

North Carolina mCLASS Webinar: Preparing for MOY

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Today's Goals

- Share information to support charter schools implementing mCLASS for MOY assessments
- Answer frequently asked questions
- Provide time to answer questions live



Zoom Tools

- Use the Q&A box to ask your questions
- We will place all links we reference in the chat
- Please do not use the chat to ask questions



Before we begin... did you know?

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Welcome, North Carolina educators!

North Carolina's Department of Public Instruction (DPI) selected mCLASS DIBELS [®] 8th Edition as the state's K-3 Literacy Assessment. mCLASS is an integrated literacy system based on the Science of Reading. mCLASS has been revised and upgraded from the assessment NC districts have used in the past, based on the latest research and the Science of Reading. It is a valid and reliable assessment, supporting universal literacy screening, screening for risk of dyslexia, and progress monitoring.

What's new?

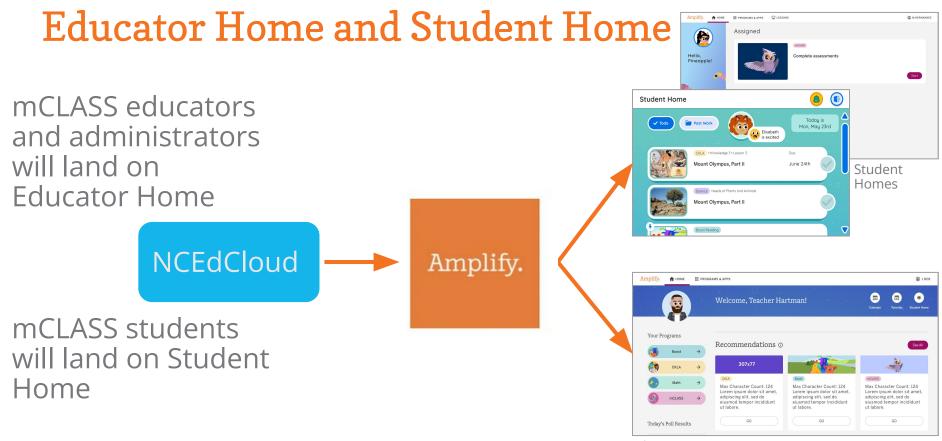


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Accessing mCLASS





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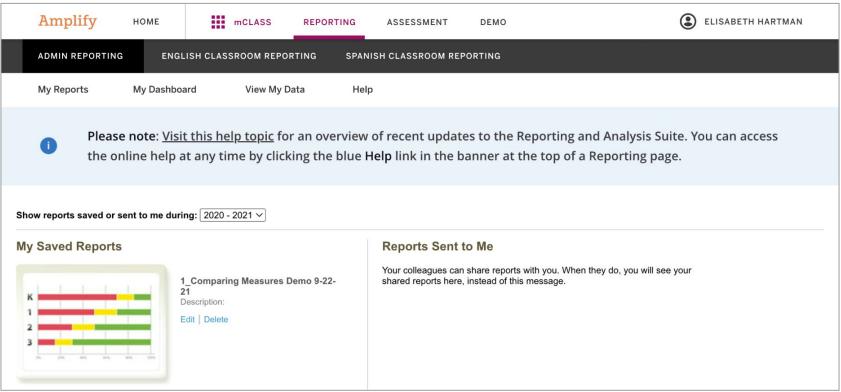
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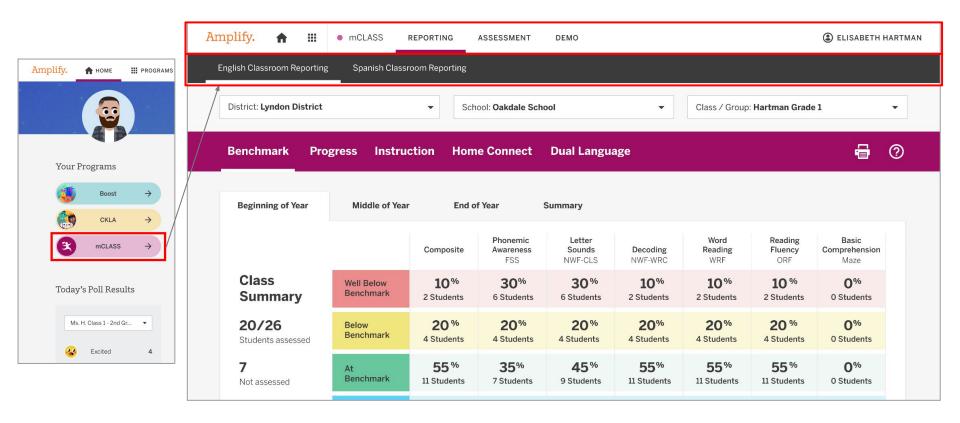
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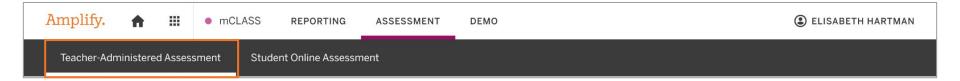
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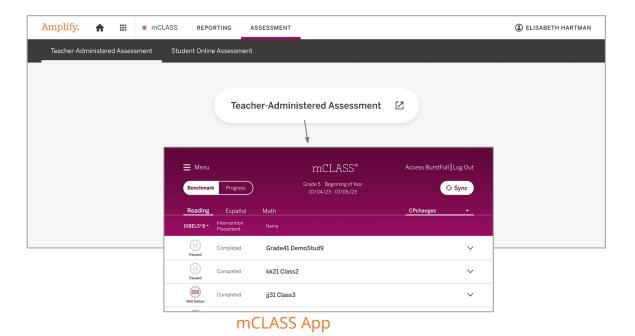


Educator Home: mCLASS teacher log in

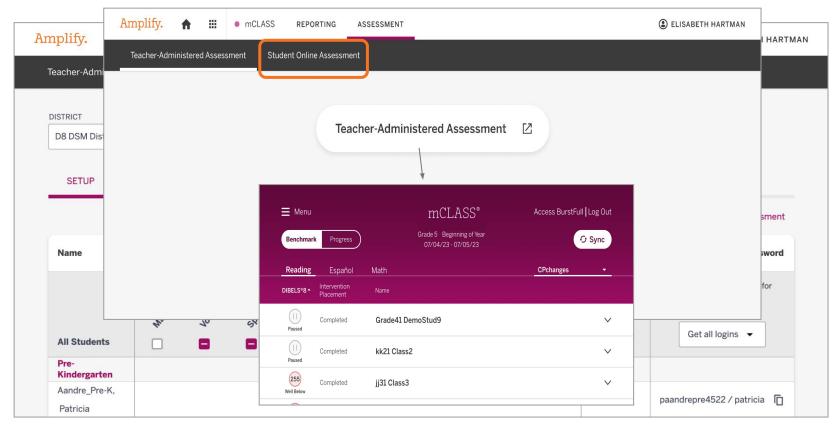


mCLASS educator home: assessment

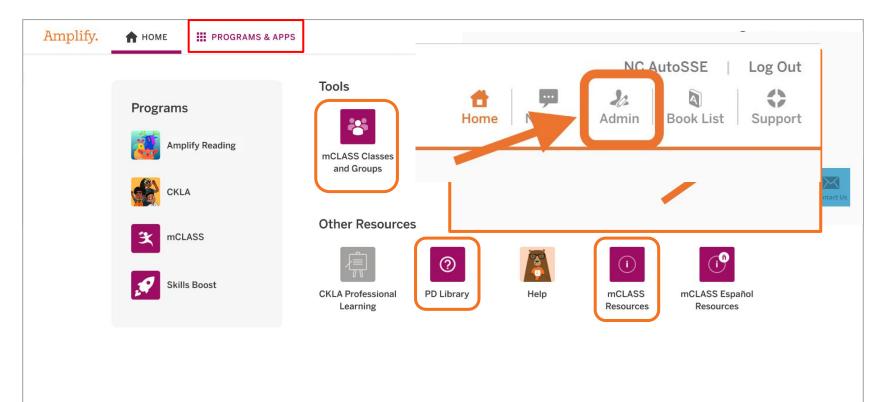




mCLASS educator home: assessment



mCLASS Educator Home: programs and apps

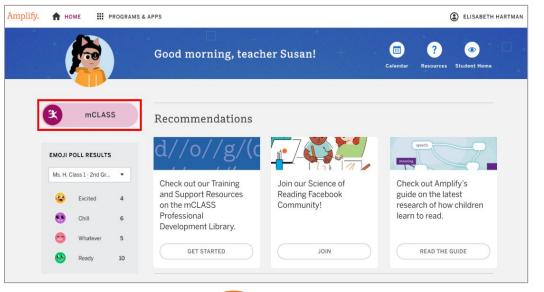


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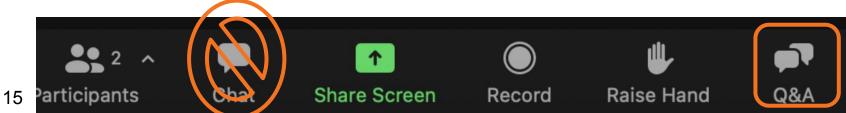
If you do not have the Amplify icon available in NCEdCloud, please reach out to Tonia Parish to get connected to the folks at NCDPI to turn this on for your charter school.



Accessing mCLASS: Questions?











How does PowerSchool communicate with mCLASS?

- Each night, DPI extracts rostering files from PowerSchool and sends them to Amplify
- The enrollment files are uploaded to mCLASS overnight and usually finish processing by 10 AM
- Changes in PowerSchool are captured in mCLASS the next day
- No manual changes can take place in mCLASS



Can I make manual changes in mCLASS?

- All rostering must go through PowerSchool
- You should not make any manual changes in the Admin tab in mCLASS
- Manual changes will be reverted in the nightly
 update if those changes are not also accurately reflected in PowerSchool

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I have staff members who are not showing up in mCLASS. How do I get them added?

- In order to be included in the staff file sent to mCLASS from PowerSchool, staff members **must have a Read to Achieve role** assigned to them
- It is also important to ensure staff members are **active** (status = 1) and that they have an **email address associated with NCEdCloud**
- Once these conditions are correct in PowerSchool, the staff member will be enrolled in mCLASS the next day and be able to log into SSO via the NCEdCloud
- If a staff member receives a "user not found" message when attempting to log into mCLASS via NCEdCloud, this means they do not have a staff record enrolled in mCLASS

I have students who are not showing up in mCLASS. How do I get them added?

- In order to be included in the student file sent to mCLASS from PowerSchool, students must be properly enrolled
- To troubleshoot, check the following:
 - Student must be actively enrolled in the school (status = 0)
 - Student must be enrolled in Kindergarten, 1st grade, 2nd grade, or 3rd grade
 - Student must be enrolled in the correct course code



I have students who are not showing up in mCLASS. How do I get them added? (continued)

Student must be enrolled in one of the following course codes:

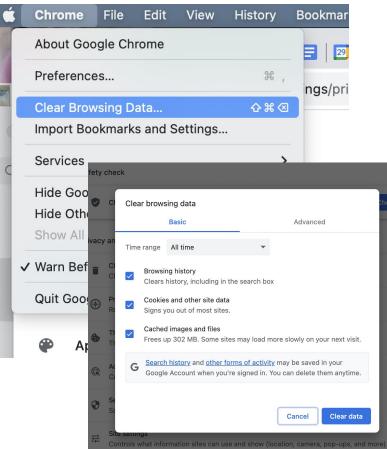
- 1050/Kindergarten
- 1051/First
- o 1052/Second
- 1053/Third
- o 1054/Fourth
- 1055/Fifth

If the student is enrolled in a Spanish class, they must be in one of the following course codes:

- 11512Z0
- 11512Z1
- o 11512Z2
- o 11512Z3
- o 11512Z4
- **11512Z5**

Why is mCLASS asking me for a password?

- mCLASS will not ask you for a password since you log in via NCEdCloud.
- If the device is asking you for a password, at one point your login went stale; you need to clear your cache/cookies from your browser.
- Another tip is to log in via an incognito window.



Reading Retained Students



Why are my Reading Retained students are showing up as grade 4 students?

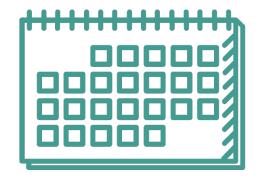
Please be sure the correct box is checked in PowerSchool. This will automatically make the students come through to mCLASS as Grade 3.

> 4. Scroll down to the **Extended Data** heading. Select "**Retained - Reading**" from the **Promotion Status** drop-down menu. Click **Submit** to save.

Extended Data		
Admission Status	MST1 \$	
Days Present	166	
Days Absent	5	
Unexcused Absences		
Promotion Status	Retention - Reading	
Promotion Status Summer	(
Secondary Enrollment	No 🗘	
Dropout Data		
Dropout Reason	\$	
Verified Dropout		
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When should Reading Retained students be assessed?

Reading Retained students will follow all district benchmark assessment windows



What mCLASS measures should I use to assess Reading Retained students?

- Reading Retained students should be assessed using third grade DIBELS 8 measures plus Oral Language and Vocabulary
- Students must meet **725 Lexile** at any TOY to demonstrate proficiency during a benchmark assessment
- Students must be progress monitored between benchmarks to drive and inform instruction

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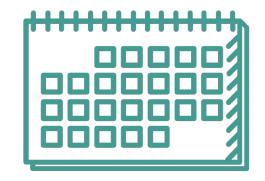
mCLASS Grades 4-6



I purchased mCLASS for grades 4-6, when do they get access?

NCDPI needs to update the enrollment script pulling students from PowerSchool to mCLASS in order for these students to appear.

Amplify and NCDPI update this monthly.



Why can't my grade 5 students see the Amplify icon in NCEdCloud?

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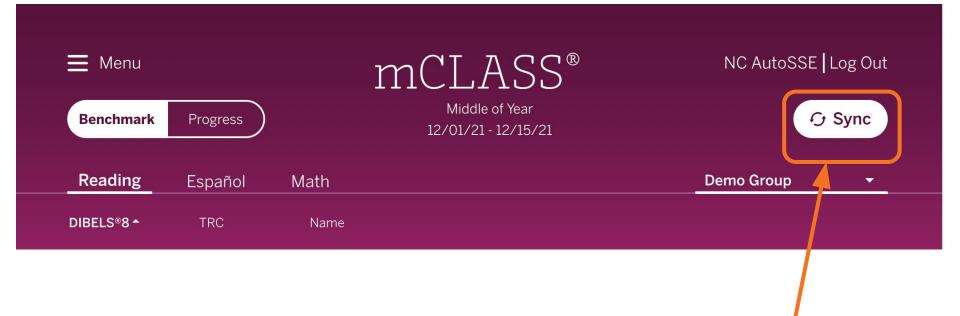
Only students in grades K-4 are automatically assigned the Amplify app/icon in NCEdCloud.

In order to add additional grade levels, please complete the form from NCDPI.

MOY Windows



MOY Windows



mCLASS Assessments



mCLASS measures at each grade level

Measure	Grade K	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3
Letter Naming Fluency	V	~		
Phonemic Segmentation Fluency	~	v		
Nonsense Word Fluency	v	v	v	
Word Reading Fluency	~	V	V	
Oral Reading Fluency		4	•	v
Maze (Basic Comprehension)			v	~
Oral Language	V	~	~	
Vocabulary	~	V	V	v

What assessment measures are administered to students?

- All students in grades K-3 will be assessed on:
 - DIBELS 8th Edition measures specific to the students' grade level
 - Vocabulary
 - Oral Language

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Required Measures - Kindergarten

Measure	Grade K BOY	Grade K MOY	Grade K EOY
Letter Naming Fluency	~	~	~
Phonemic Segmentation Fluency	~	~	~
Nonsense Word Fluency	~	~	~
Word Reading Fluency	~	~	~
Oral Language	~	~	~
Vocabulary	~	~	4

Required Measures - Grade 1

All measures must be given at each TOY

Measure	Grade 1
Letter Naming Fluency	v
Phonemic Segmentation Fluency	v
Nonsense Word Fluency	v
Word Reading Fluency	v
Oral Reading Fluency	v
Vocabulary	v
Oral Language	~



Required Measures - Grade 2 & 3

All measures must be given at each TOY

Measure	Grade 2	Grade 3
Nonsense Word Fluency	~	V
Word Reading Fluency	~	v
Oral Reading Fluency	~	~
Maze	~	~
Vocabulary	~	v
Oral Language	~	v



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Decoding NWF-WRC	3 Well Below	_	_	
Word Reading WRF	40 Benchmark	Assess	Assess	
Reading Fluency ORF	205 Above	Assess	Assess	
Reading Accuracy ORF-Accu	100 Benchmark	_	—	
Basic Comprehension Maze (i)	_	-	-	
Oral Language	BOY	MOY	EOY	
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Aastly_2, Robert	
Aatleson_2, Sue	
Grade 3	
Aavery_3, Daniel	
Aazoroth_3, Michelle	

Assigning Online Measures: Maze and Vocabulary



Assessment Modalities

1:1 Teacher/Student

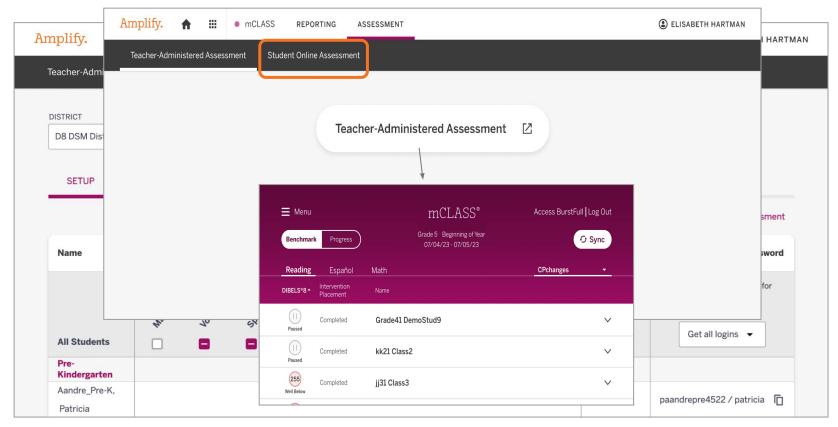
- LNF
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 WRF
- ORF
- Oral Language

Student on Device

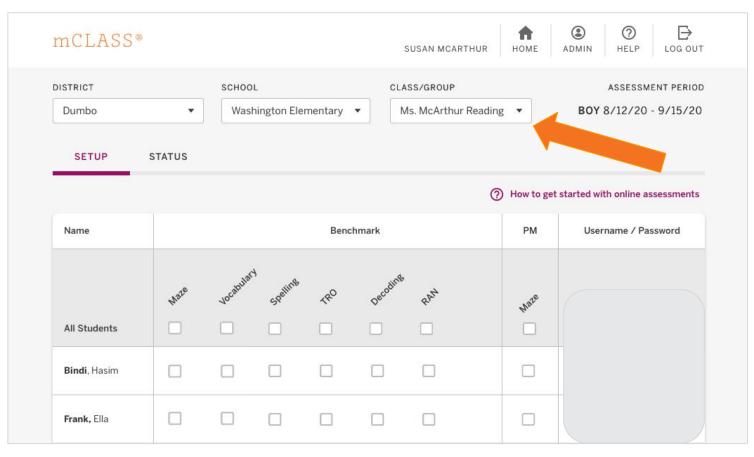
- Maze
- Vocabulary



mCLASS educator home: assessment



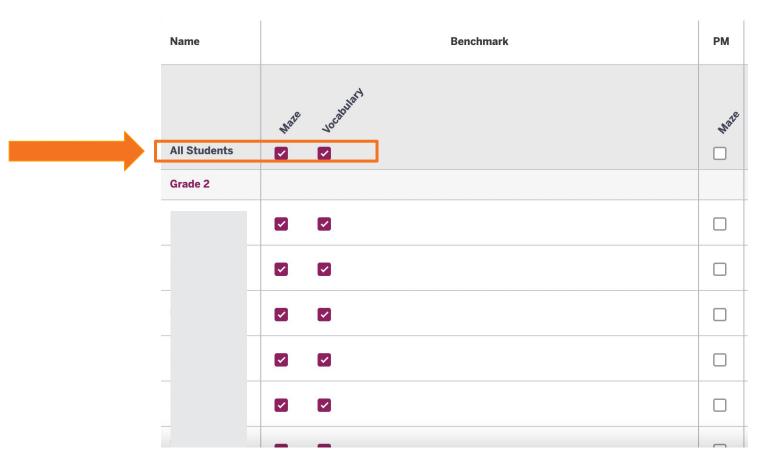
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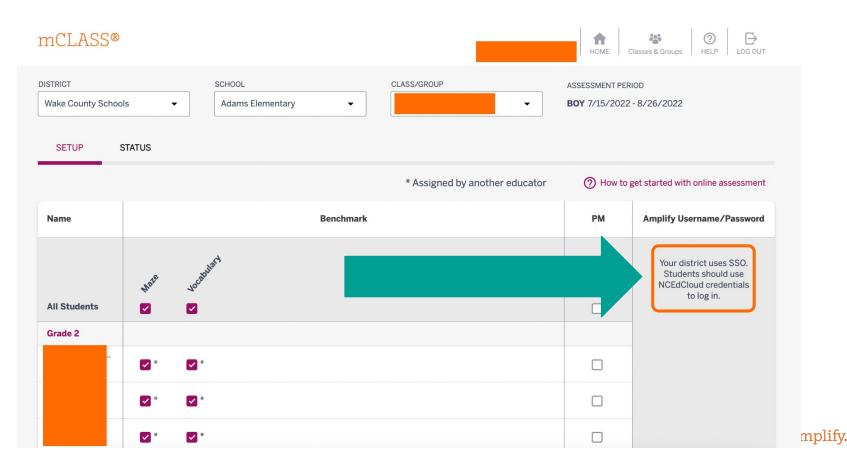
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Assign Assessments to Students



Student log in for online assessments



Assigning Measures at the School Level

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Grade 1													
Beginning of Year													
Middle of Year													
End of Year													

Creating Groups



Why do I only have a demo class?

- Only one teacher will be assigned to a class.
 As an administrator, you are not assigned to any classes as the lead/official teacher.
- You **can create a group** to assess students not assigned to you.
- Everyone is provided a demo account. We have a new demo feature in mCLASS for training purposes.

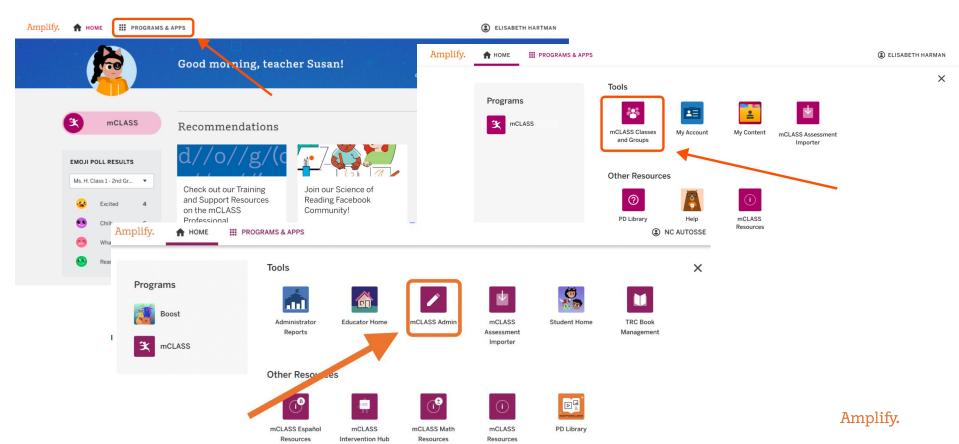


What if someone who does not have an official class in PowerSchool needs to assess students on the mCLASS assessment platform?

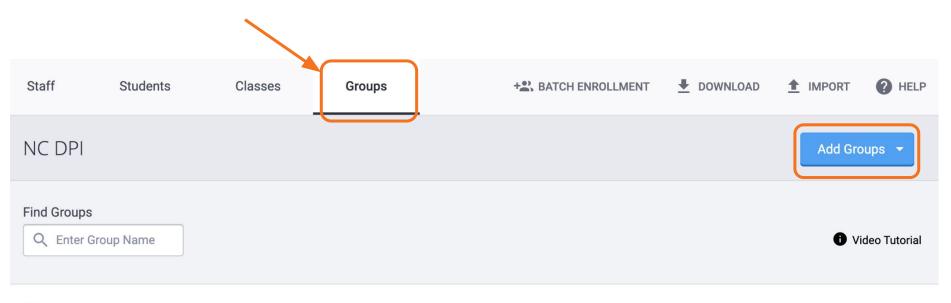
- Only one teacher will be assigned to a class
- You cannot add additional staff members to a class manually in mCLASS as those changes will be reverted nightly
- You **can create a group** to assess students not assigned to you



Creating School Level Groups



Create a Group Instructions



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Add Staff Members

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Add Students

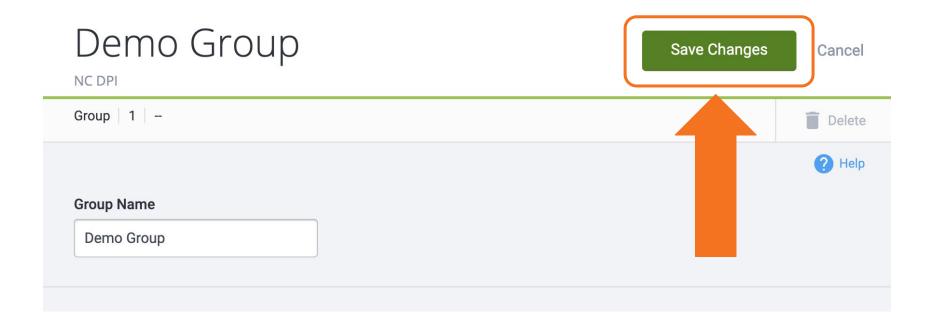
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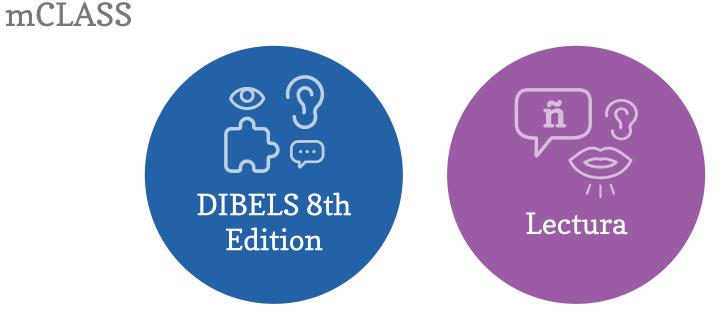






Lectura in NC





Asset-based understanding of a child's biliteracy skills.

Instruction that leverages **cross-linguistic transfer**, based on those assets.



Assessment Guidelines: Lectura, DIBELS 8 , or both languages



Spanish DL/I Classroom that is 50/50 or other instructional time allotments like 70/30 or 60/40	Spanish DL/I Classroom that is 100%, 90/10 or 80/20					
DIBELS 8 (English) is required	Testing can be done exclusively with Lectura (Spanish)					
Can choose to assess with Lectura (Spanish)	Can choose to assess with DIBELS 8 (English)					
Funding is provided for both English and Spanish assessments						

** Schools may choose a different benchmark window for Lectura than DIBELS 8

Dual language report



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Lectura

Phonological Awareness

Gabriel has strong skills in phonological awareness in Spanish at both the syllable and phoneme levels and needs to build skills in phonological awareness in English. During instruction, consider cross-language transfer or whether the sounds transfer between languages. Build on sounds that are similar across languages, and highlight sounds that are different. Start with earlier phonological awareness skills like blending and segmenting at the syllable and onset-rime levels before moving to phonemes.

- For students with developing or emerging skills in English language, start instruction with sounds the student already knows. Then, focus on recognizing and distinguishing all of the sounds in English.
- Cross-Linguistic Transfer: Phonological Awareness

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enchmark	Progress Instruction Home Connect Dual Language		
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chuleta, Gabriel	Beginning of Year Middle of Year End of Year	⑦ Hor	v to read Dual Language details
enavidez, Daniel	Gabriel Archuleta Gabriel demonstrates higher performance on Spanish literacy assessments than	English	iteracy Skill Spanish
impos, Sophia	English literacy assessments. Gabriel applies strong foundational skills in Spanish to read and comprehend text. Gabriel may need additional support in English language. foundational skills, and in applying foundational skills to read and comprehend text.	DEVELOPII	NG ON TRACK
arvajal, Alexander	Teach Gabriel to apply Spanish letter-sound knowledge to English; review letter-sound correspondences that are similar across both languages and point out those that are		
l ao, Camilla	different in English.		
silva, Christian	stand water and a start water and the addition		
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quibel, Jennifer	Spanish 51 37 33 20 87% 42 Benchmark Benchmark Benchmark Benchmark Benchmark		
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organ, Joselyn	languages. Build on sounds that are similar across languages, and highlight sounds that are different. Start with earlier phonological awareness skills like blending and segmenting at the	37	Fluency PSF SPANISH Syllable Segmentation
ampo, Rosa	syllable and onset-rime levels before moving to phonemes. For students with developing or emerging skills in English language, start instruction	Benchmark	Fluidez En La Segmentación De Silabas FSS
scua, Luis	with sounds the student already knows. Then, focus on recognizing and distinguishing all of the sounds in English.		
i jas, Mariana	Cross-Linguistic Transfer: Phonological Awareness		
iz, Andres	Letter Sounds and Decoding Gabriel has strong skills in phonics in Spanish (letter sound correspondence and blending		ENGLISH
iomas, Miguel	sounds into syllables) and needs to build letter sound and decoding skills in English. During instruction, consider cross-language transfer: sounds and letter combinations that are	0 Well Below	Decoding Nonsense Word Fluency NWF
ga, Angel	transferable (e.g., m, s, t) and non-transferable (e.g., r.r. f) from Spanish to English. Highlight sounds and letter combinations present and not present in the child's native language. Include extra modeling and examples of words that include the sounds and letter combinations. During	33 Benchmark	SPANISH Decodificación Fluidez En Los Sonidos
ndejas, Josephine	instruction, use words with meanings the student understands so the focus can be on alphabetic principle and basic phonics.		De Sílabas LSS
	 Scaffold: For students with developing or emerging skills in English language, start instruction with sounds the student already knows. Then, focus on recognizing and distinguishing all of the sounds in English (e.g., English-only digraphs such as sh and th). Cross-Linguistic Transfer: Letter Sounds and Decoding 		

mCLASS Lectura skills and measures

Skill	Measures	Grade K	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4-6
Letter Naming	FNL (Fluidez en nombrar letras)	~	~	√ ²		
Phonological Awareness	FSS (Fluidez en la segmentación de sílabas)	v	4			
	♦ QQ (¿Qué queda?)	√ ²	√ ²	√ ²		
Alphabetic Principle	FSL (Fluidez en los sonidos de letras)	✓ ¹	v			
	LSS (Fluidez en los sonidos de sílabas)	~	~			
	FEP (Fluidez en palabras)	~	 	v	 	
Fluency	FLO (Fluidez en lectura oral)		~	~	 	
Comprehension	CP (¿Cuál palabra?)		√ ²	4	v	

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Specific to Spanish assessment
 ¹K-Inicio option available
 ²Optional measures

Invalidations



Invalidations

• There are times when a teacher will need to invalidate an assessment.



 In the event that there is a valid reason to invalidate an assessment, teachers will need to gain approval in order to process the invalidation.



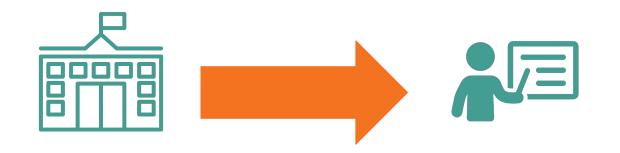
School-Level Approval

The teacher requests approval for an invalidation from a school-level administrator and provides a valid reason for requesting the invalidation.



Approval Communication

The school RtA contact approves the request and notifies the teacher.



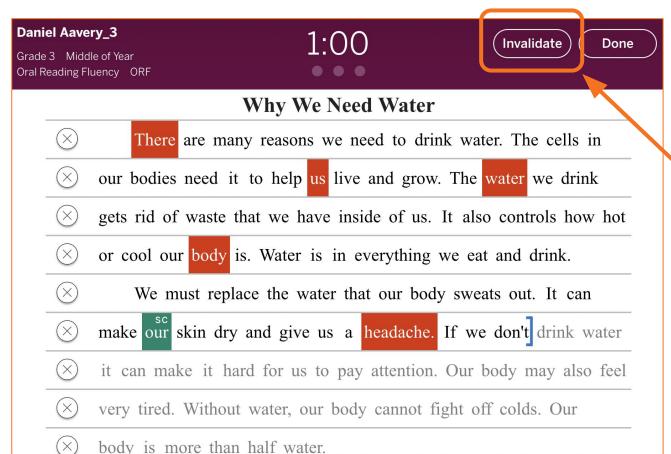
Teacher Processes Invalidation

The teacher invalidates the assessment. Once the score is invalidated, the teacher can reassess





Teacher Processes Invalidation





The assessing teacher is the only person able to invalidate an assessment. This is done on the mCLASS Assessment site by clicking this button.

Invalidation Information



Please note: charter schools can determine if an additional documentation process is needed at the local level.



Invalidations

Amplify Assessment Invalidation Process

- 1. Teacher requests approval for an invalidation from a school-level administrator and provides a valid reason for requesting the invalidation.
- 2. The Charter RtA contact approves the request and notifies the teacher.
- 3. Teacher invalidates assessment.









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What's new?



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Additional Questions?

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- Consult the NCDPI Read to Achieve FAQs
- Contact the Amplify Help Desk via chat in the mCLASS platform, at 800-823-1969 or at <u>help@amplify.com</u> or by using the chat feature in mCLASS





NCDPI Read to Achieve FAQs

