



# ELIAS PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Band Descriptors for Reading Aloud				
Criteria	★	★★	★★★	★★★★
<b>Pronunciation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 5 pronunciation errors and/or skipping of more than 5 words</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generally clear pronunciation, with 3 to 4 errors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clear pronunciation, with 1 to 2 errors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clear and consistently good pronunciation</li> </ul>
<b>Fluency</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Very slow and jerky reading</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slow and hesitant reading</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Generally fluent reading with few hesitations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fluent expressive reading without hesitation</li> </ul>
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<b>Expression</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads with inappropriate stress and intonation.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads with little variety in tone or emphasis.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads with some variation in expression and gives occasional emphasis.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads with considerable expression appropriate to the mood.</li> </ul>
<b>Use of voice</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Muffled most of the time</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Muffled in some instances</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Quite clear</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Very clear</li> </ul>