

School Psychologist's Guide to RtI

	UNIVERSAL CLASSROOM	CLASSROOM TIER I INTERVENTIONS	WALK-TO TIER II INTERVENTIONS
WHO	All Students	Struggling Students	Students Not Progressing at Tier I
GOALS	General education classroom (core) instruction meets the needs of 80% of students	General education classroom teacher provides classroom supports to improve student progress	Data Review teams use data to identify specific skill deficits and recommend interventions; interventionists provide Tier II interventions to improve student progress; Data Review teams monitor intervention effectiveness
WHAT THE SP DOES	When needed, consults with teachers and administrators regarding universal instruction, research-based instructional strategies, and differentiation strategies to meet the needs of all students	When needed, consults with teachers and administrators regarding small-group instruction, curriculum modification, re-teaching, and other differentiation strategies; provides strategic monitoring training to teachers as needed; helps teachers complete documentation forms if necessary	When needed, consults with interventionists and administrators regarding small-group intervention programming; assists teachers and administrators in developing hypotheses for why students lack progress utilizing error analysis; helps facilitate Data Review meetings; collects documentation forms
WHAT/HOW THE SP ASSESSES	Administers universal screener (AIMSweb) and diagnostic testing (MAP) 3 times a year	Coordinates strategic monitoring caseloads and helps determine goals; reviews quizzes, tests, homework and other permanent products as needed	Coordinates progress monitoring caseloads and helps determine goals; provide progress monitoring training to interventionists as needed; reviews quizzes, tests, homework and other permanent products as needed; conducts curriculum-based assessment when necessary
WHAT THE SP DOCUMENTS	Retrieves AIMSweb and MAP score reports	Reviews Tier I intervention documentation; ensures that strategic monitoring data is entered into AIMSweb to create data chart	Assist teacher and administrators with completing IPF for core curriculum; records areas of concern, discrepancy between student scores and national norms, results of analysis/assessments, and Data Review teams' decisions
WHAT THE SP ANALYZES	Calculates correlations between AIMSweb and MAP scores for each grade level	Analyzes Tier I strategic monitoring data	Analyzes Tier I and Tier II strategic and progress monitoring data; complete the Decision Making Flowchart for each student receiving Tier II intervention; calculate percentage of students adequately responding to Tier II interventions; calculate percentage of students participating in Tier II interventions

