The Way We ROARedto Success



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Demographic Overview

Demographic	Percentage
Asian	1%
African American	3%
Pacific Islander	3%
Multi-Race	6%
Hispanic	42%
Caucasian	45%
Economically Disadvantaged	80%



Multiple Languages in Homes	38%
Multiple Languages Served	28%

+ Our Story

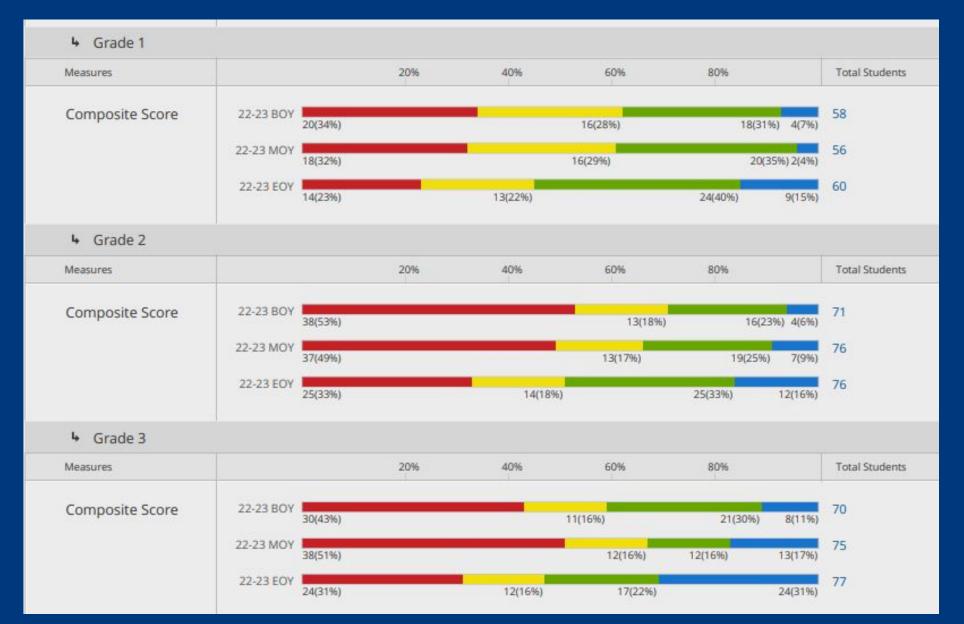
- → 2019-2020 Focus on Power Standards and Formative Instruction
- → March 2020 School closures due to Pandemic
- → 2020-2021 Staff turnovers increased focus on getting students in school
- → 2021-2022 Re-focus on Power Standards and goals
- → 2022-2023 LETRS training increased understanding of Science of Reading focus on Instructional Practices aligned to SoR began and Implemented ROAR with individual student goals.



EVAAS Data

EOG Reading - Gain	2019	3	Meets Expected Growth
		4	Does Not Meet Expected Growth
		5	Meets Expected Growth
	Acr	oss Grades	Does Not Meet Expected Growth
	2021	3	Meets Expected Growth
		4	Meets Expected Growth
		5	
	Acr	oss Grades	
	2022	3	Meets Expected Growth
		4	Meets Expected Growth
		5	Meets Expected Growth
	Acr	oss Grades	Meets Expected Growth
	2023	3	
		4	Meets Expected Growth
		5	
	Acr	oss Grades	Exceeds Expected Growth

mClass Data 2022-2023



The Path: 1st to 3rd grades

Started with students' data

- → Used BOY mClass data to determine which screeners to give students.
- → Tutors supported teachers in administering appropriate screening tests.

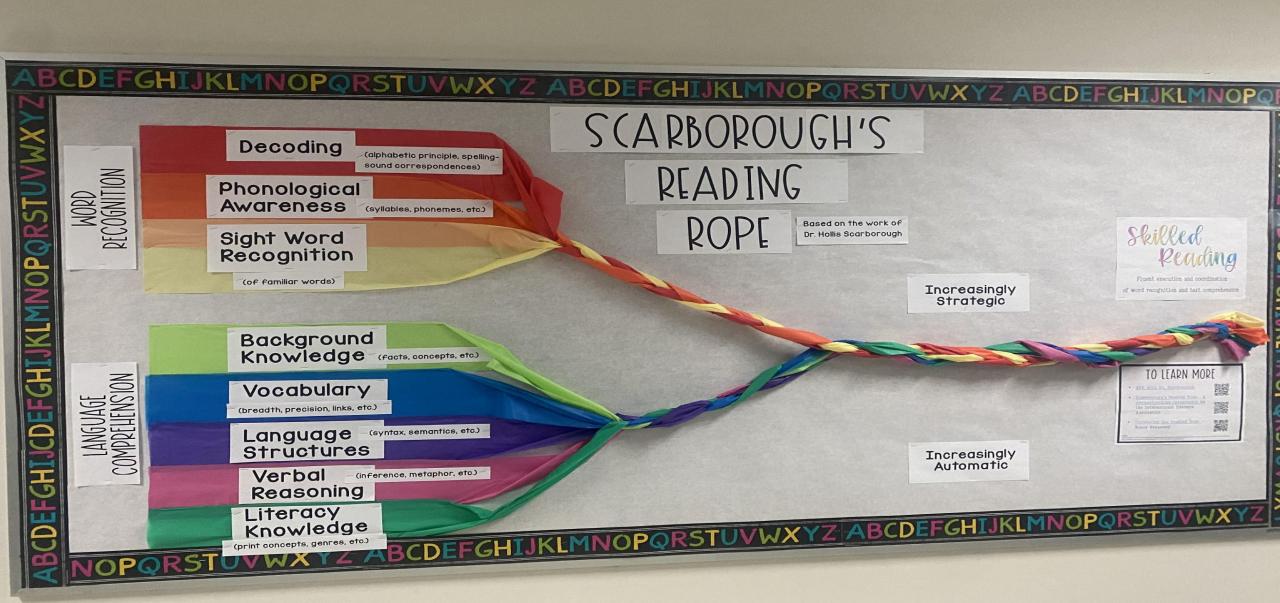
- R- Recognizing Skills
- O- Organizing Activities
- A- Actively Engaging
- R- Results Driven

Building Groups focused on skills

	A	8	c	D	E
4	PSF	NWF CLS	NWF WRC	Fluency	Vocabulary/ Comprehension
2	Rhyme Production/ Basic Syllables	LSC- Single Consonants & Digraphs	- Closed Syllable (SV&SC)		
3	Segmentation/Basic Syllables	LSC- Single Consonants & Digraphs	Long Vowel- VCe & Syllables		
4	- Syllable Deletion/ Basic Syllables	Closed Syllable (SV&SC)	- Closed Syllalbe (SV&SC)		
5	Rhyme Production/ Basic Syllable	- LSC- Single Consonants & Digraphs	Closed Syllalbes Di, D, &B		
6	Sentence Segmentation/ Onset-Rime	Closed Syllable (SV&SC)	Geronimo- Closed Syllables (SV&SC)		3
7	Phoneme Deletion (Initial Sound)/ Basic Phoneme	Closed Syllable (Di, D, &B)			
9		Long Vowels-VCe Words &			
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When sharing with teachers, the purpose of screening should be connected to the skills that should be targeted.





The Screeners Used for Data Collection

- RED and YELLOW in PSF need: (You may need to look back in previous grades)
 - a) PAST (lower level) (Directions) THEN
 - b) PAST (Directions)
- 2) RED and YELLOW in NWF need:
 - a) PAST (Directions) THEN
 - b) LETRS Phonics and Word Reading Inventory
- 3) RED and YELLOW in ORF need:
 - a) LETRS Phonics and Word Reading Inventory

Student Groups 3rd Grade Example

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Adult	Bearrow	Nichols	Castillo	Maxon	Grasso	Stevenson	Gilbert (Maxon)	Beddingfield (Bearrow)	Lake (Barbitta's room)	Barbitta
Skill	Rhyme Production/ Sentence Segmentation	LSC: Single & Digraphs 1	LSC: Single & Digraphs 2	Closed: Short Vowel & Single Consonant 1	Closed: Short Vowel & Single Consonant 2	Closed: Short Vowel & Single Consonant 3	Closed Syllables: Di, Ds, & Bl/ Long Vowel CVe vowels 2	Fluency	Comprehension/ Structure	Comprehension/ Challenge
Students	Rhyme Production/ Basic Syllables	Single Consonants & Digraphs		Closed Syllalbes (SC&SC)	Closed Syllalbes (SC&SC)	LSC- Single Consonants &	Closed Syllable (Di, D, &B)	<u> </u>	1000 00000	Bydan Carnas
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Use Data to Fill Gaps in Skills

Support for Screeners

Tutors were assigned to teachers to support the completion of screeners:

- → Early PAST (Earlier Phonological Awareness)
- → PAST (Advanced Phonological Awareness)
- → LETRS Phonics Survey

Build Intervention Groups

- As screeners were complete, the teachers recorded the first missing skill of students within the domains of Phonological Awareness and Phonics.
- → Once data was entered, groups were made according to skill.
- → Adults were assigned to groups.

ROAR Time

- → 30 minutes, 4 days a week
- → Intensive skills instruction High dosage tutoring
- Teachers, Assistants, Tutors, EC Teachers, and MLL Teachers
- → Students are progress monitored (once every two weeks) and move when they reach the benchmark level for each skill (i.e. 45 sounds per minute in Phoneme Segmentation Fluency).
- → Student groups should progress at a similar rate so their leader can move the whole group to the next skill. When there are outliers, students move to new groups.
- → Monthly WIGS were set accord to the typical growth rate for each measure.
- → Students who have reached the end of grade benchmark levels for all skills (PSF, NWF, ORF, MAZE) move to comprehension groups. Those groups work on novel studies, journals, and other enriching activities.

Resources

- Teachers were supported with a list of resources to support skills.
- → All ROAR activities were required to be research based.



Reading ROAR Resources

Phonemic Awareness

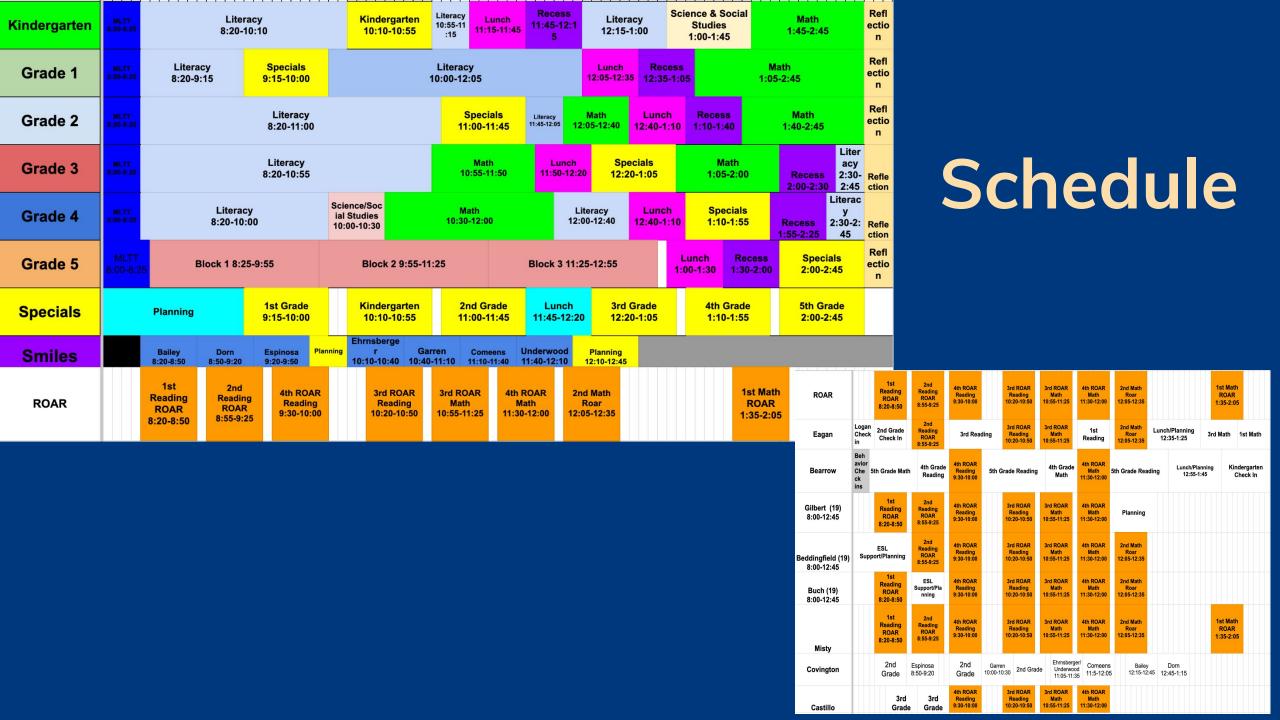
- Equipped for Reading Success by David A. Kilpatrick, Ph. D
- Florida Center for Reading Research (FCRR)
- Dyslexicologic- Segmenting Word Chains
- Phonological Awareness: An Instructional and Practical Guide
- mClass Small Group Activities
- Free Reading

Phonics/Spelling

- Florida Center for Reading Research (FCRR) (FREE) (look for phonics)
- UFLI Foundations Toolbox (PARTIALLY FREE...Manual \$70)
- Really Great Reading Letter Tiles (Basic Tiles FREE) (for letter manipulation on a device)
- West Virginia Phonics (FREE)
- Letterland Interventions
- mClass Small Group Activities
- Free Reading
- Mississippi Advanced Word Study

Fluency

- Florida Center for Reading Research (FCRR) (FREE) 2nd & 3rd grade links for Fluence
- Free Reading (FREE)
- mClass Small Group Activities
- Decodable Fluency (FREE)
- Fry Phrases (FREE)



Monthly Data Chats

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The Data

The results of the first month of WIG goals after starting ROAR instruction.

The percentage is the number of students in each class who MET their monthly goal.

Grade		Grades 1-3	mClass	
1	Comeens	Ehrnsberger	Garren	Underwood
	77%	58%	77%	77%
2	Chesnut	Eagan	Holmes	Miller
	88%	67%	88%	70%
3	Barbitta	Grasso	Maxon	Nichols
	67%	69%	65%	76%

+ The Path: 3rd to 5th Grades

Started with students' data

- → Used Check-in Data to determine a baseline for power standards.
- → PLCs unpacked standards together
- → Developed targeted question stems
- → Formative assessments were given to measure student growth.



Shrinking the Standards

А	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н	i	J	K	L	М	N	0	Р	Q	R	
	Check-in A		0		Check-in B				Check-in C							Released EOG S		
Standards	# of Questions	Weight		Standards	# of Questions	Weight		Standards	# of Questions	Weight		New Power Standards			Standards	# of Questions	% on Test	
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RI.5	1	4%		RI.5	1	4%		RI.5	1	4%	5 3	3	4%		RI 4.5	4	10%	
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RL.2	1	4%		RL.2	1	4%		RL.2	2	8%	*	4	6%		RL 4.2	2	5%	
RL.3	1	4%		RL.3	2	8%		RL.3	2	8%		5	7%		RL 4.3	6	15%	
RL.4	1	4%		RL.4	3	12%		RL.4	2	8%		6	8%		RL 4.4	2	5%	
Total	23			Total	24			Total	24						total	40		

- → Focused placed on "Power Standards"
- → More frequent occurrence on Check-Ins and EOGs
- → Foundational other standards build upon the understanding of these standards
- Example: Understanding the main idea and details helps students understand text structures, text connections, and the author's purpose/message.

Use Check-Ins to Drive Instruction

Data Focus Progression (a spiral of sorts):

- → 2nd Quarter- Review 1st Quarter Standards on Formative assessments
- → 3rd Quarter- Review 1st & 2nd Quarter Standards on Formative assessments
- → 4th Quarter- Review 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Quarter Standards on Formative assessments

Special Note: Formative Assessments

- → Formative assessments (Standards) are short.
- → Used to guide instruction for whole class and small groups. Seen as an assignment, not a test

- → Helped students build stamina for EOGs
- → Helped students build confidence for EOGs
 - Through participation in monthly goal setting and growth conversations

+ Student Goal Setting

Students are given individualized goals



- → Tease out Power Standards from Check-Ins to set baselines.
- Create Schoolnet formative assessments for each month (alternate fiction & nonfiction.
- Collect student data and review student growth monthly.
- → Average the baseline with monthly scores; this prevents topping out to impossible goals. Baseline goal setting is the baseline score plus 5%. (This year change to 1 point above the baseline.)
- → Look for growth.
- Repeat monthly.

Data Collection and Goal Setting

A	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1	J	K	L	M	N	0
	CHECK IN #1	CHECK IN #2	Baseline (average)	Goal	Growth Check #1	Growth Check #2		March Average	April Goal	Growth Check #3	Growth Check #4	Check-in #3	Growth Check # 5	Growth Check #6
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	na	0	5	10	0	67		33.5	21.75	67	44	0	22	16
	67	87	77	82	50	56		53	77	66	78	83	67	25
	33	87	60	65	50	22		36	65	22	78	67	78	42
	50	100	87.5	92.5	83	89		86	Move to 5th grade NF	78	89	83	67	89
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	50	100	88	93	100	66		83	Move to 5th grade NF	78	100	83	83	78
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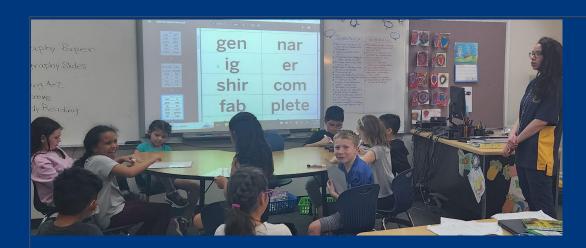
Special Note: 3rd Grade

- Must master foundational skills before the focus on reading comprehension
- → WIG goals based on mClass progress monitoring skills
- → WIGS change to Standards when student reached the end of 3rd grade benchmarks for NWF, ORF, & MAZE
- → Provides a steady path of progress for students that translated to Check-In and EOG performance.

+ WIG Wagon +



WIG Wagon visits classrooms with prizes for students who met monthly goals.

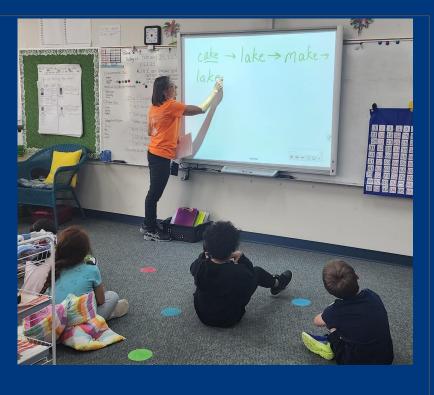


ROAR Groups











Essential Elements:

- → Leader in Me: 4DX approach to data with WIGS understanding
- → Relationships: There must be Staff Buy-in! The teachers must trust their leadership, and be willing to do the work.
- → Leadership: Someone with wisdom, patience, and be willing to pitch in and help.
- → Science of Reading: Administration and teachers must understand and be able to apply the science in the classroom.

Essential Elements:

- → Team Effort: Instructional Staff, Administration, Parents, and the most important part of our team is the students.
- → Slow Process:
 - The results are NOT instantaneous.
 - Everyone WILL get tired.
 - Must motivate and encourage teachers and students.
 - WIG Wagon, celebrations, gifts, and material for teachers' treats.

Focus for 2023-2024

- → Continue ROAR in Reading
- → Create ROAR time for Math
 - Look at Math Power Standards
 - Look at Math progression for WIGS
- Constantly reviewing data and making any necessary changes to our process.
- → Continue to empower Students to take Ownership of their learning!

"Beyond simply rewording the standard into teacher-friendly, student-friendly language, teachers need to tightly align these standards with their curriculum, instruction, and assessment."

[—] Austin Buffum, Simplifying Response to Intervention: Four Essential Guiding Principles

We are Sugarloaf. Hear us ROAR!



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