

Comprehension Assessment

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Originating in a recent CIERA conference held at the University of Michigan, this book brings together the nation's most distinguished researchers to examine how readers understand text and how comprehension is assessed. The first part provides both national and historical contexts for the study of reading comprehension. The second part examines how vocabulary, motivation, and expertise influence comprehension, and it includes analyses of the developmental course and correlates of comprehension.

Chapters in the third part consider how schools focus on comprehension for instruction and assessment. The fourth part includes chapters on large-scale assessment that analyze how test formats and psychometric characteristics influence measures of reading comprehension. At the end of each part is a commentary--written by an expert--that reviews the chapters, critiques the main points, and synthesizes critical issues. Key features of this outstanding new book include: *Integration of Research and Practice--provides a bridge between conceptual issues studied by researchers concerned with reading comprehension theories and practical issues addressed by educators concerned with classroom instruction and assessment. *Comprehension Focus--provides a thorough history and rigorous research-based analyses of reading comprehension. *Assessment Focus--provides innovative approaches to comprehension assessment that include the influences of vocabulary, decoding, and motivation. *Synthetic Commentaries--provides periodic summaries that analyze and synthesize research, practices, and issues discussed in each part.

*Expertise--contributing authors and commentators are highly respected authorities on reading comprehension (see table of contents). This text is appropriate for educational and psychological researchers, reading educators, and graduate students in education and psychology. It is part of the CIERA series, which includes the following volumes:

Taylor and Pearson: *Teaching Reading: Effective Schools, Accomplished Teachers* (2002)
Van Kleeck, Stahl, and Bauer: *On Reading Books to Children: Parents and Teachers* (2003)
Hoffman and Schallert: *The Texts in Elementary Classrooms* (2005)

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How can busy teachers successfully manage the complex task of assessing their students' reading comprehension? This invaluable book--the first stand-alone guide on the topic--presents reliable, research-supported guidelines and procedures for K-6 teachers to use in the classroom. Through practical tips and realistic examples, the book demonstrates time-saving ways to implement and adapt a wide range of existing assessments, rather than creating new ones. Also covered are strategies for conducting multiliteracy assessments, using classroom assessment to complement standardized testing, accommodating response-to-intervention mandates, and linking

assessment to content-area instruction.

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Builds solid reading comprehension, writing, and vocabulary skills. Helps students beat the test "jitters" and approach questions confidently.

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These assessment questions for M.C. Higgins, the Great are modeled after current testing models requiring students to revisit the text for answers. Students have to support their opinions and inferences with examples from the text.

This assessment questions for The Stories Julian Tells are modeled after current testing models requiring students to revisit the text for answers. Students have to support their opinions and inferences with examples from the text.

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Document students' mastery of specific comprehension strategies and prepare them for standardized reading assessments. Each book includes multiple assessments for specific strategies including summarize, identify main idea and supporting details, make inferences, compare and contrast, and more. Assessments include multiple-choice and constructed-response questions.

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Weaving together the latest knowledge and best practices for teaching children to read, this indispensable text and professional resource provides a complete guide to differentiated instruction for diverse learners. Uniquely integrative, the book places the needs of English language learners and students with disabilities front and center instead of treating them as special topics. Accessible chapters on each of the core components of literacy clearly demonstrate how to link formal and informal assessment to evidence-based instruction. Special features include Research Briefs, Tech Tips, Internet Resources, Reflection and Action Questions, and dozens of reproducible student activities and assessment tools.

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Listening comprehension during shared storybook reading is a foundational skill--without it, children are more likely to experience long-term struggles with literacy and later school achievement. With the Assessment of Story Comprehension (ASC(TM)), pre-K programs finally have a fast, easy way to measure the story comprehension of children ages 3-5 identify children who may need language intervention monitor the progress of children receiving intervention determine when comprehension has meaningfully improved A quick check that takes just 3 minutes to complete, the ASC is the sensitive, reliable tool that programs need to test the comprehension skills of all young learners and pick up even small improvements as the school year progresses. It's an essential tool for assessing and monitoring a wide range of young children, including those with language impairments and developmental disabilities, children at risk for early literacy difficulties, and young English language learners (ELLs). Used on its own or in tandem with Story Friends(TM) and PAtH to Literacy, the ASC is the key to assessing and improving an essential building block of reading success. This set includes 10 ASC record forms--six brief tests, each with a teacher script, story, and eight literal and inferential comprehension questions A manual that introduces the tool and its components and provides detailed guidelines on how to administer the ASC, score responses, and use results Downloadable materials, including basic and extended scoring guides, fidelity checklists, and two practice sets of materials to train examiners Learn more about the complete Multitiered Interventions for Language & Literacy in Early Childhood (MILLIE ") product suite.

Teachers facing the challenge of meeting the diverse reading needs of students will find the structure and tools they need in Jan Richardson's powerful approach to guided reading. Richardson has identified the essential components of an effective guided reading lesson: targeted assessments, data analysis that pinpoints specific strategies students need, and the use of guided writing to support the reading process. Each chapter contains planning sheets to help teachers analyze assessments in order to group students and select a teaching focus Includes detailed, ready-to-go lesson plans for all stages of reading: emergent, early, transitional, and fluent

Developed by renowned author Ellin Keene, *Assessing Comprehension Thinking Strategies* is an ideal tool for assessing students' reading comprehension. This book offers a unique way of assessing how students use thinking strategies to comprehend text. The book contains four reading passages for each grade level (1-8) that offer high-interest fiction and nonfiction text. Each assessment is accompanied by a rubric that allows you to document students' thinking and then score and monitor their growth. Strategies assessed include thinking aloud, using schema, inferring, asking questions, determining.

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Comprehension of texts and understanding of questions is a cornerstone of successful human communication. Whilst reading comprehension has been thoroughly investigated in the last decade, there is surprisingly little research on children's comprehension of picture stories, particularly for bilinguals. This can be partially explained by the lack of cross-culturally robust, cross-linguistic instruments targeting early narration. This book presents an inference-based model of narrative comprehension and a tool that grew out of a large-scale European project on multilingualism. Covering a range of language settings, the book uses the Multilingual Assessment Instrument for Narratives to answer the question which narrative comprehension skills (bilingual) children can be expected to master at a certain age, and explores how such comprehension is affected (or not affected) by linguistic and extra-linguistic factors. Linking theory to method, the book will appeal to researchers in linguistics and psychology and graduate students interested in narrative, multilingualism, and language acquisition.

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A stunning, cinematic debut novel set at the 1893 Chicago World's Fair, Moon's Crossing explores a unique time in American history, when the romantic heritage of the nineteenth century merged with the industrial temperament of the modern age. Jim Moon, an idealistic Union Army veteran, leaves his young wife and son to visit the World's Columbian Exposition, which has attracted America's greatest artists and thinkers as well as its drifters and schemers. Nick, a fast-talking con man, takes Moon to Pullman Town, a model city south of Chicago that is the site of the complex labor strike of 1894. Moon comes to see that the bright future the fair promised is compromised by greed. Unable to recapture his early vision of America, he takes his own life, and in so doing generates a surprising love story between a common young woman and a corrupt policeman as well as a major upheaval in the life of his neglected son. Kaleidoscopic and fast-paced, Moon's Crossing draws on such sources as the traditional tall tale to present a unique narrative style. Moon's adventures are completely American, and the legacy he leaves is, ironically, more significant than his failed life would have foretold.

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These assessment questions for *The Odyssey* are modeled after current testing models requiring students to revisit the text for answers. Students have to support their opinions and inferences with examples from the text.

These assessment questions for *Owl at Home* are modeled after current testing models requiring students to revisit the text for answers. Students have to support their opinions and inferences with examples from the text.

These assessment questions for *Green Eggs and Ham* are modeled after current testing models requiring students to revisit the text for answers. Students have to support their opinions and inferences with examples from the text.

These assessment questions for *Hatchet* are modeled after current testing models requiring students to revisit the text for answers. Students have to support their opinions and inferences with examples from the text.

Leveled passages and assessment pages to quickly screen for reading problems.

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The ASC Tool The Assessment of Story Comprehension (ASC) measures preschool children's story comprehension and can be used both to identify children who need language intervention and to monitor progress. There are six ASC forms, each of which includes a teacher script with a brief story followed by eight literal and inferential comprehension questions, including one vocabulary question; responses are recorded and scored on a 0-1-2 scale. The ASC takes about 3 minutes to administer and 1 minute to score. The ASC Manual The ASC Manual is organized in 5 chapters that introduce the assessment tool and its components and provide detailed guidelines on how to administer the ASC, score responses, and utilize the results. Appendices provide basic and extended scoring guides, fidelity checklists, and two practice sets of materials for training examiners.

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