





Data Analysis Guide

After the First Diagnostic




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How are my students performing as an entire class and what are their domain-specific instructional needs?

What are the growth measures for each of my students?

Report to Choose

Class Diagnostic Results report

Report Criteria to Select

- Select **Reading** or **Math** under the *Diagnostic Results* report.
- Select your placement definition. If you want the data to reflect:
 - How your students are performing in relation to grade-level skills, select “Standard View”*
 - Students’ beginning-of-year needs (e.g., possible summer learning loss or that they have yet to learn their current grade-level material), select “Beginning-of-Year View”

Data to Focus On

- Overall:** Look at the Overall Placement pie chart and the distribution of students in each grade-level placement.
- By Domain:** Look at the Placement by Domain bar graph.
 - Which domains have the **highest percentage** of students on or above grade level?
 - Which domains have the **lowest percentage** students on or above grade level?
 - Which domains do you want to focus on for teacher-led instruction?
- Student Performance:** Sort by either scale score, overall placement, or a specific domain to identify the needs of groups and individual students.
- Student Growth Measures:** Select column data to see the growth measures for each student in your class.



I-READY CENTRAL RESOURCE CONNECTION

*For more information on Placement Definition, search *Placement Definition* on i-ReadyCentral.com.

Worksheet 1

? How are my students performing as an entire class and what are their domain-specific instructional needs?

What are the growth measures for each of my students?

After the First Diagnostic—Class Data

Mathematics

Overall Placement	
# On or Above Grade Level	
End-of-Year Aspiration	
# One Grade Level Below	
End-of-Year Aspiration	
# Two or More Grade Levels Below	
End-of-Year Aspiration	

Placement by Domain	# On or Above Grade Level
Number and Operations	
Algebra and Algebraic Thinking	
Measurement and Data	
Geometry	

Reflect:

Take Action:

Reading

Overall Placement	
# On or Above Grade Level	
End-of-Year Aspiration	
# One Grade Level Below	
End-of-Year Aspiration	
# Two or More Grade Levels Below	
End-of-Year Aspiration	

Placement by Domain	# On or Above Grade Level
Phonological Awareness	
Phonics	
High-Frequency Words	
Vocabulary	
Comprehension: Literature	
Comprehension: Informational Text	

Reflect:

Take Action:

Suggested Actions

- **Interpret the data:** Ask the following questions:
 - In which domain did students have the most success? Why?
 - Why did students have less success in some domains?
- **Use data to drive your instruction:** Based off of your data and analysis, make instructional decisions such as creating student groups, strategically adding Teacher-Assigned Lessons, or using the Teacher Toolbox.
- **Set goals:** Visit [i-ReadyCentral.com/GrowthGoals](https://www.i-ReadyCentral.com/GrowthGoals) to create goals for the second Diagnostic and the end of the year. Share goals with students and families.
- **Celebrate classwide success with students** (e.g., behaviors during the Diagnostic, success in a certain domain, meeting class Diagnostic goals, etc.)

Worksheet 2

? How are my students performing as an entire class and what are their domain-specific instructional needs?

What are the suggested growth measures for each of my students?

After the First Diagnostic—Class Data

	Bright Spots Classes and/or students who: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Had higher scale scores • Had success with a specific domain 	Areas for Growth Classes and/or students who: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Had lower scale scores • Struggled with a specific domain
Mathematics		
Class and/or Students		
Reflect		
Take Action		
Reading		
Class and/or Students		
Reflect		
Take Action		

Suggested Actions

- **Interpret the data:**
 - Examine classes and/or students who had lower or higher scale scores, struggled with specific domains, etc.
 - Identify students with lower placement levels: Use your own knowledge of students, consider rushing, and plan next steps for instruction.
- **Set goals:** Visit i-ReadyCentral.com/GrowthGoals to create goals for the second Diagnostic and the end of the year. Share goals with students and families.
- **Celebrate students' bright spots and accomplishments.**



How can I group my students and plan my instruction to best meet their needs?

Reports to Choose and Criteria to Select

- **Instructional Groupings report**
 - Select **Reading** or **Math** under the *Instructional Groupings* report.
- **Optional: Class Diagnostic Results report**
 - If you want to create small groups that are more specific than those automatically generated by *i-Ready* (i.e. by placement level, by domain), select **Reading** or **Math** under the *Diagnostic Results* report.

Data to Focus On

Use the Instructional Groupings report:

- 1 Examine the Groupings.
- 2 Click on a specific Grouping for details, Recommendations for Teacher-Led Instruction, and Resources.

Optional: Use the class Diagnostic Results report:

- 1 Determine the criteria (i.e. overall scale score, domain placement, Lexile® measures, Quantile® measures) you want to use to create your small groups. Sort by that criteria to examine the data.
- 2 Note individual student performance in order to determine who needs extra support within each group.

Student Name	Scale Score	Overall Placement	PA	PH	HFV	VOC	LIT	INFO	Lexile measure & range	Date
Sanchez, Abby	615	Mid 5	Max Score	Max Score	Max Score	Mid 5	Mid 5	Grade 3	1080L, 980L-1130L	9/15/18
Stanton, Geena	613	Mid 5	Tested Out	Max Score	Tested Out	Early 5	Mid 5	Early 5	1070L, 970L-1120L	9/15/18
Tan, Melanie	610	Mid 5	Tested Out	Max Score	Tested Out	Mid 5	Late 5	Mid 5	1060L, 960L-1110L	9/15/18
Wade, Kiara	603	Early 5	Tested Out	Max Score	Tested Out	Early 5	Early 5	Early 5	1025L, 925L-1075L	9/15/18
Vo, Isaiah	599	Early 5	Tested Out	Max Score	Tested Out	Early 5	Mid 5	Early 5	1010L, 910L-1060L	9/15/18
McDonald, Kal	589	Early 5	Tested Out	Max Score	Tested Out	Early 5	Early 5	Grade 4	965L, 865L-1015L	9/15/18

Suggested Actions

- **Interpret the data for small groups of students:** For each group, examine their needs, and note next steps to address them (e.g., consider teacher-led instruction, strategically adding Teacher-Assigned Lessons, and celebrating success).
- **Review Online Instruction schedules:** Prioritize access to students who will benefit the most from instruction to close skill gaps.
- **Plan teacher-led instruction:** Using resources (e.g., Teacher Toolbox, Tools for Instruction) plan your small group teacher-led instruction based on each group's data.

Worksheet

? How can I group my students and plan my instruction to best meet their needs?

After the First Diagnostic—Class Data

Subject: Mathematics Reading

Group 1	
# of Students:	
Name	Criteria
Reflect:	
Take Action:	

Group 2	
# of Students:	
Name	Criteria
Reflect:	
Take Action:	

Group 3	
# of Students:	
Name	Criteria
Reflect:	
Take Action:	

Group 4	
# of Students:	
Name	Criteria
Reflect:	
Take Action:	

Group 5	
# of Students:	
Name	Criteria
Reflect:	
Take Action:	

Notes:
Resources Needed:



How do I understand an individual student’s learning needs?

How did he or she perform overall, within each domain, and what are other important data points (i.e. Lexile measures, Growth measures, Norms)?

Report to Choose

Student Diagnostic Results report

Report Criteria to Select

- Choose a student from the dropdown menu.
- Select your placement definition. If you want the data to reflect:
 - How your students are performing in relation to grade-level skills, select “Standard View”*
 - Students’ beginning-of-year needs (e.g., possible summer learning loss or that they have yet to learn their current grade-level material), select “Beginning-of-Year View”

Data to Focus On

- Overall performance:**
Look at the scale score and placement level.
- Domain performance:**
Refer to the domain placement levels to identify domain strengths and areas for growth.
- Use growth measures to set goals.**
Examine growth measures on the bar graph and set goals with students.
- Can Dos and Next Steps and Resources for Instruction:**
Refer to the Can Dos, Next Steps and Resources, Tools for Instruction, and Teacher Toolbox resources for a detailed analysis and next steps for planning instruction.

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Search *Student Data Chat* on i-ReadyCentral.com to download data chat guides and worksheets.

Diagnostic Results - Danielle Baker

Subject: Reading | Diagnostic: Diagnostic 1 (09/15/18) | Placement Definition: Standard View

Diagnostic 1

Overall (1): Grade 4 (577) Standard Error +/-12

Phonological Awareness *	Tested Out
Phonics *	Grade 3
High-Frequency Words *	Tested Out
Vocabulary	Grade 4
Comprehension: Literature	Grade 4
Comprehension: Informational Text	Grade 3

* Foundational Domains

Typical Growth
The average annual growth for a student at this grade and placement level.

Stretch Growth
An ambitious but attainable level of annual growth which puts below-grade level students on a path toward proficiency and on-grade level students on a path toward above-grade level performance.

On Grade Level (581 - 640)
Stretch 607
Typical 593
Diagnostic 1: 577 (Grade 4 09/15/18)

+ National Norm and Lexile® Performance

Placement by Domain

Results in Phonics indicate that Danielle has difficulty decoding words accurately. Vocabulary is another cause for concern. This score indicates that Danielle has gaps in grade-level word knowledge. Targeting Phonics and Vocabulary instruction is the best way to support this student's growth as a reader. Taken together, this information places Danielle in Instructional Grouping 1.

Phonological Awareness	Phonics	High-Frequency Words	Vocabulary	Comprehension: Literature	Comprehension: Informational Text
Tested Out	Grade 3 514	Tested Out	Grade 4 542	Grade 4 537	Grade 3 499

Developmental Analysis

This domain addresses Danielle's understanding of informational text. Results indicate that Danielle needs instruction in Grade-Level 3 informational skills and strategies, such as identifying and evaluating an author's point of view or purpose, as well as analyzing cause-and-effect relationships. Teach a variety of informational genres, including biographies, autobiographies, and newspaper or magazine articles.

Can Do (4): Danielle is developing proficiency with below-grade level informational texts in skills such as:

- sequencing events
- identifying cause-and-effect relationships
- demonstrating understanding of key ideas and details
- comparing and contrasting
- identifying main idea
- retelling the most important ideas

Standards

Next Steps and Resources for Instruction (4)

— **Teach about author's point of view and purpose.**
Support Danielle in applying these skills to Grade-Level 3 text:

- Determine an author's point of view in an informational text by looking for stated opinions.
- Distinguish one's own point of view from that of the author of the text.
- Determine an author's purpose for writing an informational text, including to inform, to persuade, and to entertain.

Tools for Instruction
Determine Author's Purpose

Additional Resources
Ready® Reading Instruction or digital access to Ready through Teacher Toolbox
[Learn More](#)



How many students are below, on, or above grade level and who needs the most support?

Report to Choose

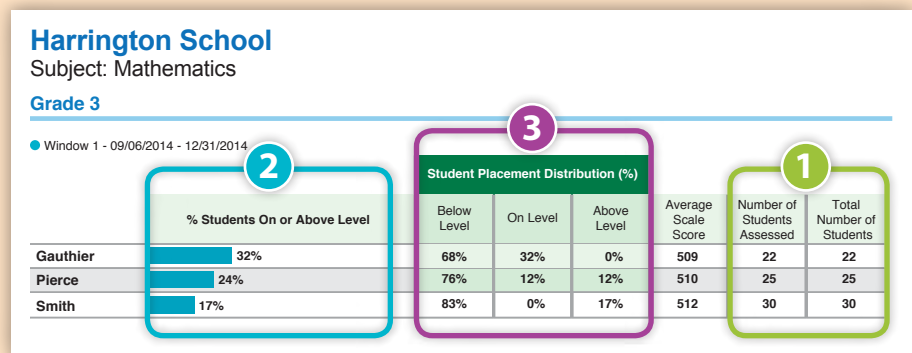
Performance by Grade and Class report

Report Criteria to Select

- Select **Reading** or **Mathematics**.
- Select your placement definition. If you want the percent of students on or above grade level to reflect:
 - How your students are performing in relation to grade-level skills, select “Standard View”*
 - Students’ beginning-of-year needs (e.g., possible summer learning loss or that they have not learned their current grade-level material), select “Beginning-of-Year View”

Data to Focus On

- 1 Number of Students Assessed** out of the Number of Students Enrolled to ensure students have completed the assessment.
- 2 Overall Performance:** Compare how many students are on or above grade level in each grade or class.
- 3 Examine Placement Distribution:** Analyze how many students are below, on, or above grade level in each grade or class.



This image shows the Performance by Grade and Class report. If you are a district administrator, you can view the Performance by School and Grade report and follow these same steps.

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Suggested Actions

- **Identify areas of potential focus** (i.e., grade levels or classes).
- **Create a plan to address opportunities:** (Plan observation schedules and teaching support with your leadership team, conduct data chats with teachers and/or coaches, consider making groups of students with common needs within a grade level by using the Instructional Groupings report.)
- **Celebrate grades or classes for effort on the Diagnostic (i.e. not rushing).**

Worksheet

? How many students are below, on, or above grade level and who needs the most support?

After the First Diagnostic—School Data

		Bright Spots <i>Ex.: Grade 3 has 63% of students performing on or above grade level.</i>	Areas for Growth <i>Ex.: Smith's class has 83% of students below grade level.</i>
Mathematics			
Grade Level and/or Class Name			
Reflect			
Take Action			
Reading			
Grade Level and/or Class Name			
Reflect			
Take Action			



Which tiers are students in?

What is the overall scale score and grade-level placement of each individual student?

Report to Choose

Intervention Screener

Report Criteria to Select

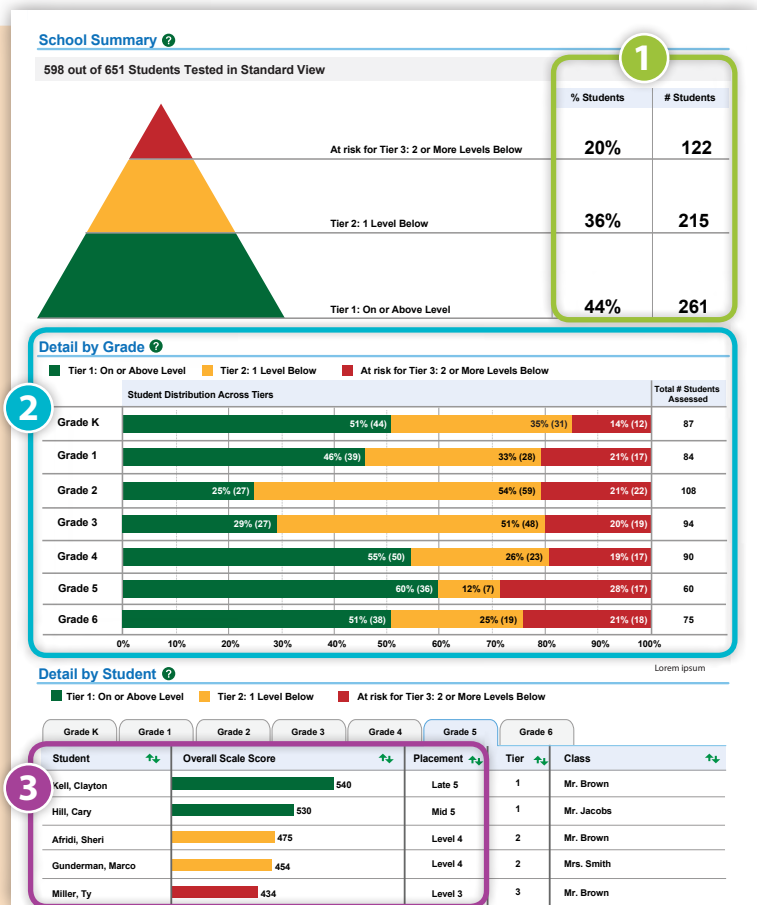
- Select your subject and school.
- Select your placement definition. If you want the data to reflect:
 - How your students are performing in relation to grade-level skills, select “Standard View”**
 - Students’ beginning-of-year needs (e.g., possible summer learning loss or that they have yet to learn their current grade-level material), select “Beginning-of-Year View”

Data to Focus On

- Overall:** Examine the percent of students at each tier.
- By Grade:** Examine the percent of students at each tier in each grade.
- Analyze students by grade level and note individual students’ scale scores or overall placement levels in order to determine who could benefit from extra support within each group** (i.e., which students are almost on grade level, which students are struggling the most, which students need enrichment opportunities).

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Suggested Actions

- **Set goals:** Create schoolwide goals for the next Diagnostic.
- **Identify areas of potential focus** (i.e., grade levels).
- **Celebrate schoolwide and grade-level successes.**
- **Create a plan to address opportunities:** Plan observation schedules and teaching support with your leadership team, conduct data chats with teachers and/or coaches, consider making groups of students with common needs within a grade level by using the Instructional Groupings report by school.



Which tiers are students in?
 What is the overall scale score and grade-level placement of each individual student?

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Mathematics: Percentage of Students On Grade Level After First Diagnostic

Schoolwide	Grade		Grade		Grade		Grade		Grade	
	Percentage:		Percentage:		Percentage:		Percentage:		Percentage:	
Notes:										
Students Who Could Benefit from Extra Support	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL

Reading: Percentage of Students On Grade Level After First Diagnostic

SS = Scale Score or OPL = Overall Placement Level

Schoolwide	Grade		Grade		Grade		Grade		Grade	
	Percentage:		Percentage:		Percentage:		Percentage:		Percentage:	
Notes:										
Students Who Could Benefit from Extra Support	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL	Name	SS/OPL