

## Understanding What Works in Oral Reading Assessments

This ebook presents recommendations for selecting, implementing and using oral reading assessments, as well as basic principles that should be applied at the different stages of such assessments—from planning and design to implementation and use of the resulting data.

Quality education and learning for all is at the center of the Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) for education. Reading is a gateway skill to all other learning, which is why governments are increasingly using oral reading assessments to evaluate and improve the skills of young children. By detecting reading weaknesses early in a child's educational experience, the resulting data can be used to better direct policies and interventions before it is too late. The ebook serves as a unified voice from the community of oral reading assessment practitioners, implementers and donors on the importance of early reading skills to ensure learning for all by 2030.

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