

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN DELLS ACT 20 ROADMAP

The School District of Wisconsin Dells is dedicated to helping every student build strong reading and writing skills.



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WHAT IS ACT 20?



Act 20 is a Wisconsin state law that requires schools to assess early reading skills for students in grades 4K-3 to ensure that every child receives the support they need.

DAILY CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION

Teachers provide high quality science of reading based lessons to improve reading and writing skills.



MEASURE READING PROGRESS

To ensure your 5K-3 child is on track to become a strong reader we will use:

- Universal Screeners: Given to all students to identify those who may need extra support.
- Diagnostic Assessments: Given only to students who need extra support to help pinpoint specific needs.



PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

If your 5K-3 child scores below the 25th percentile (nationwide) on the Universal Screener, teachers will create a Personal Reading Plan for your child. This plan will be informed by the results of their diagnostic assessments.



PERSONAL READING PLAN

This plan will include:

- Your child's reading strengths and areas of need.
- What instruction will be provided to support areas of need.
- Goals to determine growth and when a Personal Learning Plan is no longer needed.



PARTNER WITH FAMILIES AND THE COMMUNITY

A strong partnership between home and school is essential for student reading success. If your 5K-3 child has a Personal Reading Plan, you will be provided updates on your child's progress every 10 weeks.



WHAT IS NEXT?



Look for information from your 5K-3 child's teacher on your child's Universal Screening Results in the fall, winter, and spring of each year.