

mCLASS Texas measures for DIBELS and Lectura

Satisfying ERI and dyslexia screening for kindergarten and grade 1

According to the Dyslexia Handbook, other criteria should be considered when selecting a screening instrument, in addition to the measures of the skills checked below.

	Kindergarten			Grade 1		
	BOY	MOY	EOY	BOY	MOY	EOY
Satisfying ERI						
DIBELS® 8 or Lectura	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dyslexia screening						
Composite recommended	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Composite required for TEA submission			✓		✓	
RAN or Spelling recommended		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
RAN or Spelling** <i>Required for TEA submission</i>			✓		✓	
Optional measures that bring value						
Vocabulary	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Listening Comprehension (OL)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

*Grade K reports the dyslexia flag at EOY and grade 1 reports by EOY, but assessment must be completed by Jan. 31.

**Must be given for DIBELS 8 only by Jan. 31.

Approved screening instruments must take only a brief time to administer and be cost effective. They must have established validity, reliability, and standards. They must also include distinct indicators identifying students as either not at risk or at risk for dyslexia or reading difficulties. Screening instruments must also provide standardized directions for administration as well as clear guidance for the administrator regarding scoring and interpretation of indicators/results. Additionally, each screening instrument must include adequate training for educators on how to administer the instrument and interpret results.

If assessing DIBELS 8 and Lectura in grade 2, administer the Letter Naming Fluency/Fluidez en nombrar letras (FNL) for select students. (Use grade 1 EOY paper-pencil form.)

Find more in the [Texas Dyslexia Handbook](#).