



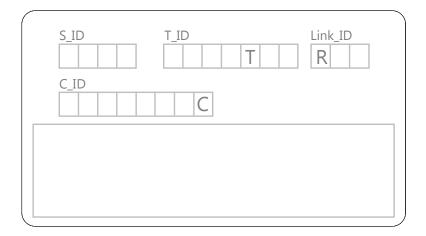
# Spring 2016 Reading and Language Arts Teacher Questionnaire Child Level

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Use a black or blue ball point pen to complete this questionnaire.

RETURN THIS COMPLETED QUESTIONNAIRE IN THE SEALED TYVEK® ENVELOPE DIRECTLY TO YOUR SCHOOL COORDINATOR OR AN ECLS-K:2011 STAFF MEMBER. <u>DO NOT MAIL</u> THIS QUESTIONNAIRE UNLESS YOU ARE ASKED TO DO SO BY STUDY STAFF AND ARE PROVIDED WITH AN ENVELOPE FOR MAILING.



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#### Dear Teacher.

This questionnaire is an important part of a major longitudinal study of children's early educational experiences beginning with kindergarten and continuing through grade 5. You have received this questionnaire because you teach **reading and language arts** to one or more of the children who are participants in this study.

The Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 2010-2011 (ECLS-K:2011) is collecting information from teachers of children who are in the study to investigate the relationship between children's academic progress and various school, classroom, teacher, and home characteristics. Taking part in the study is voluntary. You may stop at any time or choose not to answer a question you do not want to answer. However, only you can provide this information. Although we realize you are very busy, we urge you to complete this questionnaire as completely and accurately as possible. The information you provide is being collected for research purposes only and will be protected from disclosure to the fullest extent allowable by law (Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002, 20 U.S.C. § 9573). Information from multiple individuals will be combined to produce statistical reports; no information that identifies you will be included in any reports or provided to students, their parents, or other school staff.

This questionnaire has two parts:

- Part 1 should be completed for the child whose name is on the cover of this questionnaire.
- Part 2 has questions about your reading and language arts class you only need to fill out Part 2 if there is a red dot next to the child's name on the cover of the questionnaire.

The instructions preceding each part of the questionnaire will guide you.

Please record your answers directly on the questionnaire by marking the appropriate answer (as instructed on page 5) or by writing your responses in the space provided. Your best estimates are acceptable answers.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

For the purposes of this study, the following definitions apply:

- Individualized Education Program (IEP): A written statement of the educational program
  designed to meet the individual needs of a school-aged child with a disability that is judged to
  affect the child's educational performance. Children who receive special education services
  under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) are expected to have an IEP.
- <u>English language learner (ELL):</u> A student whose native language is one other than English and whose skills in listening, speaking, reading, or writing English are such that he or she has difficulty understanding school instruction in English.



#### TYPES OF LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS (LIEPS)1

#### Programs that focus on developing students' literacy in two languages

- Two-way immersion program (TWI) or two-way bilingual program: The goal of these programs is to develop strong skills and proficiency in both students' home language and English. These programs may also be called dual language programs. These programs include students whose native language is not English (but who all speak the same non-English language) and students whose native language is English. Instruction is provided in both languages, typically starting with a smaller proportion of instruction in English, and gradually moving to half of the instruction in each language. Students typically stay in these programs throughout elementary school.
- Developmental bilingual program, late exit transitional program, or maintenance bilingual education program: The goal of these programs is to develop some skills and proficiency in students' home language and strong skills and proficiency in English. Content is taught in both languages by teachers fluent in both languages. These programs may also be called dual language programs. Instruction at lower grades is in the students' home language with a gradual transition to English. Students typically transition into mainstream classrooms with their English-speaking peers. The programs can vary in the focus placed on acquiring literacy in students' home language, but students generally do continue to receive some degree of support in their home language after the transition to English classrooms.
- Transitional program, early exit bilingual program, or early exit transitional program: The goal of these programs is to develop English proficiency skills as soon as possible, without delaying learning of academic core content. Instruction begins in students' home language but rapidly moves to English. Students typically are transitioned into mainstream classrooms with their English-speaking peers as soon as possible.
- Heritage language program or indigenous language program: The goal of these programs is to develop literacy in two languages. Content is taught in both languages by teachers fluent in both languages.
   These programs typically target non-English speakers with weak literacy skills in their home language.

#### Programs that focus on developing students' literacy solely in English

- Sheltered English instruction or content-based English as a Second Language (ESL) program: The goal of these programs is to develop proficiency in English while learning content in an all-English setting. Students from various linguistic and cultural backgrounds can be in the same class. Instruction is adapted to students' proficiency in English and is supported by visual aids and support in the students' home languages as available. Fully developed prototypes of this program include Sheltered Instruction Observational Protocol (SIOP) and Specially Designed Academic Instruction in English (SDAIE).
- <u>Structured English Immersion (SEI)</u>: The goal of SEI is to develop fluency in English. This program usually serves only English language learners. All instruction is in English, though the instruction is adjusted to the English proficiency level of students so subject matter is comprehensible. Teachers may have some receptive skills in the students' home language(s) and generally use sheltered instructional techniques.
- <u>Pull-out English as a Second Language (ESL) or English Language Development (ELD):</u> The goal of
  these programs is to develop fluency in English. ELL students leave their mainstream classroom for part
  of the day to receive ESL instruction, which generally focuses on grammar, vocabulary, and
  communication skills, not academic content. There typically is no support provided for students' home
  languages.
- Push-in English as a Second Language (ESL) program: The goal of push-in ESL is to develop fluency in English. Students receive ESL instruction in a mainstream classroom, with instruction in English with some native language support if needed. The ESL teacher or an instructional aide provides clarification, translation if needed, and uses ESL strategies.

#### THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR HELP.

National Clearinghouse for English Language Acquisition, https://ncela.ed.gov/files/rcd/BE021775/Glossary\_of\_Terms.pdf



#### MARKING DIRECTIONS

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND USE A BLACK OR BLUE BALL POINT PEN TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE. DO NOT USE PENCIL OR FELT-TIP PEN.

#### **MARKING BOXES**

It is important that you mark an "X" in the box next to your answers and print clearly.

Shown below is the correct way to mark your answers, along with examples of incorrect ways.

**Correct Mark:** 



#### **Incorrect Marks:**

Light and thin, outside the box, thick or scrawled.



#### **How to Change an Answer:**

Completely black out the box of the incorrect answer and mark an "X" in the box next to the correct answer.



#### **PRINTING ANSWERS IN BOXES**

Answers should be printed clearly and should not touch or cross any of the box lines. Do not cross zeroes or sevens. That is, do not write a zero with a line through it like this –  $\theta$ , and do not write a seven with a line through it like this –  $\mathcal{F}$ .

Write one number per box like this:

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0

Write words like this:

John Smith





## **PART 1:**

Please answer the questions in Part 1 about the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire.



#### **SECTION A. SOCIAL SKILLS**

Teachers rated children in their classroom on social skills (including their ability to exercise self-control, interact with others, resolve conflict, and participate in group activities); externalizing and internalizing problem behaviors (e.g., fighting, arguing, anger, depression, low self-esteem, impulsiveness); and learning dispositions or "approaches to learning" (e.g., curiosity, self- direction, organization, and persistence). The social skills and problem behavior items were adapted from the Social Skills Rating Scale (SSRS) by Gresham and Elliot 1990 and are published by NCS Pearson. These items are copyright protected and are not listed. The approaches to learning items were created for the Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 1998-99 (ECLS-K) by Atkins-Burnett. They are not copyright protected and, therefore, are listed below.

Please answer the following questions about the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire.

A1. For the set of items below, please think about this child's behavior during the past month or two. Decide how often the child demonstrates the behavior described. We realize that some items apply more to older children, but please answer as accurately as you can. For each item, mark one of the following responses:

Never → Child never exhibits this behavior.

Sometimes → Child exhibits this behavior occasionally or sometimes.

Often → Child exhibits this behavior regularly but not all the time.

Very often → Child exhibits this behavior most of the time.

No opportunity → No opportunity to observe this behavior.

		How Often?				
	Never	Some- times	Often	Very often	No opportunity to observe	
k. Keeps belongings organized.						
n. Shows eagerness to learn new things.						
o. Works independently.						



A1. (continued) For the set of items below, please think about this child's behavior during the past month or two. Decide how often the child demonstrates the behavior described. We realize that some items apply more to older children, but please answer as accurately as you can.

	Never	Some- times	Often	Very often	No opportunity to observe
u. Easily adapts to changes in routine.					
w. Persists in completing tasks.					
x. Pays attention well.					
y. Follows classroom rules.					

Source: Social Skills Rating System (SSRS). Copyright © 1990, NCS Pearson, Inc. Adapted with permission. All rights reserved.



# A2. Please indicate how often each of these items applies to the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

	<b>Doesn't apply</b> Seldom displays this behavior	Sometimes applies Occasionally displays this behavior	Certainly applies Often displays this behavior
a. Likes to come to school			
b. Dislikes school			
c. Has fun at school			
d. Likes being in school			
e. Seems unhappy in school			
f. Enjoys most classroom activities			
g. Groans or complains about suggested activities			

Source: School Liking and Avoidance Questionnaire. Adapted from Ladd & Price, 1987 and Ladd, 1990. Used with permission.



#### **SECTION B. CLASSROOM BEHAVIORS**

Please answer the following questions about the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire.

B1. Please read each statement and decide whether it is a "true" or "untrue" description of this child's reaction to a number of situations within the past six months. If you cannot answer one of the items because you have never seen the child in that situation, then mark "not applicable."

<u>Th</u>	<u>e child:</u>	Almost always untrue	Usually untrue	Sometimes true, sometimes untrue	Usually true	Almost always true	Not applicable
a.	Is easily distracted when listening to a story.						
b.	Can stop him/herself when s/he is told to stop.						
C.	Looks around the room when doing school work.						
d.	Can stop him/herself from doing things too quickly.						
e.	When working on an activity, has a hard time keeping her/his mind on it.						
f.	Has an easy time waiting.						
g.	Has a hard time paying attention.						
h.	Has a hard time waiting his/her turn to talk when excited.						
i.	Needs to be told to pay attention.						
j.	Gets distracted when trying to pay attention in class.						
k.	Likes to plan carefully before doing something.						
l.	Is good at following directions.						
m.	Has a hard time slowing down when rules say to walk.						

Source: Adapted from the *Temperament in Middle Childhood Questionnaire*. © 2004 Jennifer Simonds and Mary K. Rothbart, University of Oregon. Used with permission.



#### **SECTION C. PEER RELATIONSHIPS**

Please answer the following questions about the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire.

C1. For the items below, please think about the friends with whom the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire has associated the most during the past month or two. Please indicate how true you think each of these items is for this group of children. If you cannot answer these items because the child has not usually associated with a group of other children in the past month or two, then mark "Not applicable." MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

		Almost always untrue	Usually untrue	Sometimes true, sometimes untrue	Usually <u>true</u>	Almost always true	Not applicable
a.	This is a good group of kids						
b.	I worry when this child is with this group						
C.	Some of these kids are a bad influence						
d.	These kids must be closely supervised by an adult						
e.	These kids get into trouble						
f.	These kids are excellent students						
g.	These kids are hard workers						
h.	This child has a fun time with this group						
i.	Most of these kids are kind to other children						

Source: Vandell, Deborah Lowe (2001). *Relationships With Peers: Part D (Teacher)*. Unpublished scale, NICHD Study of Early Child Care and Youth Development, Form FSV10G3. Used with permission.



# C2. Please indicate how often each of these items applies to the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire, particularly in the context of his or her behavior with peers. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

	<b>Doesn't apply</b> Seldom displays this behavior	Sometimes applies Occasionally displays this behavior	Certainly applies Often displays this behavior
<ul> <li>Seems concerned when other children are distressed.</li> </ul>			
b. Is not chosen as playmate by p	peers.		
c. Peers avoid this child.			
d. Is kind toward peers.			
e. Is excluded from peers' activiti	es.		
f. Is cooperative with peers.			
g. Shows concern for moral issue example, fairness, welfare of o			
h. Is ignored by peers.			
<ul> <li>Offers help or comfort when of children are upset.</li> </ul>	other		

Source: Adapted from the *Child Behavior Scale*  $\ \odot$  2010 Gary W. Ladd. Used with permission.



		Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Very often
•	a. Teased, made fun of, or called this student names?					
	<ul> <li>Told lies or untrue stories about <u>this student</u>?</li> </ul>					
(	c. Pushed, shoved, slapped, hit, or kicked this student?					
	d. Intentionally excluded or left this student out from playing with them?					
D	uring this school year, how often ha	as <u>this stude</u>	nt MARK C	ONE RESPONSE	ON EACH	ROW.
		Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Very often
i	a. Teased, made fun of, or called other students names?					
	b. Told lies or untrue stories about other students?					
•	c. Pushed, shoved, slapped, hit, or kicked other students?					
	d. Intentionally excluded or left <u>other</u> <u>students</u> out from playing with hin or her?					
	ource: Espelage, D. L. & Holt, M. (2001). Bullyi sychosocial correlates. <i>Journal of Emotional Ab</i>					ces and
cł	hinking about the child identified on hild in his/her grade, please evaluate ACH ROW.		-	-		
		Very poor	Somewhat poor	Average	Good	Very good
á	a. Understands others' feelings					
I	<ul> <li>Accurately interprets what a peer is trying to do</li> </ul>	s $\square$				
	, ,					

Source: Pierce, K. M., Hamm, J. V., & Vandell, D. L. (1999). Experiences in after-school programs and children's adjustment in first-grade classrooms. *Child Development*, 70, 756-767. Adapted and used with permission.

d. Is aware of the effects of his/her

behavior on others



#### **SECTION D. STUDENT INFORMATION**

Please answer the following questions about the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire.

D1.	Are you this child's primary teacher in the following subject areas? / ROW.	MARK YES OR NO C	K YES OR NO ON EACH		
		Yes	<u>No</u>		
	a. Reading/language arts				
	b. Mathematics				
	c. Science				
	d. Social studies				
D2.	How long has this child been in your reading/language arts class this ONE RESPONSE.	s school year until	now? MARK		
	Entire school year until now				
	More than one semester but less than the entire school year until no	w			
	More than one quarter but less than one semester				
	Less than one quarter of the school year				
D3.	Please indicate the total number of times this child has been absent arts class during the current school year. MARK ONE RESPONSE.	from your reading	ı/language		
	No absences				
	1 to 4 absences				
	5 to 7 absences				
	8 to 10 absences				
	11 to 19 absences				
	20 or more absences				
D4.	Does this child receive (or has he/she received during this school year following types of programs in your school? MARK YES OR NO ON EA		ny of the		
		<u>Yes</u>	No 🗆		
	a. Individual tutoring or remedial program in reading/language arts				
	b. Gifted and talented program in reading/language arts				
	c. Gifted and talented program with no specific content focus				





ч	pes? MARK ONE RESPOI	VJL OIV L	ACH KUVV.						
		_	Never	Less than once a week	1 day a week	2 days a week	-	-	5 days a week
a.	_								
b.	_								
C.	Other program								
	_		-	n types? /	_	RESPONSE		ROW.	es he/she
	a -	Not pplicable never	Less e/ than ½ hour	to less than 1 hour		less	2 to less than 2 ½ hours	less	3 hours
d	_								
lit	teracy in two languages								
P d	teracy in two languages rogram that focuses on leveloping students' teracy solely in English								
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	b.  C.  Ore	developing students' lite two languages  b. Program that focuses or developing students' lite solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this chi receive instruction of the  Program that focuses on developing students'	developing students' literacy in two languages  b. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this child receive receive instruction of the following applicable never  Program that focuses on developing students'	a. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy in two languages  b. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this child receives special receive instruction of the following program  Not Less applicable/ than ½ never hour  Program that focuses on developing students'	than once  Never a week  a. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy in two languages  b. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this child receives specialized languages  Not Less applicable/ than ½ hour  Program that focuses on developing students'  Program that focuses on developing students'	Never a week a week  a. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy in two languages  b. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this child receives specialized language instruction of the following program types? MARK ONE  Not Less to less 1 to less applicable/ than ½ hour hours  Program that focuses on developing students'	Never a week a week a week  a. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy in two languages  b. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this child receives specialized language instruction, for receive instruction of the following program types?  Not Less to less 1 to less less applicable/ than ½ hour hours  Program that focuses on developing students'  Program that focuses on developing students'	Never a week a week a week a week a week  a. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy in two languages  b. Program that focuses on developing students' literacy solely in English  c. Other program  On the days when this child receives specialized language instruction, for how much receive instruction of the following program types?  Not Less to less 1 to less less 2 to less applicable/ than ½ than 1 than 1 ½ than 2 than 2 ½ never hour hours hours  Program that focuses on developing students'	Never a week a w



D11.	Does this child have an IEP on reco	ord with the school?	MARK ONE RESPONSE	<b>:.</b>	
	Yes				
	□No				
D12.	Does this child receive instruction YES OR NO ON EACH ROW.	in any of the followin	g types of programs	s in your so	chool? MARK
				Yes	<u>No</u>
	<ul> <li>a. Speech-language therapy for checking disorders/impairments</li> </ul>	hildren with speech or l	anguage		
	b. Special education services, not in provided in the classroom or in		py, whether		
D13.	Does this child receive special according to participate ONE RESPONSE.		-	-	
	Yes				
	No				
	Don't know				
	Child does not participate in the	school's testing or ass	essment program		
	There is no testing or assessmen	nt program at this grade	e level		
D14.	Overall, how would you rate this contribution of the contribution			_	
		Below	About on	A	bove
		grade level	grade level	grad	le level
	a. Reading				
	b. Writing				
	c. Oral language				
	d. Social studies				
D15.	How often does this child work to MARK ONE RESPONSE.	the best of her/his ab	oility in READING AN	ID LANGU	AGE ARTS?
	Never				
	Seldom				
	Usually				



D16.	How many instructional groups based on achievement or ability levels in READING do you currently have in this child's class? MARK ONE RESPONSE.							
		I do not use instructional groups for reading	(SKIP TO C	(D18)				
		Two						
		Three						
		Four						
		Five or more						
D17.		which reading instructional group is this chiral process of the second states of the second s	•	•				
D18.		ing this school year, have this child's paren vities? MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW	_	ıs participa	ted in the fo	_		
				<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	Not applicable/not offered		
	a.	Attended regularly-scheduled conferences a your school	t					
	b.	Attended parent/teacher informal meetings you initiated to talk about the child's progre						
	c.	Returned your telephone calls or e-mails						
	d.	Initiated contact with you						
	e.	Volunteered to help in your classroom or sci	nool					
D19.		v involved at the school would you say this PONSE.	child's pare	ents/guardi	ians are? <i>MA</i>	ARK ONE		
		Not involved at all						
		Somewhat involved						
		Very involved						
		Don't know						



D20.	During this school year, besides regular teacher conferences, have this child's parents/guardians? MARK ONE RESPONSE.	you commu	nicated with
	Yes		
	No (SKIP TO Q D22)		
D21.	Was the purpose of the communication with this child's parents/g MARK YES OR NO ON EACH ROW.	guardians to d	liscuss
		Yes	<u>No</u>
	a. Behavior problems the child is having in school?		
	b. Any problems the child is having with school work?		
	c. Anything the child is doing particularly well in or better in at school?		
D22.	Date Questionnaire Completed:		
	MONTH DAY YEAR		

If there is a red dot next to the child's name on the cover of this questionnaire, please continue with Part 2.

If there is no red dot next to the child's name on the cover, you are finished with the questionnaire. Thank you for your cooperation!



### **PART 2:**

To be completed <u>only</u> if there is a red dot next to the child's name on the cover of this questionnaire.

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Thank you for your cooperation!



#### SECTION E. READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS INSTRUCTION

Please answer the following questions for the reading class in which the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire receives reading and language arts instruction.

E1. From the first day of school until today, please indicate on how many days you have covered each of the following READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS skills and concepts in this child's class. Please include the time during which you provide direct instruction as well as the time you spend supervising students as they work.

Please focus on the skill areas that are shown <u>in bold text</u>. (The unbolded examples are only a sample of things you may do or cover under this skill area.) MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

		Not yet taught					
<u>Lit</u>	<u>erature</u>	or not taught in this grade	On 1-10 days	On 11-20 days	On 21-40 days	On 41-80 days	On more than 80 days
a.	Understanding key ideas and details, for example, identifying the main idea or theme; summarizing; comparing characters and settings; using details and quotations from the text to support understanding of the passage; etc.						
b	Understanding craft and structure, for example, understanding metaphors and similes; explaining the structure of a story, drama, or poem; describing the influence of the narrator's point of view; etc.						
C.	<b>Integrating knowledge and ideas</b> , for example, analyzing how visual or multi-media presentation of a text contributes to the meaning or tone of the text; comparing treatment of similar themes in stories and myths; etc.						
Int	formational Text						
d	<b>Understanding key ideas and details</b> , for example quoting accurately from a text; summarizing main ideas from a text; etc.	e,					
e.	<b>Understanding craft and structure</b> , for example, comparing the structure of events, concepts, or information in two or more texts; analyzing different accounts of the same event; etc.						
f.	<b>Integrating knowledge and ideas</b> , for example, using information from multiple print or digital sources to locate an answer; explaining how the author uses evidence to support a point in the text; integrating information from several texts to write or speak knowledgeably about the topic; etc.						



E1. (continued) From the first day of school until today, please indicate on how many days you have covered each of the following READING AND LANGUAGE ARTS skills and concepts in this child's class. Please include the time during which you provide direct instruction as well as the time you spend supervising students as they work.

Please focus on the skill areas that are shown <u>in bold text</u>. (The unbolded examples are only a sample of things you may do or cover under this skill area.) MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

Wı	riting and Language	Not yet taught or not taught in this grade	On 1-10 days	On 11-20 days	On 21-40 days	On 41-80 days	On more than 80 days
	Writing narratives, opinion pieces, and informational text with facts and details						
h.	<b>Developing and strengthening writing</b> by planning, drafting, revising, and editing						
i.	<b>Building vocabulary</b> , for example, studying words and their meanings in text; learning about roots, prefixes, and suffixes						
j.	<b>Understanding conventions of standard English</b> , for example, explaining the functions of conjunctions and prepositions; using verb tense to convey various times; using punctuation to separate items in a series; etc.						



# **E2.** How often do the children in this class engage in the following reading and language arts activities? *MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.*

	_	Almost every day	Once or twice a week	Once or twice a month	Less than once a month or never
a.	Read silently				
b.	Read books they have chosen themselves				
c.	Make oral presentations about what they have read				
d.	Do a group activity or project about what they have read				
e.	Discuss different interpretations of what they have read				
f.	Look up vocabulary words and write definitions				
g.	Demonstrate understanding of words by relating them to their opposites (antonyms) and to words with similar meanings (synonyms)				
h.	When given specific questions, write responses that are at least 3 to 4 sentences long				
i.	Cite evidence from literary or informational texts (books and/or digital sources) in their writing				
j.	Spend extended time writing and revising text that they have written				
k.	Edit their classmates' writing				



F1.

F2.

F3.

#### **SECTION F. CLASSROOM AND STUDENT CHARACTERISTICS**

Please answer the following questions for the reading class in which the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire receives reading and language arts instruction.

As of today's date, how many children	
VRITE NUMBER IN BOX. IF THERE ARE NO CHILDREN IN A PARTICULA	R CATEGORY, WRITE "0."
	Number of children
a. Are currently enrolled in this class?	
b. Are boys?	
c. Are girls?	
What grade levels are included in this class? MARK ALL THAT APPLY	<b>/</b> .
a. 3rd grade or lower	
b. 4th grade	
c. 5th grade	
d. 6th grade	
e. 7th grade or higher	
dow many of the children in this class are repeating their grade the NONE, WRITE "0."	iis year? WRITE NUMBER IN E
Number of children repeating their grade	



F4.

How many children in this class ...

	WRITE NUMBER IN BOX. IF NONE,	WRITE "O."							
				Numb child					
	a. Are classified as Gifted and Ta	alented?							
	b. Are participating in a Gifted a	nd Talented progra	m?						
F5.	How many children in this class a WRITE "O."	are absent on an av	verage day? WRI	TE NUMBER IN BOX	. IF NONE,				
	Number of children abse	nt on an average da	у						
F6.	How many children in this class are below grade level, about on grade level, or above grade level in their English reading skills and in social studies?  WRITE NUMBER IN BOX. IF NONE, WRITE "0."								
	WRITE NOMBER IN BOX. IF NOME,	VVKIIE U.							
		I do not teach this subject	Below grade level	About on grade level	Above grade level				
	a. English reading skills?								
	<ul><li>a. English reading skills?</li><li>b. Social studies?</li></ul>								
F7.		this subject	grade level	grade level	grade level				
F7.	b. Social studies?  At this point in the school year, h	this subject	grade level	grade level	grade level				
F7.	b. Social studies?  At this point in the school year, h MARK ONE RESPONSE.	this subject	grade level  the behavior of ways difficult to h	grade level	grade level				
F7.	b. Social studies?  At this point in the school year, how mark one response.  Group misbehaves very freque	this subject	grade level  the behavior of ways difficult to h	grade level	grade level				
F7.	b. Social studies?  At this point in the school year, how mark one response.  Group misbehaves very freque Group misbehaves frequently at the school year, how mark one response.	this subject	grade level  the behavior of ways difficult to h	grade level	grade level				



F8.

	MAR	RK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.						
		_	0%	1-10%	11-25%	26-50%	51-75%	76-100%
	a.	Have difficulty paying attention in class						
	b.	Lack self-control (disruptive behavior)						
	C.	Are rejected by peers						
	d.	Do not accept authority						
		rce: Abry, T., Swanson, J., and Fabes, R. A. (2012). <i>The C</i> ublished measure. Adapted with permission.	Classroom Er	nvironment St	tudent Difficul	ties Scale. Ariz	zona State Un	iversity,
F9.		w many children in this class have a diagn TE "0."  Number of children diagnosed with a		-	/RITE NUME	BER IN BOX	(. IF NONE	
F10.	lear liste	you have any children who are English lanners are children whose native language oning, speaking, reading, or writing English of instruction in English.) MARK ONE RES	<u>is one ot</u> sh are su	her than E	<u>inglish</u> and	l whose sk	ills in	ng
		Yes						
		No (SKIP TO Q G1)						
F11.		v many English language learners (ELLs) o NE, WRITE "O."	do you ha	ave in this	class? WR	RITE NUMBI	ER IN BOX.	IF
		Number of ELL children						

Approximately what percentage of the students in this class demonstrate the following problems?



#### SECTION G. CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION AND EVALUATION

Please answer the following questions for the reading class in which the child identified on the cover of this questionnaire receives reading and language arts instruction.

**G1.** In a typical day, how much time do children in this reading and language arts class spend in the following activities? MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW. DO NOT INCLUDE LUNCH OR RECESS BREAKS.

271 <u>2</u> 7 1873.		No time	1-15 minutes	16-30 minutes	31-45 minutes	Longer than 45 minutes
a. Work	ring independently					
	ring on individual tasks under ner direction					
c. Work	ring with peers under teacher tion					
d. Work teach	ring in small groups with ner					
and/	ner lecture with large group or large group discussion led acher					

G2.	How often do the children in this reading and language arts class go to the school library or media center? MARK ONE RESPONSE.
	No library or media center in this school
	Once a month or less
	Two or three times a month
	Once or twice a week
	Three or four times a week

Daily



**G4**.

G3. In this class, how frequently do you or your students use computers or the following electronic devices for instructional purposes in reading and language arts? Please include any desktop, laptop, or other computer-type devices. MARK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH ROW.

a. Desktop or laptop computer or other computer-type device (for example, iPad/other tablet, eReader such as Kindle or Nook)  b. Cell phone/smartphone (for example, iPhone)  c. Interactive whiteboard (for example, SMART Board, Activboard)  d. Document camera or document projector (for example, ELMO, HoverCam)  e. LCD or DLP projector  f. Digital camera (still or video)  g. CD player, MP3 player/iPod, cassette/tape player  h. DVD player, VCR, or video streaming device (for example, Roku)  i. TV  j. Student response system (for example, clickers, responders, ActivOote, ActivExpression)			Not available	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
example, iPhone)  c. Interactive whiteboard (for example, SMART Board, Activboard)  d. Document camera or document projector (for example, ELMO, HoverCam)  e. LCD or DLP projector  f. Digital camera (still or video)  g. CD player, MP3 player/iPod, cassette/tape player  h. DVD player, VCR, or video streaming device (for example, Roku)  i. TV  j. Student response system (for example, Clickers, responders, ActiVote, ActivExpression)	a.	other computer-type device (for example, iPad/other tablet,					
example, SMART Board, Activboard)  d. Document camera or document projector (for example, ELMO, HoverCam)  e. LCD or DLP projector  f. Digital camera (still or video)  g. CD player, MP3 player/iPod, cassette/tape player  h. DVD player, VCR, or video streaming device (for example, Roku)  i. TV  j. Student response system (for example, clickers, responders, ActiVote, ActivExpression)	b.	·					
projector (for example, ELMO, HoverCam)  e. LCD or DLP projector	C.	example, SMART Board,					
f. Digital camera (still or video)	d.	projector (for example, ELMO,					
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i. TV  j. Student response system (for example, clickers, responders, ActiVote, ActivExpression)	g.						
j. Student response system (for example, clickers, responders, ActiVote, ActivExpression)	h.	streaming device (for example,					
example, clickers, responders, ActiVote, ActivExpression)	i.	TV					
k Microphone or classroom audio	j.	example, clickers, responders,					
sound system (for example,	k.						
In an average week, how many days a week is reading and language arts homework assigned in this class? Please count homework assigned over the weekend as one day. MARK ONE RESPONSE.  0 days (SKIP TO Q G6)  1 day 2 days 3 days							
4 days  5 days	二	•					



35.		days wnen nomework is assign homework in reading and lang			-	-	aren in tn	is class to	spena
		1 to 10 minutes							
		11 to 20 minutes							
		21 to 30 minutes							
		More than 30 minutes							
<b>36.</b>		his class, how often do you use RK ONE RESPONSE ON EACH RO		assessme	nt in REAI	DING for t	the follow 5 to 8	ing purpo 1 to 2	ses? 1 to 2
			Never	Once a year	2 times a year	times a year	times a year	times a month	times a week
	a.	To evaluate how well each student is responding to the core curriculum provided in the general education classroom							
	b.	To monitor each student's progress on specific skills over the school year							
	C.	To identify the deficits in specific skills of struggling students							
	d.	To monitor the progress of students who fall below benchmark levels							
	e.	To determine whether students need placement in a more or less intensive level of instruction							



#### **SECTION H. STAFF ACTIVITIES**

H1.		you participate in any professional develop PONSE.	ment* witl	nin the las	st 12 mont	hs? MARK	ONE			
		Yes (GO TO Q H2)								
	No (YOU ARE FINISHED WITH THE QUESTIONNAIRE)									
	,	Professional development may include continu workshops, or in-service training; staff meeting receiving coaching or mentoring.	-							
H2.		w often did you participate in professional d he last 12 months? MARK ONE RESPONSE ON	-		es covering 2 times	the follo 3 to 4 times	wing topics  More than 4 times			
	a.	How to use assessment data to identify students who are struggling or at risk of failure in READING								
	b.	How to use and apply assessment data to guide READING instruction								
	C.	How to implement the READING curriculum								

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!









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