

CURRICULUM BASED ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS USED IN GHANA

TASK	LEVELS	WHAT IT MEASURES	SAMPLE QUESTION	SCORING	SAMPLE INTERPRETATION
ORAL LANGUAGE					
Listening Comprehension: P6 Passage	P6	Understanding a passage from the textbook that is read to the pupil.	Comprehension questions based on the passage, e.g. "What did Dede find out/"	% Correct	When a passage from the P6 textbook is read to the child, she demonstrates that she understood by responding correctly to more than 75% of the comprehension questions.
PRE-READING/READING					
Reading Passage from Textbook	P2-P6	Decoding accuracy	Passages selected from P2-P6 textbooks	Words % Correct	For 25% of the pupils in this classroom, the passage is too difficult and consequently pupils will become frustrated and the learning will be inefficient.
WRITING					
Writing Story	P6	Words spelled correctly in written expression	Ex. Most children in Ghana know Anansi stories. Write an Anansi story or some other kind of story.	Words spelled correctly (#)	Of the 125 words that Akua wrote, 119 (95%) were spelled correctly.