The Placement Test

The placement test has two parts. In part 1, each student reads a passage aloud as you count decoding errors. In part 2, students answer comprehension questions about the passage.

Instructions for Part 1

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You should administer part 1 in a corner of

If the student skips a line, point to the line and count one error.

If the student does not finish the passage within the given time limit, count every word not read as an error. For example, if the student is eight words from the end of the passage at the end of the time limit, count eight errors.

Instructions for Part 2

After all the students have finished part 1,

overhear the testing. Use the following

following procedure.

- 1. (Assemble the student.)
- 2. (Give each student a copy of the placement test.)
- 3. (Say:) Here is the passage you read earlier.

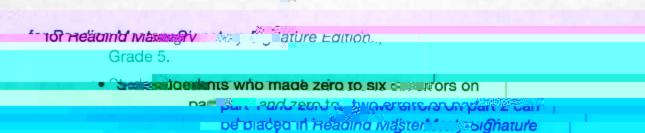
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2. (Point to the passage and sav:) You're

going to read the passage aloud. I want
you to read it as well as you can. Don't try

the questions in part 2. You have seven minutes. Go.

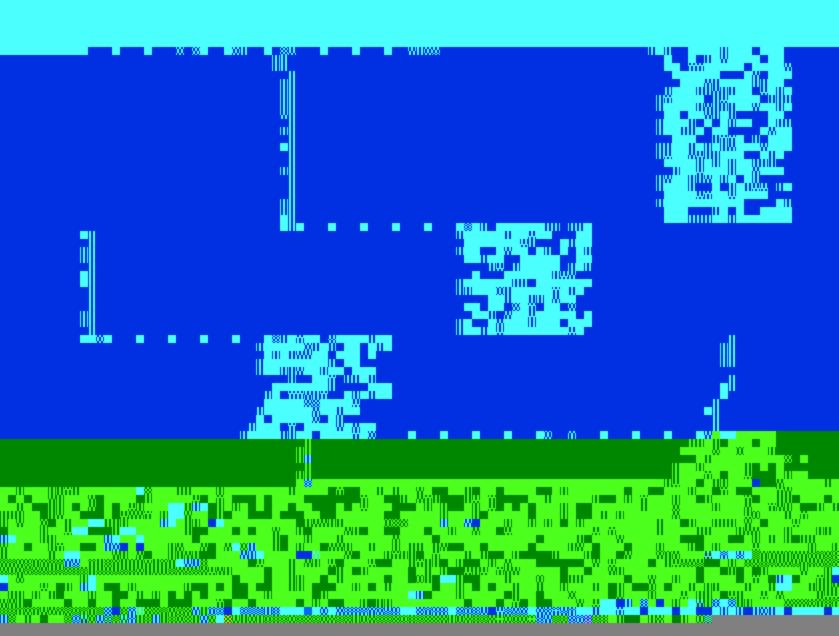
- 4. (Collect the test papers after seven minutes.)
- 5 (Total each student's errors using the



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