

EMERGENT READER SKILL DEVELOPMENT

Student Name: _____

Date: _____

Skill Category	Competencies & Observations	Status
Print Awareness	Left-to-right tracking	Emerging
	Identifies front/back cover	Developing
	Distinguishes text vs. image	Proficient
	Understands word spacing	
Phonological Awareness	Recognizes rhyming words	Emerging
	Syllable clapping	Developing
	Initial sound isolation	Proficient
	Simple blending (CVC)	
Letter & Sound Knowledge	Uppercase identification	Emerging
	Lowercase identification	Developing
	Consonant sounds	Proficient
	Short vowel sounds	
Decoding & Fluency	High-frequency words	Emerging
	Picture cues usage	Developing
		Proficient

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	Self-correction Rereads for meaning	

Observations / Next Steps: