

CAUSE AND EFFECT READING ASSESSMENTS

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The History of Waffles

Waffles got their start in ancient Greece, about 2,500 years ago. Chefs used metal plates that were attached to long wooden handles to toast the flat cakes over a fire. By the middle ages, cooks made similar items called wafers in Europe. Sometimes they added cheese and served them as a savory dish. If these were sweet, they were served as a dessert, not as a breakfast. Eventually, the recipe changed and yeast was added to make the waffles thicker. Other ingredients like honey, cream, and butter made the waffles sweeter too.

In the 1400s Dutch "wafel" makers were the first to make rectangular plates with the waffle grid pattern. They cooked waffles over an open flame. When Dutch immigrants came to North America in the 1600s, they brought their knowledge of waffle making with them. This was also when waffles were finally paired with maple syrup. The first electric waffle iron was invented in 1911 by Thomas Stackback. Eggo frozen waffles were created in 1953 by the Dorsa Brothers.

1. The first flat cakes can be traced to which country? *

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- ☐ Ancient Rome
- ☐ Ancient Greece
- ☐ Ancient China

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- A. Ancient Rome

2. Why did they put them on a grid?

- A. To toast the flat cakes

3. What was the effect of adding yeast?

- A. It made them sweet

4. What was the cause of the waffle iron?

- A. Irish immigrants

5. When were Eggo waffles created?

- A. 1400s

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HYENAS

Of the three hyena species (the spotted, brown, and striped hyena) the spotted hyena is the largest and the most common. Hyenas are nocturnal animals who live in a variety of habitats like the woodlands, grasslands, deserts, and savannahs of Africa and Asia. They live in underground dens with a system of tunnels. Hyenas are social animals and live in groups called clans. They are led by an alpha female and live in groups of 10 to 15. They are known for their howl, growl, squeal, and roar.

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1. Which hyena species is the largest?

- A. Spotted

2. Why do they live in groups?

- A. They are solitary

3. What is the effect of adding yeast?

- A. Can catch large prey

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RAINBOW VOLCANO

Materials:

Vinegar
Liquid Watercolors or Food Coloring (*** Glitter is optional)
Dish Soap
Baking Soda
Glass jar, Tray, Small bowls to mix extra colors

Directions:

- Fill half a jar with vinegar. Add a few drops of food coloring or liquid watercolors. Add a big squirt of dish soap and stir. The soap will eventually make it foam instead of fizz. Place the jar on a tray to contain the mess.
- To make it foam, add a heaping teaspoon of baking soda. Keep adding baking soda and vinegar to keep it foaming. To change colors, add a tablespoon of vinegar mixed with a few drops of one color (watercolors or food coloring). Dump this into the center of the volcano.
- To make the reaction stronger, stir the mixture faster.

1. What is the effect of adding the dish soap?

- A. It will explode. B. It will fizz. C. It will foam.

2. What causes it to be less messy?

- A. The vinegar B. The baking soda

3. What is the effect of adding the vinegar?

- A. It makes it foam. B. It stops the reaction.

4. What is optional but causes a change in color?

- A. Confetti

5. How can you make the reaction stronger?

- A. Stir it backwards.

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3 STANDARDS-BASED ASSESSMENTS

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THE HISTORY OF WAFFLES

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1. The first flat cakes can be traced to which country?
A. Ancient Rome B. Ancient Greece
2. Why did they put metal plates over the fire?
A. To toast the flat cakes B. To cook meat
3. What was the effect of adding yeast to the waffle recipe?
A. It made them sweeter. B. It made them flat.
4. What was the cause of waffles spreading to North America?
A. Irish immigrants B. Italian immigrants
5. When were Eggo waffles invented?
A. 1400s B. 1600s C. 1911

Number Correct: 5 / 5 Cause and Effect A

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Hyenas are often called scavengers because they eat much of their food. They hunt hippos, zebras, antelope, giraffes, and other animals. To find their food, they'll eat fish, birds, and insects. They have powerful jaws and teeth that can crush bones.

1. Which hyena species is the most common?
A. Spotted B. Brown C. Striped
2. Why do hyenas live in clans?
A. They are solitary animals. B. They are social animals.
3. What is the effect of hunting?
A. Can catch large animals B. Can catch small animals
4. What causes hyenas to eat so much?
A. For a snack B. If big animal
5. What is NOT the effect of a hyena hunt?
A. It bites through bones and hooves B. It kills the animal

Number Correct: 5 / 5 Cause and Effect B

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2. What causes it to be less messy?
A. The vinegar B. The tray C. The baking soda
3. What is the effect of adding baking soda to the mixture?
A. It makes it foam. B. It stops it from foaming. C. It makes it disappear.
4. What is optional but could cause the volcano to sparkle?
A. Confetti B. Sequins C. Glitter
5. How can you make the reaction stronger?
A. Stir it backwards. B. Stir it faster. C. Stir it counter clockwise.

Number Correct: 5 / 5 Cause and Effect C

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WORKS WELL FOR:

- Formative Assessment
- Summative Assessment
- Independent Practice

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INCLUDES A DIGITAL FORMAT

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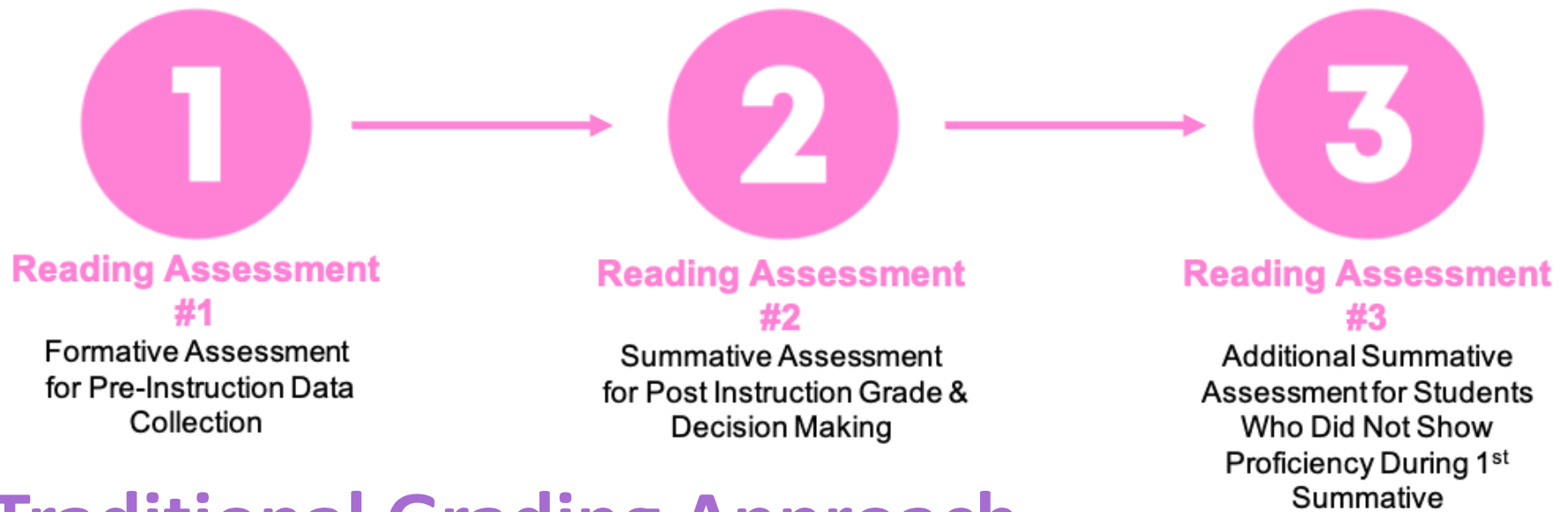


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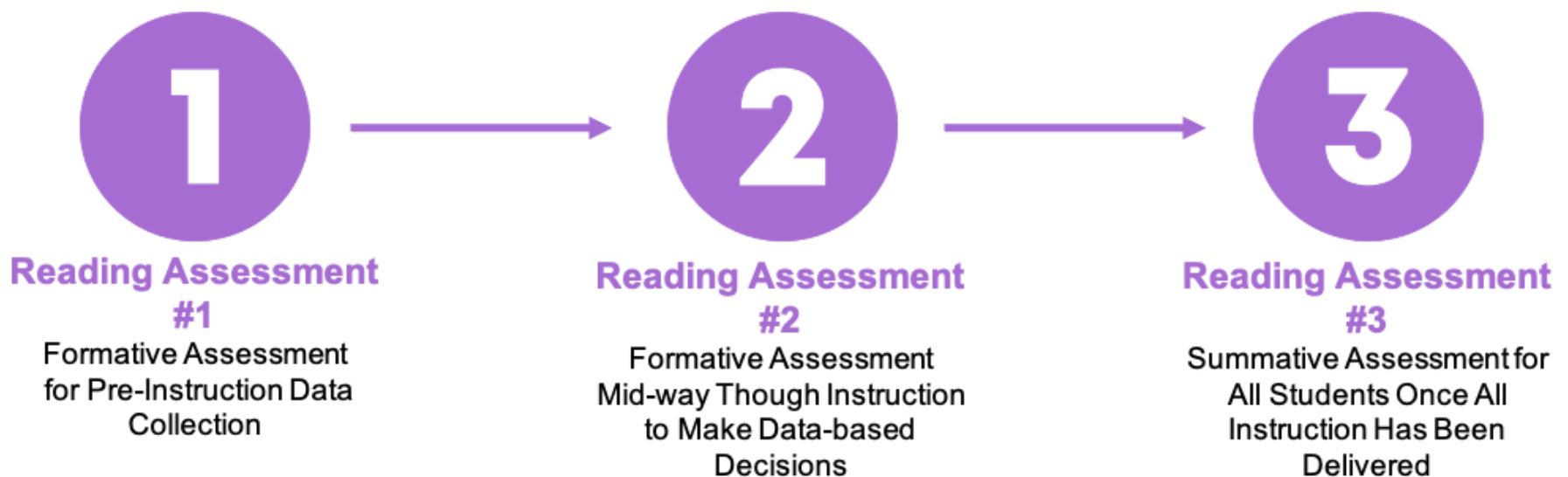
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Standards-Based Grading Approach



Traditional Grading Approach



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- Meet IEP and 504 requirements
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DIGITAL READING: Context Clues
DIGITAL READING: Text Evidence
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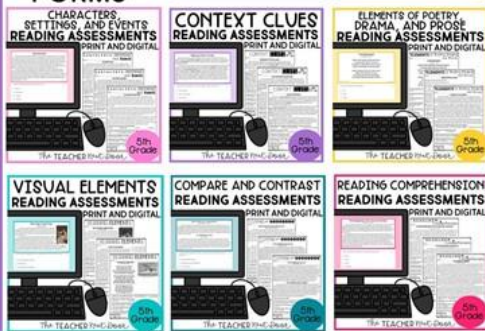
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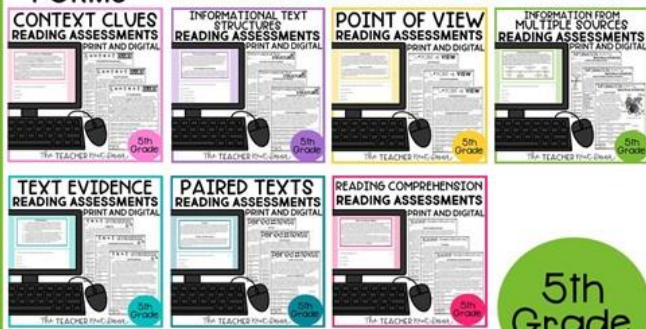


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