

Reading Level Correlation Chart

UALR Arkansas Literacy Coaching Model

Stage	Grade Level	Reading Recovery	Guided Reading (Fountas & Pinnell)	DRA	
Emergent	Kindergarten	A, B	A	A	
		1		1	
		2	B	2	
		3	C	3	
4	4				
Early	Grade 1	5	D	6	
		6		6	
		7	E	8	
		8		8	
		9	F	10	
		10		10	
		11	G	12	
		12		12	
		13	H	14	
		14		14	
15	I	16			
16		16			
Transitional	Grade 2	17	J, K	18	
		18		20	
		19		24	
	Grade 3	20	L, M	28	
				N	30
				O, P	34
Fluent	Grade 4		Q, R, S	38	
	Grade 5		T, U, V	40	
	Grade 6		W, X, Y	44	
	Grade 7		Z		
	Grade 8		Z		

Notes: The correlation chart should be used with formal and informal assessments. Place a copy of the chart in your Literacy Assessment Notebook and on the Reading Assessment Wall. The chart will help you to determine the proficiency expectations for students along a reading continuum and to document reading levels for report cards.