

Planning for Assessment

Step 1: A casual, informal conversation with the learner is *always* the first step, and may be the only assessment you need

Step 2: Do you need to do a more formal learner assessment?

Yes
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No

Step 3: What type of assessment?

Adult Basic
Literacy

English
Language
Learning

Assessment Tools:

- OLES Level 1 & 2
- OLES Level 1, 2, 3 Numeracy, Doc Use, Reading
- ReadForward
- SkillPlan BCOLES Self-Assessment
- ONLC Self Assessment

Assessment Tools:

- CLB Support Kit
- Can Do Checklists
- Roots & Connections*

*can be found on the CALP Portal - Keyword search: "Roots and Connections"

What type of instruction?

Reading/
Writing

Speaking/
Listening

Classroom Tools:

- NWT Literacy Council
- The Westcoast Reader
- Schoolhouse Rock
- ESL Rural Routes*
- Pronunciator (app available with library account)
- Elovivo*
- Common Ground*

Classroom Strategies:

- Creating Learning Partners
- PBS Learning Media
- Reading Rockets
- Tutor Tools
- CLB ESL for ALL* **
- Grassroots Press
- Sharing the Journey with Indigenous Learners: A Teaching Reading Strategies Guide
- Teaching Strategies

*ESL Specific **ESL Literacy

For more information:

- links to all tools listed can be found on the Portal in the CLN tip sheet: **Tutor Program-First Steps**
- For additional information, access these resources on the CALP Portal:
- e-Learning - Assessment - [Selecting and Using Assessment Tools](#)
- CALP Portal: Resources - Keyword Search - "Tools"