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Sample Items



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Domain	Skill Set	Sample Question	Skill	Year Level
Alphabetic Principle	Alphabetic Knowledge	<p style="text-align: center;">P <u> </u></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">d <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">q <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">p <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> The letter is P. What is another way to write the letter P? Pick another way to write the letter P.</p>	Match lowercase letters with uppercase letters	1
Concept of Word	Print Concepts: Word Length	<p style="text-align: center;"><u> </u></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">just <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">saw <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">get <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> Look at the words. Which word is the longest? Pick the word that is the longest.</p>	Identify the longest word.	1
Visual Discrimination	Letters	<p style="text-align: center;"><u> </u></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">g <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">k <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">d <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> Which of these is the letter K? Pick the letter K.</p>	Differentiate lower case letters	Kindergarten/ Foundation
Phonemic Awareness	Initial and Final Phonemes	<p style="text-align: center;"><u> </u></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> Look at the pictures. Tooth. Hive. Wolf. Pick the picture that has the same ending sound as brave. Brave.</p>	Recognise same final sounds (pictures)	1

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Phonics	Consonant Blends	<p style="text-align: center;">_____</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">pluck <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">proud <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">plant <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> The word is place. Pick the word that begins with a sound different from place.</p>	Distinguish consonant blends	2
Vocabulary	Word Facility	<p style="text-align: center;">_____</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px; margin-top: 5px;"> <small>1</small> <small>2</small> <small>3</small> </div> <p> Which picture shows a tree? Pick the picture of the tree.</p>	Match words to pictures	1
Sentence Level Comprehension	Comprehension at the Sentence Level	<p style="text-align: center;">Dad said he will be _____ at two.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">here <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">little <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">now <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> Read the sentence, then pick the word that best completes the sentence.</p>	Read and identify word in context	2
Early Numeracy	Number Naming and Number Identification	<p style="text-align: center;">_____</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; gap: 20px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">11 <small>1</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">21 <small>2</small></div> <div style="border: 1px solid gray; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">12 <small>3</small></div> </div> <p> Pick the number twelve. The number twelve.</p>	Recognise numbers 0 - 20	Kindergarten/ Foundation

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Star Early Literacy® (SEL) assesses foundation literacy skills and concepts in students from Kindergarten to Year 2. The program can identify specific areas of strength and weakness, determining difficulties students may face in learning to read. Providing teachers insights to determine appropriate intervention strategies promoting growth and reading engagement.

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