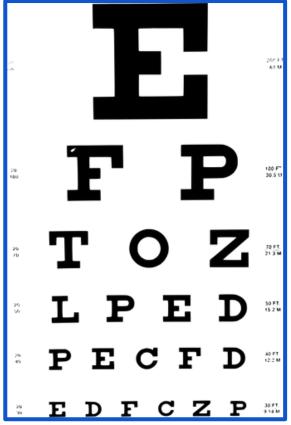
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What would you do?

How do I prepare my Amber Star for an eye assessment?

- Struggling is ok! It tells the doctor EXACTLY what your child can see.
- Your child gets the correct prescription and can see
- Encourage but don't help



Adaptive Diagnostic Assessment

How do I prepare my students for adaptive assessments?

- Struggling is ok! It tells your child's teacher right where your Amber Star is.
 - -Students can expect to get 50% of their assessment correct
- Encourage but don't help



This one is just right!

Encouraging your Amber Star: Get Organized

- ★ Testing begins the week of October 5th (Each class will have different dates and times)
- ★ Ensure that your child is taking the assessment in a space that is as quiet as possible
- ★ Testing is untimed but takes about 15-30 minutes
- ★ Ensure that your child has a pencil and paper to use for figuring out problems

Support...Do NOT Help!

- ★ "Just like when you take the test at school, I can't help you find the answer. We want to find out what you know, not what I know. It's okay if you are stuck!"
- ★ "Try working out the problem on paper."
- ★ "Try going back and rereading the text." "Try using a strategy that worked in a similar question before."
- * "It's okay if you don't know it. You are going to get some challenging questions, which means you are answering a lot of questions correctly.
- ★ Make your best guess and move on to the next question!"
- ★ "Wow. That looks like a very advanced question! That likely means you have been answering a lot of questions correctly. Don't get [frustrated, mad, upset, etc.].
 Make your best guess so the assessment can find your 'just right' level."

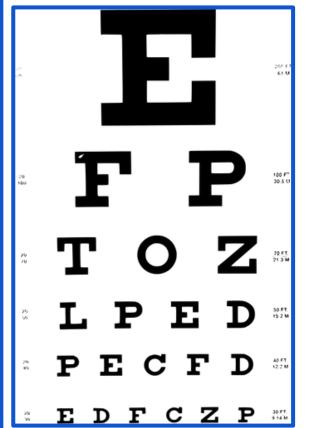
Celebrate your Amber Star: It is done!

- ★ Now that the test is over, you should celebrate with your Amber Star.
- ★ This may not be their first iReady diagnostic, but it is their first one of this very different school year
- ★ Celebrate that you were both taken outside of your comfort zone and made it through.

Next Steps

- ★ Our Chromebooks are on backorder due to a worldwide shortage.
- ★ Smartphones can pull up the diagnostic. Please use whatever device you have. It is not ideal and we understand.
- ★ Log into i-Ready through Clever. If you are logging directly into i-Ready, attendance is not being counted.
- ★ You will receive your results no later than November Parent Teacher Conferences.
- Remember, this exam reflects what your child entered the school year with--not new learning.
- ★ Week of October 5th. If more time is needed, your child's teacher will reach out.

Remember the eye exam



Support do not help.



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