

Formative Assessment

Gauge student learning

Cognia™, formerly AdvancED | Measured Progress, is more than a new name. We offer educators expanded resources and expertise—giving you more support to maximize learning opportunities for students.

Strengthen instruction with formative assessment from Cognia. Easily integrated into both classroom and remote learning, these resources provide actionable feedback that helps teachers and learners identify misconceptions, define success, and adjust instruction. Effective assessment items (questions) are one part of the formative process, and can be hard to find or create. But we've made it easy.



Quickly gather evidence of learning—remotely or in person

Formative resources from Cognia include item sets in reading, mathematics, and STEM for grades 3–8. Two 10–15-minute sections allow teachers to easily fit quick checks into lessons or student assignments. Plus, a downloadable content library includes all the information teachers need:

- A blueprint that outlines the standard, learning target, and DOK (depth of knowledge) level for each item, as well as NGSS® performance expectations for STEM
- Scoring keys with “distractor rationales”—explanations of wrong answer choices for multiple-choice items that identify potential misconceptions
- Scoring rubric and sample responses for constructed-response items, for consistent scoring
- Details on related skills and targets, for quick selection and integration with instruction

Use two components for optimum flexibility

Formative Content Library:

- Already available to members of the Cognia Improvement Network, downloadable item sets and supporting materials
- Easy to access and distribute from the Cognia improvement platform (eProve™)
- Offers detailed previews of the high quality and rigor of Cognia’s formative content, for those interested in using the online platform

Online Formative Assessment:

- Easy-to-use computer-based administration and student interface
- Instant scoring and customized report management for results teachers need

Log in to explore the formative resources at myjourney.cognia.org/login.

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