

Weekly Assessments

The Frog Street Pre-K program includes Weekly Assessments to help teachers identify key vocabulary, skills, and concepts that may be observed and assessed. These helpful tools may be kept in children’s portfolios and shared with parents during parent-teacher conferences. Print the assessments from the Assessment CD when you’re ready to make an observation.

A sample of a weekly assessment document in English is shown below. The Assessment CD includes Spanish translations for all 36 assessments.

WEEKLY ASSESSMENT	
Theme 3: Week 1	
Child's Name _____	Date _____
Giants—Big and Little	
✓ consistently performs sd indicates still developing	
Vocabulary	
<i>Vocabulary is assessed as children interact with each other and with the teacher. It is also assessed as children engage in group discussions during large and small group experiences.</i>	
gigantic	
perspective	
enormous	
height	
length	
measure	
compare	
grumble	
stumble	
dinosaur	
brontosaurus	
humorous	
courageous	
longest	
shortest	
wade	
gnawing	
ferocious	
Social and Emotional Development	
Shows competence in initiating social interaction	
Uses calming strategies (Bunny Breathing)	
<i>Social and emotional skills are assessed as children interact with other children and adults throughout the day. Evaluation of understanding occurs during the Greeting and Closing Circles where discussion provides insight into social and emotional capacity.</i>	
Character Education Focus	
Recognizes humor in different situations	
Discusses appropriate ways to exhibit courage	
<i>Identifies humor in stories, songs, and class events</i>	
<i>Discusses ways to exhibit courage</i>	
Letter Knowledge	
Recognizes and names: B, b, L, l, A, a	
Names other letters in the alphabet	
<i>Responds correctly during transitions, Greeting Circle, and practice centers</i>	
<i>Completes name puzzles; names letters in dinosaur words and in centers</i>	
Concepts and Skills	
Separates sentence into individual words	
Uses large vocabulary	
Combines syllables into words	
Classifies objects	
Compares length	
<i>Demonstrates leaving space between words with Spacefrog</i>	
<i>Tells information about bears, lions, giraffes, dinosaurs, and other large animals</i>	
<i>Claps syllables of words during Morning Message</i>	
<i>Sorts items by color, size</i>	
<i>Arranges props from largest to smallest</i>	