

**Selected Curriculum – Based Assessments  
Multiple Domains**

Instrument Author / Publisher Publication Date	Ages	Format /Scoring Assessor / Ease To Learn Time / Ease To Administer	Content	Type/Purpose Validation	General Comments Cultural Sensitivity Family Involvement
<p><b>Assessment, Evaluation, and Programming System for Infants and Children (AEPS)</b></p> <p>Diane Bricker and Kristie Pett-Frontczak</p> <p>Paul Brookes Publish. P.O. Box 10524 Baltimore, MD 800-638-3775 <a href="http://www.pbrookes.com">www.pbrookes.com</a></p> <p>(1996)</p>	<p>Vol.1 &amp; 2 B-3yrs.</p> <p>Vol. 3&amp;4 3-6yrs.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Easy to use child observation data recording form. Parallel assessment with Family Report forms</li> <li>• Use for one child or a group in home- or center-based naturalistic setting.</li> <li>• Each item scored with 0,1 or 2</li> <li>• Activity-based assessment</li> <li>• Experienced and trained examiner – direct service providers and specialists</li> <li>• Easy to learn</li> <li>• 1-2 hours to administer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fine motor</li> <li>• Gross motor</li> <li>• Cognitive</li> <li>• Adaptive</li> <li>• Social-communication</li> <li>• Social</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Curriculum-based</li> <li>• Progress monitoring</li> <li>• Provides a second source for determining eligibility</li> <li>• Activity-based developmentally appropriate instruction</li> <li>• Natural child activity basis ensures authenticity</li> <li>• Based on 20 years research on intervention relevant to assessment</li> <li>• Continual field validation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Includes emergent literacy</li> <li>• Instructions for collecting data and translating results into IFSP/IEP</li> <li>• Curriculum goals &amp; objectives linked with assessment items</li> <li>• Includes activity-based interventions aligned with assessment</li> <li>• Helps formulate appropriate goals</li> <li>• Planning guide promotes family involvement</li> <li>• Family focused</li> <li>• Family interest survey and report form</li> <li>• Includes child progress record forms &amp; summary data forms</li> </ul>
<p><b>Brigance Diagnostic Inventory of Early Development- Revised</b></p> <p>Albert Brigance Curriculum Associates 5 Esquire Road North Billerica, MA 01862-2589</p> <p>800-225-0248 <a href="http://www.curriculumassociates.com">www.curriculumassociates.com</a></p> <p>(1991)</p>	<p>Birth – Age 7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Data can be collected through naturalistic observation</li> <li>• Convenient for assessing children in or away from classroom setting</li> <li>• Simple recording method</li> <li>• Scoring pass / fail</li> <li>• Trained professionals</li> <li>• Volunteers or tutors, if trained to administer</li> <li>• Easy to learn</li> <li>• Administration time varies with number of areas tested</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Perambulatory</li> <li>• Fine/gross motor</li> <li>• Social-emotional</li> <li>• Readiness</li> <li>• Self-help</li> <li>• Basic reading skills</li> <li>• Speech/language</li> <li>• Manuscript writing</li> <li>• General knowledge</li> <li>• Basic math</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Criterion- referenced</li> <li>• Diagnostic</li> <li>• Instructional guide</li> <li>• Monitor progress</li> <li>• Curriculum- compatible developmental measure</li> <li>• Tracking System</li> <li>• Low authenticity- flexible information gathering for less natural settings</li> <li>• Content validity clear &amp; strong</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contains some supplementary materials needed for some assessments</li> <li>• Comprehensive and supplemental skill sequences serve as a curriculum guide</li> <li>• Correlates to Head Start Child Outcomes Framework</li> <li>• Tool for developing IEP's</li> <li>• Parents observations included</li> <li>• Easy to understand report of progress for teachers and parents</li> <li>• Resource for parents &amp; professionals</li> <li>• Incorporates parent observations</li> <li>• Coded to Brigance Readiness test for kindergarten-age children</li> </ul>