

#### NOTE TO PRESENTER:

Teachers should bring the following to this training:

- Their class summary sheet from the last administration of Tejas LEE
- A grouping mat, if they have one
- The *Guía de actividades de intervención*.

If training time allows, and your teachers do not yet have Tejas LEE Grouping Mats, Slide 62 of this presentation is designed as a short make and take.

NOTE\*\*\* If you want to do this activity, you will need to have the following items ready for your teachers:

- Third Grade Grouping Mats (2 pages long—downloadable from our website, [www.tejaslee.org](http://www.tejaslee.org)), preferably in full color. One set for each teacher
- Purple letter sized folders (one for each teacher)
- Scissors and Glue (sufficient for your group)
- Laminating Machine (if available)

For this presentation, encourage participants to work with their own class data as you model using the sample class data in this presentation. In this way, the teachers will leave the training with their general ability groups already made, instructional foci for each group and some activities selected to begin their interventions.



## Key Points



### Note For Presenter

The Key Points section shows you the most important information to convey for each slide.

Be especially careful that you have clearly covered these points.



## Notes



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## **Key Points**



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- The Tejas LEE Grouping Mats

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**DO:**

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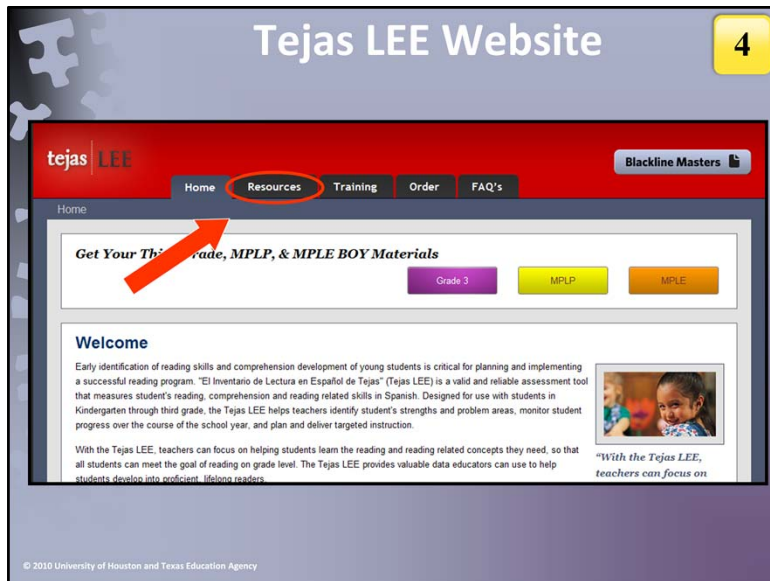


## Key Points



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#### SAY:

This is the home page of the Tejas LEE website. All of the materials we will be discussing today are available on the website, including the Automated Class Summary Sheets, the Grouping Charts and the Grouping Mats. In order to access these materials, please click on the Resources tab at the top of the screen.

#### DO:

✓ ☆ *CLICK*



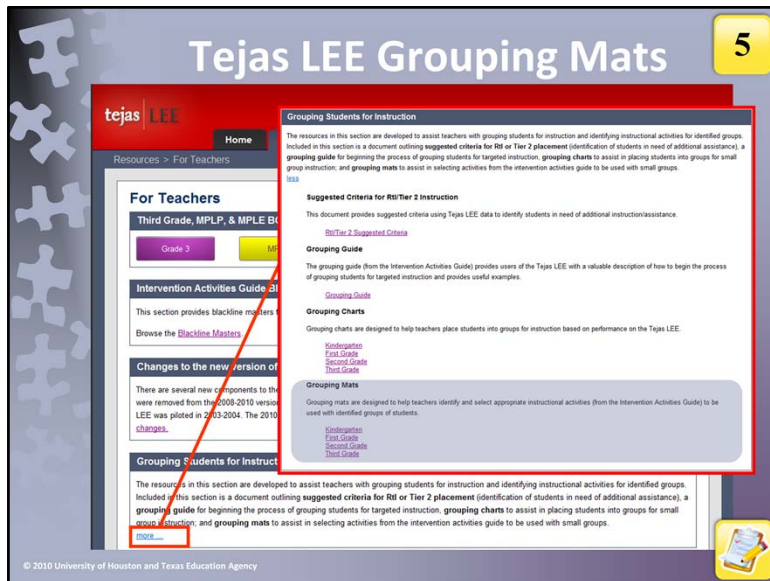
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- Please visit the website [www.tejaslee.org](http://www.tejaslee.org) to download teacher tools.
- Specific materials discussed today will be under the Resource tab. Once there, click on “For Teachers”.



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**SAY:** Once you click on the Resources tab, click on For Teachers and then on Grouping Students for Instruction. Let's take a closer look at the choices. You will come to this page of downloads. There are several categories of tools available for you here on the website. Let's discuss them briefly.

**DO:** ✓ ☆ CLICK

**Suggested Criteria for RtI/Tier 2 Instruction:** This document lays out the suggested RtI/Tier 2 criteria for each grade and timepoint, as recommended by the Tejas LEE development team. Your district's criteria may differ from these suggestions..

**Grouping Guide:** This document has step-by-step instructions on grouping your students. These instructions also appear in the Teacher Guide, behind the black tab titled, "Convertiendo los resultados a instrucción efectiva".

**Grouping Charts:** This is the document on which you can form instructional groups using the Grouping Guide.

**Grouping Mats:** The grouping mats list appropriate activities from the Intervention Activity Guide (IAG) for all sections of each grade level of the Tejas LEE. There are also suggested activities for skills not directly assessed by the Tejas LEE, such as Vocabulary and Writing, as well as space to specify the names of students who require intervention on each skill. Look for the section titled "Grouping Mats".

**DO:** ✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:** Note that the links are all purple. This is simply because the screen shot was made from a real webpage and all of the links had already been clicked on, so the hyperlink color had changed from BLUE to PURPLE.

**DO:**



Have the participants turn to their participant packet and give them a minute complete the matching activity. Choose a volunteer to read the correct answers.



## Key Points

- To locate Tejas LEE Grouping Mats, go to the Teacher Resource Page of the Tejas LEE website.
- Click on the "more..." button and find the section for Grouping Mats.



## Notes



### Note For Presenter

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it is a reminder that there is a place in the participation packet for participants to fill in or reflect.




## Think-Turn-Talk Why Group Students?

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The Tejas LEE is intended to drive classroom instruction.

Grouping allows you to focus your instruction on those skills that each student or group of students need in order to read successfully.

Grouping allows you to make efficient use of instructional time.



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**DO:**



*Pose the Think Turn Talk question to your group. Allow them a few minutes to discuss. Ask a few people to share.*

- ✓ ☆CLICK to bring up the first reason.
- ✓ ☆CLICK to bring up the second reason.
- ✓ ☆CLICK to bring up the third reason.

**SAY:**

*The Tejas LEE is intended as a diagnostic tool. It identifies critical reading readiness skills that are deficient and may interfere with a student's ability to learn to read successfully. However, identification of the deficits is only the first step. If, once the assessment is complete, teachers do not use this information to inform their instruction, the administration of the Tejas LEE is in vain. The results must be used in order for the Tejas LEE to have meaning. This module will show you how to use the results of the test to group your students for instruction.*

**DO:**

- ✓ ☆CLICK to have the bullets disappear.



## Key Points

- Tejas LEE is a diagnostic tool intended to drive classroom instruction.
- Analyzing the data gathered will help teachers to group their students effectively.



## Notes







# Class Summary Sheet

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			Conocimiento de los grafonemas	
			Sección 2	
Comprensión de lectura			Dictado	
Cuento 1	Cuento 2	Nivel de logro global	D: 9-10 NI: 0-8	
D: 7-8 NI: 0-6	D: 7-8 NI: 0-6	D/NI	Puntaje	D/NI

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#### SAY:

Let's take a closer look at the Class Summary Sheets. Shown here is a part of the Third Grade BOY class summary sheet. Underneath each section title you will find the performance cutpoints. The cutpoints are based on our pilot studies and research that shows where these students should be at BOY. For example:

#### DO:

✓ ☆CLICK

#### SAY:

In the Spelling, the BOY cutpoints are 0-8 = NI (Nivel de intervención) and 9-10 = D (Desarrollado). For all tasks on third grade, the cutpoints remain the same throughout the school year. In other grades, however, there is an additional NE performance level and cutpoints may change from administration to administration.

The cutpoints for each skill on the Tejas LEE will vary based on the number of items and pilot study results.



## Key Points

- In the Class Summary Sheets, below each section name are the performance levels for that administration time point.
- Remember, D=Developed, NE=Expected Level, and NI=Intervention Level.
- The specific performance levels for a particular section will vary depending on the administration time point.



## Notes



**NI Number and Percentage** 9

tejas·LEE Resúmen de la clase - Tercer grado Principio del año

Maestro(a): \_\_\_\_\_ Escuela: \_\_\_\_\_

**To calculate the Percentage of students NI:**

$$\frac{\text{Number of students NI}}{\text{Total of students in your class}} \times 100$$

Nombre del estudiante: \_\_\_\_\_

Número de estudiantes NI: \_\_\_\_\_

Porcentaje de estudiantes NI: \_\_\_\_\_

Número de estudiantes NI: \_\_\_\_\_

Porcentaje de estudiantes NI: \_\_\_\_\_

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**SAY:** At the bottom of the class summary sheet, those sections of the Tejas LEE that have an NI performance level will have two additional boxes for counting the Number of Students NI and the Percentage of Students NI.

DO: ✓ ☆CLICK

**SAY:** The second arrow shows a column for which there is no NI standard at this time point, and there are no boxes available for calculating a Percentage of Students NI. This is because the students are not expected to have developed this skill at this time point. This skill will not be used for grouping/intervention at this point in the school year.

You will need to calculate the “Porcentaje de la clase NI” for each column with the two additional boxes. To do this, divide the Number of students NI by the total number of students in your class and multiply the result by 100. Note that we recommend that Whole Class Instruction be used instead of small group intervention if the Percentage of the Class NI is 67% or more.

DO: ✓ ☆CLICK to bring up the formula.



Have the participants turn to their participant packet and give them a minute calculate the % de la clase NI. Choose a volunteer to read the correct answers. The answers can be found in the NOTES section of this page.



## Key Points

- If a section has an NI standard, then a Number of Students NI and Percentage of Students NI box will appear at the bottom of that section column. These boxes will not appear for sections that do not have an NI standard.
- To determine Percentage of students NI, divide the Number of students NI by the total number of students and then multiply by 100.
- For skills in which 67% or more are NI, we recommend using whole group instruction.
- For skills in which less than 66% are NI, we recommend using small group instruction.



## Notes

Answers to Activity (rounded to nearest whole percent):

1. 52%
2. 24%
3. 32%
4. 76%



Reading Comprehension Information								
10								
Comprensión de lectura								
Sección 1								
Exactitud de lectura			Fluidez de lectura			Comprensión de lectura		
Cuento 1	Cuento 2	Nivel de logro global	Cuento 1	Cuento 2	Promedio	Cuento 1	Cuento 2	Nivel de logro global
IND/INS/FRU	IND/INS/FRU	D/NI	(PLCPM)	(PLCPM)		D: 7-8 NI: 0-6	D: 7-8 NI: 0-6	D/NI

There are 3 ✓ ☆ CLICKS OF ANIMATION for this slide.

**SAY:** Let's now look at more in detail at the comprehension information we will need for grouping. For Grade 3, there are two stories at each timepoint. When we are grouping, we will be mostly using the overall score (Nivel de logro global) and may use the individual story scores when deciding how best to group students who may be harder to place into a particular group.

**DO:** ✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:** Exactitud de lectura: Here we will look at how well the student reads correctly. Remember, a student needs to be either Nivel independiente or Nivel de instrucción on both stories to be considered Desarrollado on Accuracy.

**DO:** ✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:** Proporción de la fluidez: The reading fluency rate, measured in PLCPM (Palabras Leídas Correctamente por Minuto—Words Read Correctly Per Minute) is one measure of fluency we will look at for grouping. We will look at the average score for both stories. However, you will remember that if a student is Nivel de frustración on one of the story, the "average" will be their score on the one story they did read at the Independent or Instructional level. . There is no performance level for fluency as the rate needs to be looked at in conjunction with comprehension.

**DO:** ✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:** Comprensión de lectura Just like for Reading Accuracy, a student must score Desarrollado on BOTH stories to have an overall score of Desarrollado.



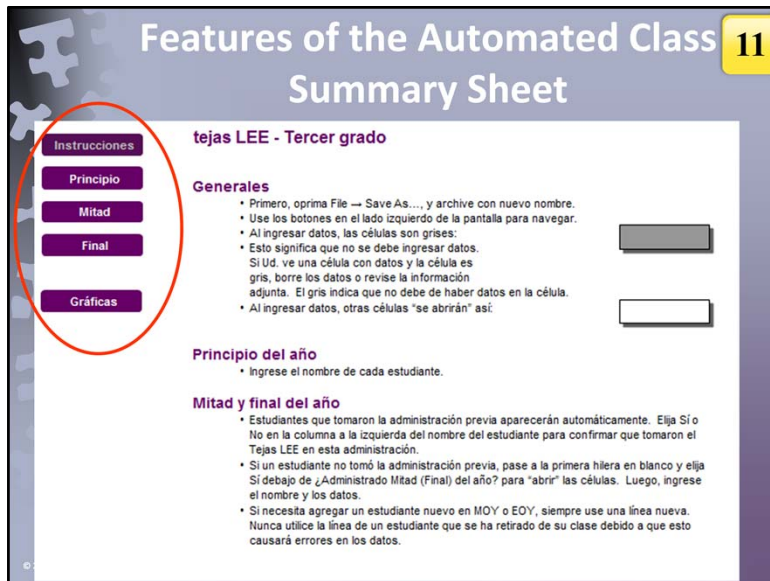
## Key Points

- Grades 1-3 will have two reading comprehension stories per time point.
- For the Accuracy overall score, a student is considered D if they score IND or INS on both stories. If a student scores FRU on either story, they are considered NI overall.
- For Fluency, there are no performance levels. However, to determine the fluency average, add both fluency scores and divide by two. If only one fluency score is available then that will be used as the average.
- For Comprehension, students must be D on both stories to be considered D overall.



## Notes





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**SAY:**

*One alternative to the paper Class Summary Sheet is the Automated Class Summary Sheet. These sheets are available for download on the Tejas LEE website.*

**DO:**

✓☆CLICK

**SAY:**

*On the left hand side of the Instructions page, there are a series of buttons in the color of the grade (the example above is purple for third grade). These buttons will allow you to quickly navigate through the various views of the Class Summary Sheet. There is a button for each time point as well as a button for graphs.*



## Key Points

- Pencil Paper Tejas LEE users may wish to use the Electronic Version of the Class Summary Sheet.
- The Automated Class Summary Sheets open to an instructions page and contain buttons on left hand side for easy navigation between time points and several other screens.



## Notes



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## BOY View

**tejas LEE - Tercer grado - Principio del año**

**Maestro(a):** Ms. Fonseca  
**Escuela:** Medina Elementary  
**Fecha:** Sept. 2010

Conocimiento de los grafonemas		
Sección 2		
Dictado		
D= 9-10 NI= 0-8		
Puntaje	D/NI	
Mario A	7	NI
Carla A	5	NI
Carlos B	9	D

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### SAY:

At BOY on the Automated Class Summary Sheets, all rows will be grayed out. In order to enter Tejas LEE results, you first have to type the student's name into the first column. This will open up the numerical scoring box for the first section on the sheet. As you enter results, the automated class summary sheet will automatically determine the performance level (D, NE, NI) and enter this information for you. NI results are represented in RED for your easy reference. These are the students who require intervention in this skill. NE is represented in YELLOW (There is no NE Performance Level in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade) and D is represented by green. Once a score is entered, the sheet will open up the next box that should be scored based on the branching rules. The Automated Class Summary Sheet will NOT allow a score to be entered for a section that should not be administered.



## Key Points

- At BOY, a student name must be entered into the appropriate column in order to enter data into the Automated Class Summary Sheet.
- The Automated Class Summary will automatically convert numerical scores into the appropriate performance level. D is represented in GREEN, NE in YELLOW and NI in RED.
- The sheet will not allow scores to be entered for sections that should not be administered.



## Notes



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## MOY View

tejas LEE - Tercer grado - Mitad del año

Maestro(a): Ms. Fonseca  
 Escuela: Medina Elementary  
 Fecha: \_\_\_\_\_

**¿Administrado mitad del año?**  
☐ SI  
☐ SI  
☐ SI  
☐ NO

Nombre del estudiante	Exactitud de lectura		
	Cuento 1 (IND-INS-FRU)	Cuento 2 (IND-INS-FRU)	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)
Mario A	IND	IND	D
Carla A	FRU	INS	NI
Carlos B	INS	IND	D

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## Key Points

- At BOY, all students are grayed out. To enter scores, change “¿Administrado mitad del año?” from NO to SI.
- The Automated Class Summary will automatically apply entry point rules. Student score boxes will remain gray, but the D performance level will show for this section.
- New students should be entered on NEW lines, not on top of students who have withdrawn.

**SAY:** At the MOY administration, the Automated Class Summary Sheet looks somewhat different. You will see an additional column to the left of the student names. Here you should indicate whether the listed students took the test at MOY. Once you mark “SI”, the Class Summary Sheet will open up to the sections that should be administered to this student. New students should always be entered on new lines, not on top of students who have withdrawn from the class.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR PRESENTER:

The following information DOES NOT apply to the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade Automated Class Summary (ACSS) sheet, but is applicable for Kinder, G1 and G2. Present this information ONLY if participants use more than one grade level of the ACSS.

**\*\*If a student was D on sections that use the Entry Point Rule (See your grade level administration module for information on Entry Point Rules), the Automated Class Summary Sheet will direct you to the first section for which you need to input results for MOY, bypassing the other sections. The sections on which the student was D at BOY will remain “grayed out” but you will see the performance level.**



## Notes



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## Additional Features

Instrucciones

Principio

Mitad

Final

Para imprimir

Gráficas

tejas LEE - Tercer grado - Principio del año

Maestro(a):

Escuela:

Fecha:

Exactitud de lectura			
D=IND o INS NI=FRU			
Nombre del estudiante	Cuento 1 (IND-INS-FRU)	Cuento 2 (IND-INS-FRU)	Nivel de logro global (D,NI)
Mario A	IND	INS	D
Carla A	IND	FRU	NI
Carlos B	IND	INS	D

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## Key Points

- The “Para Imprimir” button is for printing purposes. It will take you to a grayscale page for the current timepoint.

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### SAY:

Once you navigate to one of the class summary sheets, an additional button becomes visible.

DO: ✓ ☆CLICK

**SAY:** This button says “Para imprimir” and will give a printable view. In addition, the worksheet is locked so that no changes can be made. This view is for printing purposes only. There is a printable view for each time point.



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## Printable View

**Para imprimir**

**tejas LEE - Tercer grado - Mitad del año**

**Maestro(a):** Ms. Fonseca

**Escuela:** Medina Elementary

**Fecha:** 2/1/2011

Exactitud de lectura		
D=IND o INS NI=FRU		
Cuento 1 (IND-INS-FRU)	Cuento 2 (IND-INS-FRU)	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)
Mario A	IND	IND
Carla A	FRU	INS
Carlos B	INS	IND

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## Key Points

- It is not possible to enter data when you are in the printable view.

### SAY:

Once you click on the PRINTABLE view, the results show somewhat differently. You will notice that the D/NI boxes do not appear in red or green.

Also, it is not possible to enter data when you are in the PRINTABLE view. To enter data, you must go back to one of the timepoint views (Principio, Mitad, Final).



## Notes



## Additional Features

Comprensión de la lectura								
Sección 1								
Exactitud de lectura			Fluidez de lectura			Comprensión de lectura		
D=IND o INS NI=FRU						D=7-8 NI=0-6		
Cuento 1 (IND-INS-FRU)	Cuento 2 (IND-INS-FRU)	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)	Cuento 1 (PLCPM)	Cuento 2 (PLCPM)	Promedio	Cuento 1	Cuento 2	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)
IND	INS	D	78	84	81	6	7	NI
IND	FRU	NI	101		101	7		NI
IND	INS	D	94	83	89	8	7	D
FRU	INS	NI		77	77		7	NI

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### SAY:

On the Comprehension sections for Third Grade, there are some columns with special features.

Exactitud de lectura: There is a pulldown menu for the Reading Accuracy section for each story. There are three possible choices: Nivel independiente, Nivel de instrucción, and Nivel de frustración. Once you input the information for stories 1 and 2, the Automated Class Summary Sheet will determine the correct performance level.

Fluidez de lectura: The Automated Class Summary Sheet will calculate an average fluency rate for both stories. If there is only one fluency rate (because a student was Nivel de frustración on one of the stories) the Automated Class Summary Sheet will present the score of the other story as the Average. Please note that the Tejas LEE no longer has a performance standard for Fluency Rate.

Comprensión de lectura: You simply input the score your student achieved on the comprehension questions for both stories. The Automated Class Summary Sheet will determine the performance level for each student and select D or NI as appropriate.



## Key Points

- The Accuracy Section has a pulldown menu for you to record Accuracy levels for both stories. The ACSS then determines the correct performance level.
- The ACSS will then open up the appropriate fluency and comprehension cells. If cells remain “grayed out”, no data should be entered.
- The ACSS will average fluency scores and determine the overall comprehension score once data has been entered.



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## Branching Features

Comprensión de la lectura								
Sección 1								
Exactitud de lectura			Fluidez de lectura			Comprensión de lectura		
D=IND o INS NI=FRU						D=7-8 NI=0-6		
Cuento 1 (IND-INS-FRU)	Cuento 2 (IND-INS-FRU)	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)	Cuento 1 (PLCPM)	Cuento 2 (PLCPM)	Promedio	Cuento 1	Cuento 2	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)
IND	INS	D	78	84	81	6	7	NI
IND	FRU	NI	101		101	7		NI
IND	INS	D	94	83	89	8	7	D
FRU	INS	NI		77	77		7	NI

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**SAY:** Grayed out boxes: Depending on the grade level and branching rules, some sections may be “grayed out” during the administration. In the above example, a student scored FRU on Story 1 Accuracy (light green arrow) and because of branching rules, fluency and comprehension should not be calculated for this story. So, the Fluency and Comprehension boxes for story 1 are grayed out (red arrows), and the teacher is able to enter data only for fluency and comprehension for story 2.



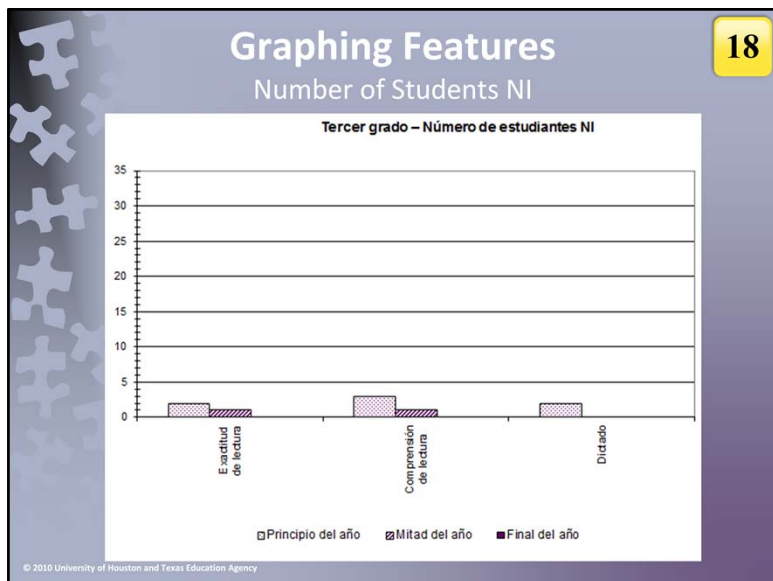
## Key Points

- On some grade levels, some sections will be “grayed out”, indicating that these sections should not have been administered due to branching rules.



## Notes





### SAY:

Once a user clicks on the graph view, they will see the Needs Intervention data each time point in two different views. The one shown above has the number of students NI. This is probably not the most useful way to look at your data because hopefully, you do not have large numbers of students NI. Since the graph allows for up to 35 students in a class, the bars tend to be very small.



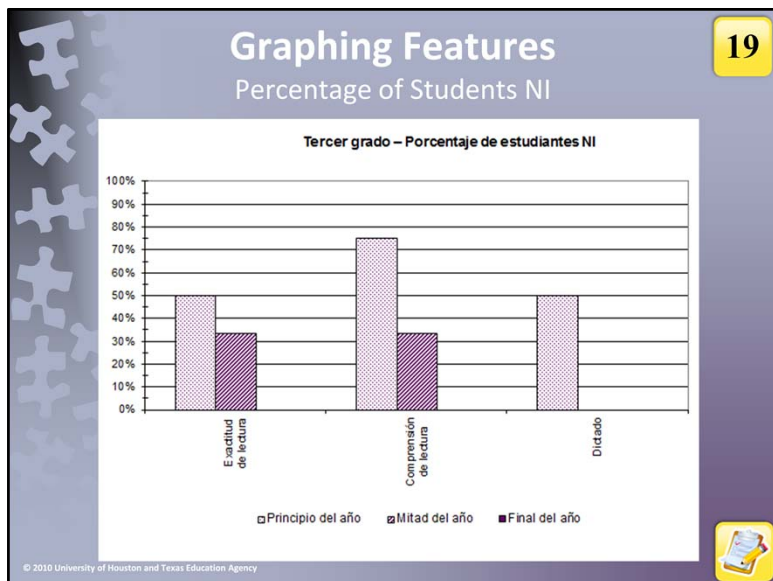
## Key Points

- The ACSS allows teachers to view data graphically by clicking on the GRAFICA button.
- Two views are available, this one shows the Number of Students NI.



## Notes





**SAY:**

The second view shows the percentage of the class NI. This view is particularly useful for determining whether to use small group or whole class instruction to address a skill.

**DO:**



*Have the participants turn to their participant packet and give them a minute calculate the complete the TRUE/FALSE activity. Choose a volunteer to read the correct answers. The answers can be found in the NOTES section of this page.*



## Key Points

- The second view is the Percentage of Students NI . This view is particularly useful for grouping students.



## Notes

KEY for Activity:

1. FALSE—The ACSS should be downloaded from our website
2. TRUE
3. FALSE—New students should be entered on new lines
4. TRUE
5. TRUE



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## Grouping: Converting Results into Effective Instruction

- General Ability Grouping
- Skill Specific Grouping

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### SAY:

*Armed with this information from the Tejas LEE assessment, we are now ready to group students for individualized instruction. For the purposes of the Tejas LEE, there are two basic types of instruction.*

*The first grouping type that is commonly used for individualized instruction is General Ability Grouping. Students are moved across groups as they master skills. The General Ability Grouping is based on student performance on the Tejas LEE, as will be shown in the upcoming slides.*

*The second is Skill Specific Grouping. In this type of grouping, the teacher calls together a group of students who have not yet mastered a specific section on the Tejas LEE, such as initial syllable omission. Skill Specific Groups tend to be highly fluid and may be short-lived. Students move out of these groups as soon as the skill is mastered and if all students show mastery of the skill, it ceases to exist. This allows the teacher to refocus instruction on remaining weaknesses among students.*



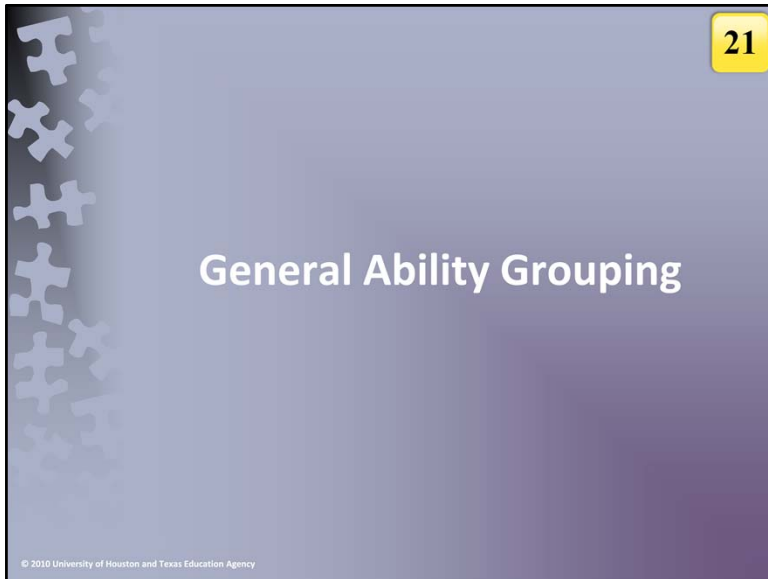
## Key Points

- There are two basic types of grouping for the Tejas LEE: flexible (or general ability grouping) and skill specific grouping.
- Flexible (or general ability) grouping is based on their overall performance of the Tejas LEE. Students are moved between groups as different skills are mastered.
- As its name implies, skill specific grouping focuses on a particular skill or section of the Tejas LEE assessment. As soon as the skill is mastered this group is dissolved.



## Notes





SAY:

*First let's discuss the process used for General Ability Grouping.*




## Key Points



## Notes





## Using Tejas LEE Data to Group Students

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The sections outlined below will assist you in grouping students using the Tejas LEE data.

- ☒ Prepare the Tejas LEE data for grouping.
- ☒ Follow the guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping.
- ☐ Plan Instruction based on needs.

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**SAY:**

*This slide shows necessary steps for grouping students using the Tejas LEE data. The previous slides discussed how to fill out the class summary sheet. In doing so, we have already completed step one.*

**DO:**

✓☆CLICK

**SAY:**

*Now let's move on to step two: Follow the guidelines for differentiated instruction grouping.*



## Key Points

- Step 1 of grouping students is preparing the data. This is achieved by completing the class summary sheet.
- In order to complete Step 2, we must first familiarize ourselves with the guidelines in the following slides.



## Notes



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*At this time, we are going to use a sample BOY third grade class of 16 students to demonstrate the grouping process. This slide shows a screenshot of the class summary sheet already filled out. You should have a copy of this summary sheet in your handouts.*







## Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping 24

1. Determine which skills should be taught whole group versus small group.  
**Recommendations:**  
Large Group: 67% or more NI  
Small Group: 66% or less

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**DO:**

Paraphrase slide.

**SAY:**

*Although we recommend the above percentages, always follow school and or district policies regarding grouping. You may also find that the your particular class results may necessitate using different percentages. Use your professional judgment. For example, some teachers may opt to use whole group instruction on any skill on which more than 50% of the class is NI.*



## Key Points

- The first thing that we must do is look at our class summary sheet and determine which skills need to be taught whole group versus small group.
- The Tejas LEE recommends using whole group when addressing skills in which 67% or more of your class scored NI. Small group instruction is recommended for skills in which 66% or less of your class scored NI.
- Teachers may use their professional judgment in determining whether to use whole or small group.



## Notes



- The number of students NI and percentage of students NI can be found at the bottom of the class summary sheet.
- Only the skills that have an NI level at this time point will have corresponding NI boxes.
- If a section does not have NI boxes then students are not expected to be developed in that particular skill at this time point.

*The first thing to look at is the very bottom of the Class Summary Sheet. At each time point, the sections with a NI performance level will have two additional boxes at the bottom of the column to assist you in the grouping process—*



## Notes



## Notes

- For the reading comprehension section, there is an NI level for accuracy and comprehension at each time point.
- However, fluency does NOT have a performance level standard at any time point. Although fluency rate is important, it needs to be looked at in conjunction with comprehension and not in isolation.

*Shown here is the comprehension part of the class summary sheet. You will note that Reading Accuracy and Reading Comprehension do have performance standards at BOY (and all time points—green arrows). These stories were selected for each time point based on the results of our pilot studies. Students are expected to read the stories accurately and have comprehension at each time point.*

*Fluency does NOT have a performance standard, nor does it at any time point. This is because the fluency measure on the table, reading rate, is not an end in itself. This is not to say that reading rate (speed) is not important, it certainly is. Automatic and rapid reading helps students to understand text. However, the goal of fluency is not simply to read fast, it is to improve comprehension. All of us have had students in our classroom who read quickly and accurately, but who do not understand a thing they read once they complete the selection. Thus, the fluency rate should always be looked at in conjunction with comprehension.*





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## Small vs. Whole Group Instruction

**Whole 66% or more**  
**Small less than 66%**

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**SAY:**

The next thing to look at is the actual percentage of the class NI. If the percentage is less than 67%, we recommend that this skill be taught as small group instruction. In the example above, our teacher should provide intervention on Reading Accuracy and Reading Comprehension as small group instruction as the percentages are 25% and 56%. However, Spelling might best be provided as a whole group activity as 73% of the class is NI in this skill.



## Key Points

- Look at percentage of students NI for each skill (where applicable) and determine whether that skill should be addressed whole group or small group.
- Remember, the Tejas LEE recommends using whole group when addressing skills in which 67% or more of your class scored NI. Small group instruction is recommended for skills in which 66% or less of your class scored NI.



## Notes



Sample Class Summary Sheet 28				
Maestra: _____				
Escuela: _____		Exactitud de lectura		
D = Desarrollado NI = Nivel de intervención		Cuento 1 IND, INS, FRU	Cuento 2 IND, INS, FRU	Nivel de logro global (D, NI)
Nombre del estudiante	Ávila, Luis	IND	IND	D
	Calles, Jennifer	IND	INS	D
	Enriquez, Adán	INS	INS	D
	Fontalvo, Eduardo	FRU	→	NI
	García, José	IND	INS	D
	González, Omar	FRU	→	NI
	Herrera, Eddie	INS	INS	D
	Jiménez, Kevin	INS	IND	D
	Martínez, Camila	FRU	→	NI
	Mirales, Adriana	INS	IND	D
	Nieto, Margarita	IND	IND	D
	Pardo, Eloy	INS	INS	D
	Quiñones, Graciela	INS	IND	D
	Rosa, Fernando	INS	INS	D
	Salinas, Josue	FRU	→	NI
	Torres, Jason	IND	IND	D

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#### SAY:

Intervention should occur with those students scoring NI on each task. In our example, 4 students are NI on Reading Accuracy.

DO: ✓ ☆ CLICK

#### SAY:

The four arrows point to the scores that require intervention. However, since the Reading Accuracy reflects an overall score that encompasses the reading of two stories, We should also look at whether the student missed one or both and what kind of story each was (At BOY, Story 1 is Narrative, Story 2 is Expository).



## Key Points

- In this example, 9 students scored NI in sections 1 and 2. They will need intervention in identifying initial and final sounds.
- For sections 3 and 4, 9 students scored NI and will require intervention in blending and segmenting sounds.
- For all combined sections, teachers may find it useful to look at the student's scores in the individual subsections to better determine their needs.
- Although students who score NE do not require intervention, they will still benefit from more practice in order to achieve mastery.



## Notes



Tejas LEE Grouping Chart						
29						
JOY____MOV____EOY____						
Grade 3 Grouping Chart						
IG3	Dictado	Exactitud	Fluidez	Comprensión	Final	Esbozo de instrucción
BAJO						
MEDIO						
ALTO						
Contenido planeado con la Guía de actividades de intervención						
IA3	Conocimiento de la letra impresa	Conciencia fonológica	Conocimiento de los grafófonemas	Fluidez	Comprensión	Vocabulario
	p. 3	p. 9	p. 33	p. 87	p. 97	p. 139
						p. 165
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## Key Points

- This is a screen shot of a First Grade Grouping Chart.
- This grouping chart can be used to facilitate general ability grouping.

### SAY:

*This is an example of the chart that we will be using to group students in the upcoming slides.*


*This handout is in your participant binder.*

*Now that we have introduced our grouping chart we can continue to the next guideline for differentiated instructional grouping.*



## Notes





## Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping

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2. Group student names into the High and Low categories for each skill (do not fill in the Final or Enfoque de instrucción columns). Using the *Resumen de la clase*, identify students who score as High or Low on each skill. Place their names into the appropriate box. All other names should be placed in the Middle group (this group will eventually be broken into Middle High and Middle Low).

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**DO:**

Walk participants through this slide.

**SAY:**

*When creating your intervention groups, your lowest group should have no more than 5-6 members. In a case like in our class, where 9 students are NI in this skill, we want to focus on those students who have the greatest need. This can be determined by looking at their raw scores. Those who are slightly stronger can be placed into the middle group. We will still intervene with them, but not with the frequency or intensity as we will with those with greatest need.*

**DO:**



Have the participants complete the blank grouping chart for Sections 1 and 2 (Low, Medium, High) before proceeding to the next slide.



## Key Points

- Look at each section of the Tejas LEE and put students into Low, Medium, or High groups for each skill.
- The Medium group usually consists of a mix of high NI, low D, or NE students.



## Notes



The Low Group	
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G3	Dictado
BAJO	Eduardo Omar Margarita Josue

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#### DO:

On third grade, the first column is for Spelling.

Ensure that everyone understands why we placed these students into the Low Group for Spelling. Because of the large number of students NI in spelling, the teacher had to choose a cutoff point for the low group. To keep this group at 5 students, this teacher chose 5 as the cutoff point. Those with NI scores of 6-8, do not appear in the LOW group.



## Key Points

- These students were chosen for the low group because they had the lowest NI scores in Sections 1 and 2.



## Notes



**The High Group** 32

<b>ALTO</b>	<b>Luis Jose Eddie Adriana Eloy</b>
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**DO:**

Ensure that everyone understands why we placed these students into the High Group Spelling

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## Key Points

- These students were chosen for the high group because they had the highest D scores in Sections 1 and 2.



## Notes



**The Middle Group** **33**

**MEDIO**

**Jennifer  
Adán  
Kevin  
Camila  
Graciela  
Fernando  
Jason**

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**SAY:**

*In our example class, there are only sixteen students. The Middle Group is comprised of students who have high NI results. In a normal class, if there are more than 5-6 NI students, the Low Group will be limited to the neediest 5-6, while the Middle Group will be comprised of a mix of "High NI" students and "Low D" students. This will allow the teacher to have a maximum impact on the students who need the intervention most by limiting the number in this group.*

**DO:**

Answer any questions about the Middle group before proceeding.



## Key Points

- These students were chosen for the Middle group because they had the highest NI scores in Sections 1 and 2. Although they were NI, they were the only ones who scored a double digit raw score.



## Notes



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## Key Points

- Next, we will look at the next section that has an NI level, Sections 3 and 4.
- Since this section has all three performance levels, D/NE/NI, it is easier to place students into high, middle and low groups.

**SAY:**

*We now look at the next column for which there is an NI performance standard—Reading Accuracy. Here, you will want to look at the overall scores and the individual story scores. Each class will be different. For example, if very few students scored FRU on one of the stories, the NI group may consist of those few students. However, if many students are FRU, you will have to only include those who were FRU on both stories in your low group and place those with only one FRU score into the middle group.*



## Notes



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G3	Dictado	Exactitud	Fluidez	Comprensión	Final	Enfoque de Instrucción
BAJO	Eduardo Omar Margarita Josue	Eduardo Omar Camila Josue				
	Jennifer Adán Kevin Camila Graciela Fernando Jason	Adán Eddie Eloy Fernando  Jennifer Jose Kevin Adriana Graciela				
ALTO	Luis Jose Eddie Adriana Eloy	Luis Margarita Jason				

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### SAY:

*The Low, Middle and High groups have been added for Reading Accuracy. You would continue to progress along the grouping mat in this fashion for each section of the Tejas LEE Assessment.*

### DO:

*Draw participants attention to the MEDIO box for the Exactitud column. The students here have further been divided. The students closer to the BAJO group have INS scores for both stories, while those closer to the ALTO group have one INS and one IND score. The ALTO group has IND scores for both stories.*

### DO:

*While it may not always be necessary to divide out your middle group in this fashion, you certainly do have the flexibility to do so.*




## Key Points

- Based on their results on Sections 3 and 4, we have placed students into low, medium, and high groups.



## Notes





## Helpful Hints

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- When making grouping decisions, look at the raw (numerical) score as well as the performance level.
- It is often helpful to record the student accuracy score and the actual fluency score to assist with grouping and instruction.

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### SAY:

*Now you will complete the next several columns on the grouping chart. Here are a few helpful hints with you that may make your grouping easier.*

*Don't only look at the performance level score (D, NE, NI). Look also at the raw (numerical score). There is a large difference between a student with a raw score of zero on a task (no knowledge of the skill) and one who's score is 8 on the Spelling task—still NI, but only one point away from a D score on this skill.*

*Also, when you are grouping students for the accuracy and fluency columns, you may find it useful to record some additional information next to student names. In the Accuracy column, you may wish to note the student scores on both stories (for example IND, INST) or the overall performance for both (D or NI). Under fluency, you may find it useful to jot down the actual student fluency rate next to the names.*



## Key Points

- When making grouping decisions, it is often helpful to also look at the students' raw or numerical scores for each section.
- For Accuracy and Fluency columns, teachers may find it useful to include additional information next to students' names (i.e. actual accuracy levels, fluency rates)



## Notes



## Your Turn

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- Complete the Grouping Chart, all the way across up to and including the Comprehension column.
- DO NOT yet complete the Final, or Instructional Focus columns.

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### DO:



Have participants complete the Grouping Chart based on the sample data up to and including the Comprehension column. They should NOT yet complete the Final or Instructional Focus columns.



## Key Points



## Notes



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## Key Points

- Comprehension is the last section at First Grade BOY that has an NI performance level.
- In this class, 69% of the students scored NI in comprehension.
- It is recommended that this skill be taught whole group.

**SAY:**

*Looking at the final Section for which there is an NI performance level (Dictado/Spelling), we find that the percentage of the class NI is 73%. This indicates that this skill should be taught as a whole group activity, rather than in small group.*

*We completed this section earlier, however, there are two ways we can represent this on the grouping mat.*



## Notes



**39**

## Grouping for Dictado

G3	Dictado
BAJO	Whole Class

G3	Dictado
BAJO	Eduardo Omar Margarita Josue
MEDIO	Jennifer Adán Kevin Camila Graciela Fernando Jason
ALTO	Luis Jose Eddie Adriana Eloy

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### SAY:

*One way to represent this column is by simply writing "WHOLE GROUP" in the box for Spelling. Others may prefer to write out student names for this column. Either method is fine.*

### NOTE TO PRESENTER:

*The Grouping Chart places GK (Spelling) before the Comprehension task even though this is the last section based on the Tejas LEE.*



## Key Points

- Teachers can choose to either write whole group in the Comprehension column or break down their students into low, middle, and high groups.



## Notes



Final BOY Skill Grouping						
G3	Dictado	Exactitud	Fluidez	Comprensión	Final	Enfoque de Instrucción
BAJO	Eduardo Omar Margarita Josue	Eduardo Omar Camila Josue	Omar Josue	Adán Eduardo Omar Camila Josue		
MEDIO	Jennifer Adán Kevin Camila Graciela Fernando Jason	Adán Eddie Eloy Fernando  Jennifer Jose Kevin Adriana Graciela	Eduardo-65 Camila-54 Adriana-62 Margarita-59 Fernando-64  Luis -79 Jennifer-70 Kevin-70 Eloy-73 Jason-78	Jennifer Kevin Margarita Fernando		
ALTO	Luis Jose Eddie Adriana Eloy	Luis Margarita Jason	Adán-91 José-101 Eddie-85 Graciela-84	Luis Eloy José Jason Eddie Adriana Graciela		

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## Key Points

- Here is what our grouping chart should look like up to this point.
- Keep in mind that grouping is very flexible, and that there is no “right” way to group. Grouping may vary slightly due to teachers’ professional judgment.

### SAY:

*Here is a screenshot of our grouping chart up to this point. Your grouping chart may look somewhat different from this one. This is fine. There are no absolutes in grouping. In a roomful of teachers, all looking at the same data, it is likely that the grouping mat of each teacher will look somewhat different. What really matters is considering each student’s performance and using your professional judgment to decide how each student’s needs can best be met.*

*Now that we have grouped students by skill, let’s move on to the next step in the guidelines.*



## Notes



**Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping** **41**

3. Identify students who consistently fall into the Low group across skills. These students' names should be placed in the Final column for the Low group. Define the instructional needs for this group and write them in the *Enfoque de instrucción* column.

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**DO:**

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Remind participants that general ability grouping is not an exact science. Flexibility is of utmost importance when deciding how to group your class. Teachers know their students better than anyone else, and just use their professional judgment when assigning groups.



## Key Points

- Place students who are consistently in the Low Group for all skills in the Final Low group.
- Identify their needs and write these in the Instructional Focus column.



## Notes



## Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping

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4. Identify students who consistently fall into the High group across skills. These students' names should be placed in the Final column for the High group. Define the instructional needs for this group and write these in the *Enfoque de instrucción* column.

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### DO:

Paraphrase slide.



## Key Points

- Place students who are consistently in the High Group for all skills in the Final High group.
- Although these students will not need intervention, identify areas for enrichment or continued growth and write them in the Instructional Focus column.



## Notes



## Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping 43

5. Begin to separate students in the Middle group by those who fall into the Middle group across most skills and the Low group on some; and those who fall into the Middle group across most skills and the High group on some skills. These two groups most likely will be the base for your Middle Low and Middle High groups. List the names of these students in the Middle Low or Middle High Final columns. Determine the instructional needs of the Middle Low and Middle High groups and write them in the *Enfoque de instrucción* column.

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### DO:

Paraphrase slide.



## Key Points

- Place students who fell into a mix of Low and Middle groups into the Final Low Middle group.
- Place students who fell into a mix of Middle and High groups into the Final Middle High group.
- Determine needs of these groups and write them in the Instructional Focus column.



## Notes



## Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping 44

6. Some students will not follow the specific patterns discussed above and at this step, you might have some students who have yet to be placed into a Final group. To place these students, examine the instructional focus of your groups and place students into the group their skill levels are most closely aligned with and where the instructional focus will be most beneficial to the student.

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### DO:

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## Key Points

- Use professional judgment to place students who do not fall neatly into one of the previously mentioned patterns.
- Place these students in the group that most aligns with their specific instructional needs.



## Notes





## Guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping 45

7. Once all of students have been placed into Final groups, re-examine your grouping and instructional goals to ensure all student needs are being addressed. You may need to regroup a few students at this stage.

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**DO:**

Paraphrase slide.



## Key Points

- After all Final groups are determined, re-examine the groups to make sure everyone's needs are being met.
- You may move some students around if necessary at this time.



## Notes



Final BOY Ability Grouping 46						
G3	Dictado	Exactitud	Fluidez	Comprensión	Final	Enfoque de Instrucción
BAJO	Eduardo Omar Margarita Josue	Eduardo Omar Camila Josue	Omar Josue	Adán Eduardo Omar Camila Josue		
MEDIO	Jennifer Adán Kevin Camila Graciela Fernando Jason	Adán Eddie Eloy Fernando  Jennifer Jose Kevin Adriana Graciela	Eduardo-65 Camila-54 Adriana-62 Margarita-59 Fernando-64  Luis -79 Jennifer-70 Kevin-70 Eloy-73 Jason-78	Jennifer Kevin Margarita Fernando		
ALTO	Luis Jose Eddie Adriana Eloy	Luis Margarita Jason	Adán-91 José-101 Eddie-85 Graciela-84	Luis Eloy José Jason Eddie Adriana Graciela		

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## Key Points

### SAY:

*This information is then transferred onto the grouping sheet in the Final column.*



## Notes





#### DO:



Have participants complete the Final and Instructional Needs Columns on their Grouping Chart.

Once they have filled out their final and instructional grouping columns individually (give them about 5 minutes), then have them compare their groups at their table.

Ask for a volunteer to come up to the front and share their final grouping. You may want to have the teacher write out their final grouping on a chart table. Encourage participants to discuss how their groups differed from the one shared or from others at their tables. Each table should be given the opportunity to discuss their rationale.

When summing up the discussion, emphasize that there is no right or wrong answer to grouping. Grouping is intuitive and based on experience, as well as the teacher's knowledge of their class.



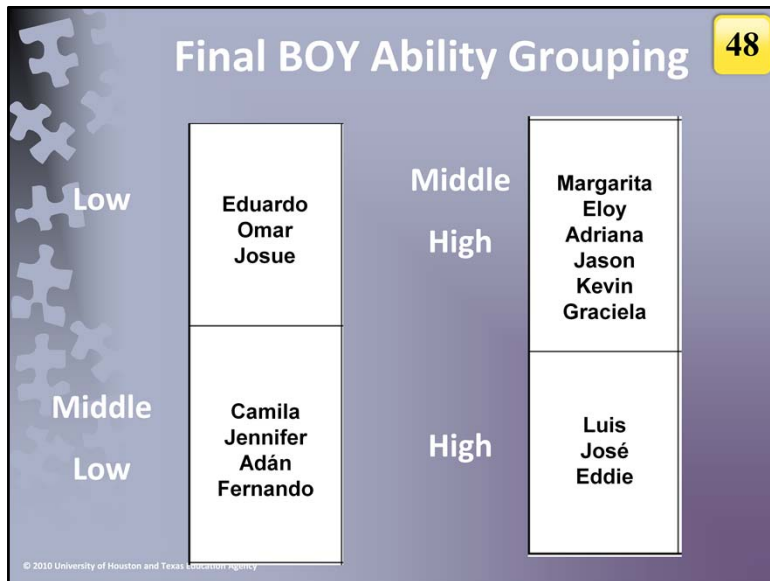
## Key Points

- There is no one way to group students. Grouping is flexible and will vary due to professional judgment.
- The important thing to keep in mind while forming groups is to make sure that everyone's needs are being met.



## Notes





## Key Points

- This is just one example of how to group this particular class.


### SAY:

*This is one example of how to group this particular class. Your final groups may differ somewhat from what is shown here.*



## Notes





## Using Tejas LEE Data to Group Students

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The sections outlined below will assist you in grouping students using the Tejas LEE data.

- ✓ Prepare the Tejas LEE data for grouping.
- ✓ Follow the guidelines for differentiated instructional grouping.
- ✓ Plan Instruction based on needs.

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**SAY:**

*After completing Steps 1 and 2, you would move on to Step 3: Plan instruction based on needs.*

**DO:**

✓☆CLICK

**SAY:**

*You would accomplish this by going into the Tejas LEE Intervention Activities Guide and pulling activities that addressed the needs you identified in the instructional focus columns. The table at the bottom of the Grouping Chart serves as a quick reference of where to go in the IAG for different reading skills.*



## Key Points

- Step 3 is plan instruction based on needs.
- Pull activities from the Tejas LEE IAG (or other resources) that address the needs of your different groups.



## Notes





SAY:

*Now let's switch gears a little bit and talk about skill specific grouping.*




## Key Points



## Notes





## Tejas LEE Grouping Mats

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### Purpose

- The Tejas LEE Grouping Mats allow teachers to quickly identify appropriate activities for their small group or whole class intervention for every skill assessed on the Tejas LEE.
- Grouping Mats have room to list students needing help on each skill and allow teachers to check off the activities they use with their students.

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Paraphrase slide.



## Key Points

- The Tejas LEE Grouping Mats allow teachers to group their students by skills and provide a list of activities from the IAG to address that skill.



## Notes



tejas-LEE		Tejas LEE Grouping Mat Third Grade									
		Excluded de class M07, M09, C09		3-3-Comprensión de lecturas M07, M09, C09		Fluidez de lecturas Fluor, M09, C09		Vocabulario		3-2- Escritura M07, M09, C09	
Notes	1ste 2 class	Acting	Selected	Acting	Selected	Acting	Selected	Acting	Selected	Acting	Selected
	GRA-27	GRA-14	COM-34	COM-43	FLU-1	VOC-1	VOC-33	FOR-49	GRA-66		
	GRA-35	GRA-13	COM-34	COM-46	FLU-2	VOC-2	VOC-34	FOR-50	GRA-67		
	GRA-36	GRA-17	COM-36	COM-46	FLU-3	VOC-3	VOC-36	FOR-51	GRA-70		
	GRA-37	GRA-19	COM-37	COM-67	FLU-5	VOC-6	VOC-36	GRA-14	GRA-71		
	GRA-39	GRA-21	COM-36	COM-46	FLU-6	VOC-6	VOC-37	GRA-28	GRA-72		
	GRA-40	FLU-16	COM-39	COM-46	FLU-7	VOC-8	VOC-38	GRA-32	GRA-73		
	GRA-43	COM-11	COM-46	COM-76	FLU-8	VOC-9	VOC-39	GRA-33	GRA-74		
	FLU-1	COM-12	COM-41	COM-76	FLU-9	VOC-10	VOC-40	GRA-34	GRA-75		
	FLU-2	COM-13	COM-42	COM-72	FLU-10	VOC-11	VOC-41	GRA-41	GRA-76		
	FLU-6	COM-14	COM-43		FLU-11	VOC-12	VOC-42	GRA-46	GRA-77		
	FLU-7	COM-15	COM-44		FLU-12	VOC-13	VOC-43	GRA-47	GRA-78		
	FLU-8	COM-16	COM-45		FLU-13	VOC-14	VOC-44	GRA-48	GRA-79		
	FLU-12	COM-17	COM-46		FLU-14	VOC-16	VOC-46	GRA-49	GRA-80		
	FLU-13	COM-18	COM-47		FLU-15	VOC-16	VOC-46	GRA-60	GRA-81		
	COM-19	COM-48			FLU-16	VOC-17	VOC-47	GRA-61	GRA-82		
	COM-20	COM-49			FLU-17	VOC-18	VOC-48	GRA-62	GRA-83		
	COM-21	COM-50			ESC-4	VOC-20		GRA-63	GRA-84		
	COM-22	COM-51			ESC-6	VOC-21		GRA-64	GRA-85		
	COM-23	COM-52			ESC-34	VOC-22		GRA-65	GRA-86		
	COM-24	COM-53				VOC-23		GRA-66	ESC-8		
	COM-25	COM-54				VOC-24		GRA-67	ESC-9		
	COM-26	COM-55				VOC-25		GRA-68	ESC-10		
	COM-27	COM-56				VOC-26			GRA-69		
	COM-28	COM-57				VOC-27			GRA-60		
	COM-29	COM-58				VOC-28			GRA-61		
	COM-30	COM-59				VOC-29			GRA-62		
	COM-31	COM-60				VOC-30			GRA-63		
	COM-32	COM-61				VOC-31			GRA-64		
	COM-33	COM-62				VOC-32			GRA-65		
Third Classmate											
		Lecture					Reading				

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**SAY:**

*Remember, at the beginning of this presentation we said there were two ways to group using your Tejas LEE results. Now we're going to learn how to do skill specific grouping using the Tejas LEE Grouping Mats.*



## Key Points

- The Tejas LEE Grouping Mats are used for skill specific grouping.



## Notes



# Features of the Grouping Mats

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Tejas LEE Grouping Mat  
Third Grade

Notes		Tier 2 Students		Knowledge of Students BOY, MOY, EOY		2-1 Composite of Students BOY, MOY, EOY		Fluency de lectures		Vocabulary		2-2 Discrete BOY, MOY, EOY		
BOY	MOY	EOY	BOY	MOY	EOY	BOY	MOY	EOY	BOY	MOY	EOY	BOY	MOY	EOY
GRA-27	GRA-14	COM-34	COM-43	FLU-1	VOC-1	VOC-35	FOR-49	GRA-66						
GRA-35	GRA-15	COM-35	COM-44	FLU-2	VOC-2	VOC-36	FOR-50	GRA-67						
GRA-36	GRA-16	COM-36	COM-45					GRA-68						
GRA-37	GRA-17	COM-37	COM-46					GRA-69						
GRA-38	GRA-18	COM-38	COM-47					GRA-70						
GRA-39	GRA-19	COM-39	COM-48					GRA-71						
GRA-40	GRA-20	COM-40	COM-49					GRA-72						
GRA-41	GRA-21	COM-41	COM-50					GRA-73						
GRA-42	GRA-22	COM-42	COM-51					GRA-74						
FLU-1	COM-1							GRA-75						
FLU-2	COM-2							GRA-76						
FLU-3	COM-3							GRA-77						
FLU-4	COM-4							GRA-78						
FLU-5	COM-5							GRA-79						
FLU-6	COM-6							GRA-80						
FLU-7	COM-7							GRA-81						
FLU-8	COM-8							GRA-82						
FLU-9	COM-9							GRA-83						
FLU-10	COM-10							GRA-84						
FLU-11	COM-11							GRA-85						
FLU-12	COM-12							GRA-86						
FLU-13	COM-13							GRA-87						
	COM-14							GRA-88						
	COM-15							GRA-89						
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## Key Points

- The first two columns in the Grouping Mat give teachers space to write Notes and list their Tier 2 and 3 students.

This slide has four ✓ ☆ CLICKS of animation.

**SAY:**

Now let's take a look at the features of the grouping mats.

**DO:**

✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:**

On the left hand side of the mat are two columns. Let's take a closer look.

**DO:**

✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:**

The first column is titled "Notes".

**DO:**

✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:**

This column can be used for many purposes such as listing student names, comments about special circumstances, listing additional resources beside the IAG, etc...

**DO:**

✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:**

The second column on the mat provides space to list your tier two students.



**Notes**



**Features of the Grouping Mats** 54

tejas.LEE Tejas LEE Grouping Mat Third Grade

K-2 Reading - BOY, MOY, EOY		3-1 Comprehension de lectura - BOY, MOY, EOY				Fluidez de lectura				3-2 Reading - BOY, MOY, EOY			
Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected
GRA-35		COM-15		COM-35		FLU-1		VOC-35		FOR-45		GRA-65	
GRA-36		COM-17		COM-36		FLU-3		VOC-3		FOR-51		GRA-70	
GRA-37		COM-19		COM-37		FLU-6		VOC-6		FOR-54		GRA-71	
GRA-39		COM-21		COM-39		FLU-8		VOC-8		FOR-57		GRA-72	
GRA-40		COM-23		COM-40		FLU-10		VOC-10		FOR-60		GRA-73	
<b>3-1-Comprensión de lectura</b> <b>BOY, MOY, EOY</b>													
<b>Fluidez de lectura</b>													
Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected
FLU-13		COM-16		COM-47		FLU-15		VOC-15		GRA-59		GRA-81	
		COM-18		COM-48		FLU-16		VOC-16		GRA-61		GRA-82	
		COM-20		COM-49		FLU-17		VOC-17		GRA-63		GRA-83	
		COM-21		COM-50		ESC-4		VOC-20		GRA-64		GRA-84	
		COM-22		COM-51		ESC-6		VOC-21		GRA-65		GRA-85	
		COM-23		COM-52		ESC-34		VOC-22		GRA-66		GRA-86	
		COM-24		COM-53				VOC-23		GRA-67		ESC-8	
		COM-25		COM-54				VOC-24		GRA-68		ESC-9	
		COM-26		COM-55				VOC-25		GRA-69		ESC-10	
		COM-27		COM-56				VOC-26		GRA-70			
		COM-28		COM-57				VOC-27		GRA-71			
		COM-29		COM-58				VOC-28		GRA-72			
		COM-30		COM-59				VOC-29		GRA-73			
		COM-31		COM-60				VOC-30		GRA-74			
		COM-32		COM-61				VOC-31		GRA-75			
		COM-33		COM-62				VOC-32		GRA-76			

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## Key Points

- The dark blue boxes list the section number, section name, and time points in which it has an NI performance level.

This slide has three ✓☆CLICKS of animation.

**SAY:**

In subsequent columns, the name of each Tejas LEE task can be found under the task number in the colored horizontal strip(s) that match the kit color for each grade level.

**DO:**

✓☆CLICK

**SAY:**

Let's zero in on the specific information you will find in these colored strips.

**DO:**

✓☆CLICK

**SAY:**

As you can see, under each task, the mat indicates when each particular skill has an intervention standard (NI).

**DO:**

✓☆CLICK

**SAY:**

For 3.1, Reading Comprehension, there is an intervention level (NI) for BOY, MOY and EOY, but for Reading Fluency, there are no performance standards.



## Notes



**Features of the Grouping Mats** **55**

tejas.LEE Tejas LEE Grouping Mat Third Grade

Knowledge of Language BOY, MOY, EOY		3.1-Comprensión de lectura BOY, MOY, EOY				Fluidez de lectura		Vocabulary		3.2-Ortografía BOY, MOY, EOY	
Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected
GRA-15		COM-35		COM-64		FLU-2		VOC-1		FOR-49	
GRA-16		COM-36		COM-65		FLU-3		VOC-2		FOR-50	
GRA-17		COM-37		COM-66		FLU-4		VOC-3		FOR-51	
GRA-18		COM-38		COM-67		FLU-5		VOC-4		FOR-52	
GRA-19		COM-39		COM-68		FLU-6		VOC-5		FOR-53	
GRA-20		COM-40		COM-69		FLU-7		VOC-6		FOR-54	
GRA-21		COM-41		COM-70				VOC-7		FOR-55	
GRA-22		COM-42		COM-71				VOC-8		FOR-56	
GRA-23		COM-43		COM-72				VOC-9		FOR-57	
GRA-24		COM-44		COM-73				VOC-10		FOR-58	
GRA-25		COM-45		COM-74				VOC-11		FOR-59	
GRA-26		COM-46		COM-75				VOC-12		FOR-60	
GRA-27		COM-47		COM-76				VOC-13		FOR-61	
GRA-28		COM-48		COM-77				VOC-14		FOR-62	
GRA-29		COM-49		COM-78				VOC-15		FOR-63	
GRA-30		COM-50		COM-79				VOC-16		FOR-64	
GRA-31		COM-51		COM-80				VOC-17		FOR-65	
GRA-32		COM-52		COM-81				VOC-18		FOR-66	
GRA-33		COM-53		COM-82				VOC-19		FOR-67	
GRA-34		COM-54		COM-83				VOC-20		FOR-68	
GRA-35		COM-55		COM-84				VOC-21		FOR-69	
GRA-36		COM-56		COM-85				VOC-22		FOR-70	
GRA-37		COM-57		COM-86				VOC-23		FOR-71	
GRA-38		COM-58		COM-87				VOC-24		FOR-72	
GRA-39		COM-59		COM-88				VOC-25		FOR-73	
GRA-40		COM-60		COM-89				VOC-26		FOR-74	
GRA-41		COM-61		COM-90				VOC-27		FOR-75	
GRA-42		COM-62		COM-91				VOC-28		FOR-76	
GRA-43		COM-63		COM-92				VOC-29		FOR-77	
GRA-44		COM-64		COM-93				VOC-30		FOR-78	
GRA-45		COM-65		COM-94				VOC-31		FOR-79	
GRA-46		COM-66		COM-95				VOC-32		FOR-80	
GRA-47		COM-67		COM-96				VOC-33		FOR-81	
GRA-48		COM-68		COM-97				VOC-34		FOR-82	
GRA-49		COM-69		COM-98				VOC-35		FOR-83	
GRA-50		COM-70		COM-99				VOC-36		FOR-84	
GRA-51		COM-71		COM-100				VOC-37		FOR-85	
GRA-52		COM-72						VOC-38		FOR-86	
GRA-53		COM-73						VOC-39		FOR-87	
GRA-54		COM-74						VOC-40		FOR-88	
GRA-55		COM-75						VOC-41		FOR-89	
GRA-56		COM-76						VOC-42		FOR-90	
GRA-57		COM-77						VOC-43		FOR-91	
GRA-58		COM-78						VOC-44		FOR-92	
GRA-59		COM-79						VOC-45		FOR-93	
GRA-60		COM-80						VOC-46		FOR-94	
GRA-61		COM-81						VOC-47		FOR-95	
GRA-62		COM-82						VOC-48		FOR-96	
GRA-63		COM-83						VOC-49		FOR-97	
GRA-64		COM-84						VOC-50		FOR-98	
GRA-65		COM-85						VOC-51		FOR-99	
GRA-66		COM-86						VOC-52		FOR-100	
GRA-67		COM-87						VOC-53			
GRA-68		COM-88						VOC-54			
GRA-69		COM-89						VOC-55			
GRA-70		COM-90						VOC-56			
GRA-71		COM-91						VOC-57			
GRA-72		COM-92						VOC-58			
GRA-73		COM-93						VOC-59			
GRA-74		COM-94						VOC-60			
GRA-75		COM-95						VOC-61			
GRA-76		COM-96						VOC-62			
GRA-77		COM-97						VOC-63			
GRA-78		COM-98						VOC-64			
GRA-79		COM-99						VOC-65			
GRA-80		COM-100						VOC-66			
GRA-81								VOC-67			
GRA-82								VOC-68			
GRA-83								VOC-69			
GRA-84								VOC-70			
GRA-85								VOC-71			
GRA-86								VOC-72			
GRA-87								VOC-73			
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GRA-99								VOC-85			
GRA-100								VOC-86			

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## Key Points

- Under each Tejas LEE section are two columns labeled Activity and Selected.
- The Activity column lists all the activities from the IAG that address that specific skill.
- If teachers choose to use a particular activity, they may place a check under the Selected column to show that they've used that activity.

This slide has one ✓ ☆ CLICK of animation.

**SAY:**

There are two sub-columns under each task.

**DO:**

✓ ☆ CLICK

**SAY:**

The first, labeled "Activity" lists all of the activities from the Intervention Activity Guide (IAG) that could be used to re-teach that particular skill. The second column "Selected", allows the teacher to mark those activities that he/she wishes to use with that particular group.

Alternately, it can be used to indicate activities that have already been used with the group.



## Notes



Features of the Grouping Mats 56										
Tejas-LEE Tejas LEE Grouping Mat Third Grade										
Matras	Escuela de Matemáticas		3.1 Comprensión de los números				Fracciones de números		Vocabulario	
	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras	Matras
	GRA-27	GRA-14	COM-34	COM-63	FLU-1	VOC-1	VOC-33	FOR-49	GRA-66	
	GRA-35	GRA-15	COM-35	COM-64	FLU-2	VOC-2	VOC-34	FOR-50	GRA-67	
	GRA-36	GRA-17	COM-36	COM-65	FLU-3	VOC-3	VOC-35	FOR-51	GRA-70	
	GRA-37	GRA-19	COM-37	COM-67	FLU-5	VOC-5	VOC-36	GRA-14	GRA-71	
	GRA-39	GRA-21	COM-38	COM-68	FLU-6	VOC-6	VOC-37	GRA-28	GRA-72	
	GRA-40	FLU-16	COM-39	COM-69	FLU-7	VOC-8	VOC-38	GRA-32	GRA-73	
	GRA-43	COM-11	COM-40	COM-70	FLU-8	VOC-9	VOC-39	GRA-33	GRA-74	
	FLU-1	COM-12	COM-41	COM-71	FLU-9	VOC-10	VOC-40	GRA-34	GRA-75	
	FLU-2	COM-13	COM-42	COM-72	FLU-10	VOC-11	VOC-41	GRA-41	GRA-76	
	FLU-6	COM-14	COM-43		FLU-11	VOC-12	VOC-42	GRA-46	GRA-77	
	FLU-7	COM-15	COM-44		FLU-12	VOC-13	VOC-43	GRA-47	GRA-78	
	FLU-9	COM-16	COM-45		FLU-13	VOC-14	VOC-44	GRA-48	GRA-79	
	FLU-12	COM-17	COM-46		FLU-14	VOC-15	VOC-45	GRA-49	GRA-80	
	FLU-13	COM-18	COM-47		FLU-15	VOC-16	VOC-46	GRA-50	GRA-81	
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								GRA-52	GRA-83	
								GRA-53	GRA-84	
								GRA-54	GRA-85	
								GRA-55	GRA-86	
								GRA-56	ESC-8	
								GRA-57	ESC-9	
								GRA-58	ESC-10	
								GRA-59		
								GRA-60		
								GRA-61		
								GRA-62		
								GRA-63		
								GRA-64		
								GRA-65		



## Key Points

- Teachers should write the names of the students who scored NI in the space provided under the corresponding section.

This slide has one ✓☆CLICK of animation.

### SAY:

Underneath each of the tasks, space is provided in an area labeled "Student Names".

### DO:

✓☆CLICK

### SAY:

Here the teacher can write the names of students who are NI in each task. When recording student names, it is recommended that an erasable marker be used. In this way, the mat can be revised as students make progress and/or after each assessment period.



## Notes



Using the Grouping Mats 57

**Step 1:**

**Prepare the data on your class summary sheet.**

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SAY:

*Now that we've reviewed the features of the grouping mats, let's talk about how to use them. The first step is to prepare the data on the class summary sheet. This is the same step as when we did general ability grouping.*



## Key Points



## Notes



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**SAY:**

**DO:** ✓ ☆ *CLICK*

**SAY:**

**DO:** ✓ ☆ *CLICK*

**SAY:**



- Highlight the students who scored NI on each skill.
- In this example, 5 students scored NI on Section 2.



## Notes



**Step 3:**

**Enter all NI student names under the appropriate column.**

3.1-Comprensión de lectura BOY, MDY, EGY					
Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected
GRA-14		COM-34		COM-63	
GRA-15		COM-35		COM-64	
GRA-17		COM-36		COM-65	
GRA-19		COM-37		COM-67	
GRA-21		COM-38		COM-68	
FLU-16		COM-39		COM-69	
COM-11		COM-40		COM-70	
COM-12		COM-41		COM-71	
COM-13		COM-42		COM-72	
COM-14		COM-43			
COM-15		COM-44			
COM-16		COM-45			
COM-17		COM-46			
COM-18		COM-47			
COM-19		COM-48			

Explicit		Implicit	
Eduardo		Jennifer Adán	
Omar		Eduardo	
Camila		Omar Kevin	
Josue		Camila Josue	
		Margarita	
		Fernando	

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## Key Points

- Teachers should write the names of the students who scored NI in the space provided under the corresponding section.

This slide has one ✓ ☆ CLICK of animation.

### SAY:

*We now take the names from the previous slide and write their names in the appropriate place on the Grouping Mat. Since Tejas LEE comprehension questions are identified as explicit and implicit, we can further pinpoint the instructional needs of the students. In our example, the teacher found that only 4 students needed intervention on explicit questions, but all nine required extra instruction on implicit questions. It is best to use an erasable marker so that as students develop these skills, they can be added or removed from the various lists.*

### DO:

✓ ☆ CLICK



## Notes



**Step 4:**

**Pick one or more activities.**

Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected	Activity	Selected
GRA-14		COM-34		COM-63	
GRA-15		COM-35		COM-64	
GRA-17		COM-36		COM-65	
GRA-19		COM-37		COM-67	
GRA-21		COM-38		COM-68	
FLU-16		COM-39		COM-69	
COM-11		COM-40		COM-70	
COM-12		COM-41		COM-71	
COM-13		COM-42		COM-72	
COM-14		COM-43			
COM-15		COM-44			
COM-16		COM-45			
COM-17		COM-46			
COM-18		COM-47			
COM-19		COM-48			
COM-20		COM-49			
COM-21		COM-50			
COM-22	✓	COM-51			
COM-23		COM-52			
COM-24		COM-53			
COM-25	✓	COM-54			
COM-26	✓	COM-55			
COM-27		COM-56			
COM-28		COM-57			
COM-29		COM-58			

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## Key Points

- Teachers should review the activities available for this skill and choose the ones that he/she deems most appropriate.

This slide has one ✓ ☆ *CLICK* of animation.

### DO:

If available, have the teachers look at the section 3.1 of the Third Grade grouping mats and at their **Guía de actividades de intervención** to see the various activities that we have identified to address a reading deficit in “Comprensión de lectura”. You may wish to have teachers discuss which they would use. Help guide the conversation to include that comprehension is a very broad skill. Deficits in comprehension may be a result of weak foundation skills or may be a result of inadequate student knowledge of comprehension strategies. Teachers will need to keep this in mind when selecting activities. In our sample class, our teacher thought that all students would benefit from some direct instruction in Visualization and Self Monitoring strategies.

### SAY:

*Let's see which 3 activities this teacher selected to intervene with the nine students who need help with this skill and take a closer look at one of the activities.*

### DO:

✓ ☆ *CLICK*



## Notes



Step 5:

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Comprensión auditiva y de lectura | Monitorización

COM-26 **Revisando mi comprensión mientras leo o escucho** (Checking Understanding while Reading or Listening)

Blackline Master available  
www.tejashere.org

Students will independently check their comprehension during reading.  
Los estudiantes revisarán su comprensión durante la lectura de manera independiente.

MATERIALES: Hoja reproducible (Blackline Master) para los estudiantes

Nombre \_\_\_\_\_ Fecha \_\_\_\_\_

Título del cuento \_\_\_\_\_

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	¿Entiendo lo que estoy leyendo o escuchando?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	¿Puedo contarle el cuento a alguien más?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	¿Necesito leer el cuento otra vez?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	¿Necesito escuchar el cuento otra vez?

Haz un dibujo acerca de lo que se trata el cuento.

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## Key Points

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### SAY:

COM-26 was one of the activities chosen. Let's take a closer look at this activity.

### DO:

✓☆CLICK

Briefly explain activity to participants.



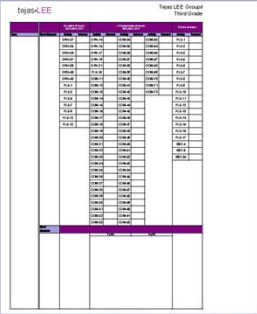
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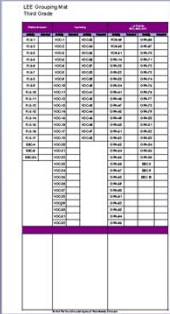
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## OPTIONAL

Make your own grouping mat.

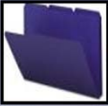





Tejas LEE Grouping Mat Template



LEE Grouping Mat Template

**Materials needed:**


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## Key Points

### DO: (OPTIONAL)

*If the amount of training time allows, at this time, allow for your participants to make their own Tejas LEE Grouping Mats. Ideally, provide each participant with the following:*

1. A purple colored folder (letter sized)
2. Color copies of the Third Grade Tejas LEE Grouping Mats (2 pages)
3. Scissors
4. Glue
5. Laminating machine (if available—one for the group)

*Allow participants time to make their grouping mats. If possible, have a few completed mats available for them to see.*



## Notes



Step 6: Implement

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## Key Points

### SAY:

*Step 6 is to implement the activities chosen with your small groups.*

### DO:



*If time permits, allow participants to return to the Grouping Charts they completed and work on the last column “Enfoque de instrucción”. They may work either individually or in groups. They should look at the instructional needs of each of their groups and select a reading objective and several activities from the IAG. The teachers may work in groups. Invite teachers to share their ideas and thinking, including their activity selection and why they chose those particular activities. A completed sample of the “Enfoque de instrucción” is provided in the participant packet.*



## Notes





## Questions & Answers

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If you have any further questions:

- contact the Tejas LEE team at [tejaslee.info@times.uh.edu](mailto:tejaslee.info@times.uh.edu)
- check for an answer online at [www.tejaslee.org](http://www.tejaslee.org)

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## Key Points

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### DO:

Answer any questions that your participants have regarding this module. Then ✓ ☆ CLICK to bring up the contact information for Tejas LEE.



## Notes