

Child's Name: _____

Date: _____

Skill	Administration: Choose a simple picture book. Begin by telling the child, "I'm going to read you this story and I want you to help me. It is called..."	Yes	Not Yet
Orientation or layout of text/ Front of book	Ask: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Where is the front of the book?" • "Where is the back of the book?" • "Open the book to where the story begins." Child can open the book to title page or first page of story. 		
Print, not pictures, carries the message:	With the book open to the first page, ask the child: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Show me the picture." • "Show me the words." 		
Direction of print:	On the same page ask: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Show me where to start reading." If the child's response is vague, prompt, "Where?" Show me with your finger." • Point to the first word, read it and ask: "Where do I read after this?" 		
Page sequencing	Point to the last word on the left page and ask: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Where do I read after this?" 		
Difference between letter and word:	On the same page ask: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Show me one letter." • "Show me one word." • "Show me the first letter in a word." • "Show me the last letter in a word." 		
Return Sweep	Turn to a page with at least two lines of text. Read the top line and keeping your finger on the last word ask: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Where do I read after this?" 		
One-to-One Correspondence	Point to the first word on a new page and before reading, ask the child: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Point to each word as I read this line." Does the child follow and match text as you read? 		
Punctuation	Point to the period and ask: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Do you know what this is?" If so, ask: "What is this for?" 		