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Bedtime for Porcupine

Name:		Date:	
Accuracy Rate %		SC Rate 1:	
Check One	Independent (95-100%)	Instructional (90–94%)	Hard (80-89%)

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PAGE		E	SC
2	Porcupine was playing		
	hide and seek		
	with Squirrel and Rabbit.		
	"Time for bed," called his mother.		
	"It's not dark yet," said Porcupine.		
	"It will be dark very soon,"		
	said his mother.		
	"Come inside		
	and get ready for bed."		

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4	Porcupine washed		
	his hands and face.		
	Then he brushed his teeth.		
5	"Get into bed,"		
	said Mother Porcupine.		
	"It's not dark yet!" said Porcupine.		
	"It will be dark very soon,"		
	said his mother.		
6	"Will you read me a story?"		
	Porcupine asked his mother.		
	Mother Porcupine read Porcupine		
	a story about winter in the forest.		
	"Now go to sleep,"		
	said his mother.		



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PAGE		E	SC
7	It's not dark yet!" said Porcupine.		
,	"It will be dark very soon,"		
	said Mother Porcupine.		
	"Will you read me another story?"		
	Porcupine asked.		
	"All right. One more story,"		
	said his mother.		
	She read Porcupine a story		
	about spring in the forest.		
8	"Now go to sleep,"		
	said Mother Porcupine.		
	"It's not dark yet!" said Porcupine.		
9	Mother Porcupine looked		
	at her watch. "It will be dark		
	very, very soon," she said.		



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	"Will you read me another story?"		
	asked Porcupine.		
	"All right. One more story,"		
	said his mother.		
	She read Porcupine a story		
	about summer in the forest.		
10	Mother Porcupine tucked		
	Porcupine into bed.		
	"I have read three stories,"		
	she told him.		
	"Now you must go to sleep!"		
	She turned off the light.		
12	"But I can't go to sleep,"		
	said Porcupine.		
	"I'm afraid of the dark!"		



1. ACCURACY RATE

Directions:

Count the number of errors that are not self-corrected. Circle the percentage of accuracy based on the number of errors. If the student's score falls in the shaded area (Hard), STOP! Reassess with a lower-level text.

	INDEP	ENDEN	IT				INSTR	UCTION	IAL			HARD
Number of Errors	0–1	2–3	4–5	6–8	9–10	11–12	13–15	16–17	18–19	20–21	22–24	25 or more
Percentage of Accuracy	100%	99%	98%	97%	96%	95%	94%	93%	92%	91%	90%	89% or less

2. RATE FLUENCY

Directions:

While the overall sound of the student's reading is fresh in your mind, use the Fluency Rubric to determine the student's reading fluency rating.

3. ASSESS COMPREHENSION

Directions:

Start a conversation about the text by saying, *Talk about what happened in this story*. Circle key understandings. Use prompts as needed to encourage students to talk about the text. It is not necessary to use every prompt. Score for evidence of all understandings that are expressed with or without the prompt. Using the comprehension rubric, circle the number in the score column that reflects the level of understanding demonstrated.

FLUENCY RUBRIC

Word-by-word reading No expression	1
Slow reading with a mix of word-by-word and phrased reading Some expression	2
Mostly phrased reading with a moderate pace Mostly appropriate expression	3
Smooth and fast-paced reading Consistent, appropriate expression	4

KEY UNDERSTANDINGS	PROMPTS	SCORE
ATTEND AND REMEMBER		
Porcupine was playing outside with his friends. His mom said it was bedtime. He told his mom it wasn't dark yet. He brushed his teeth and washed his face. He had his mom read him some stories. At the end, he said he was afraid of the dark. (Key Details)	What does Porcupine do before bed? What is the problem at the beginning of the story? What is the problem at the end?	0123
CONNECT, INFER, ANALYZE, AND EVALUATE		
Porcupine thinks it should be dark at bedtime. (Infer)	Why does Porcupine keep saying it isn't dark?	
<i>She felt annoyed/amused/upset because</i> (Accept any answer that makes sense.) (Character Analysis)	How do you think Porcupine's mother felt at the end of the story? Why?	0123
(Note any additional understandings.)		



COMPREHENSION FICTION RUBRIC – EARLY				
		Score		
	Does not communicate any important events in the story.	0		
ATTEND AND REMEMBER	Communicates only a few (1–2) important events in the story.	1		
	Communicates some important events in the story.	2		
	Communicates most of the important events in the story.	3		
	Shows no understanding of the message or deeper meaning of the text.	0		
CONNECT, INFER,	Shows limited understanding of the message or deeper meaning of the text.	1		
ANALYZE, AND EVALUATE	Shows some understanding of the message or deeper meaning of the text.	2		
	Shows complete understanding of the message and meaning of the text.	3		
	Total Comprehension Score:			

COI	COMPREHENSION SCORING		
5-6	Proficient		
4	Approaching Proficiency		
3	Limited Proficiency		
0-2	Not Proficient		

