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Programs:

How about English?

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We address two questions:

1) Will students fall behind,
since English instructional time
is used for Chinese instruction?

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We address two questions:

2) How does English language instruction in a Chinese immersion environment compare with its counterpart in English-only programs?



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Program at a Glance

K and 1st grade	Full Chinese immersion in core subjects
2nd grade	Begin formal English instruction 7 periods per week
3rd grade	6 periods of English per week
4th -8th grade	5 periods of English per week
5th grade and above	Different levels of Chinese and Math classes 5th grade--70% Chinese : 30% English 6th and 7th grade—60% Chinese: 40 % English 8th grade--50% of instructional time in Chinese; 50% of instructional time in English

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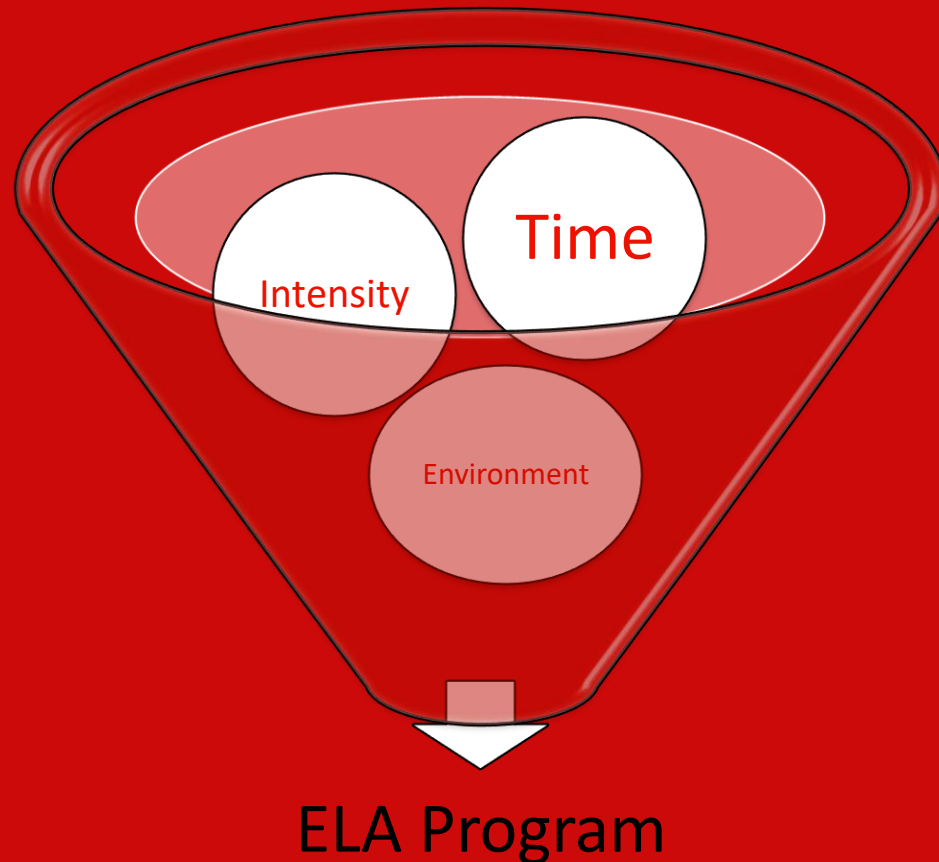
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**Additive
bilingualism**

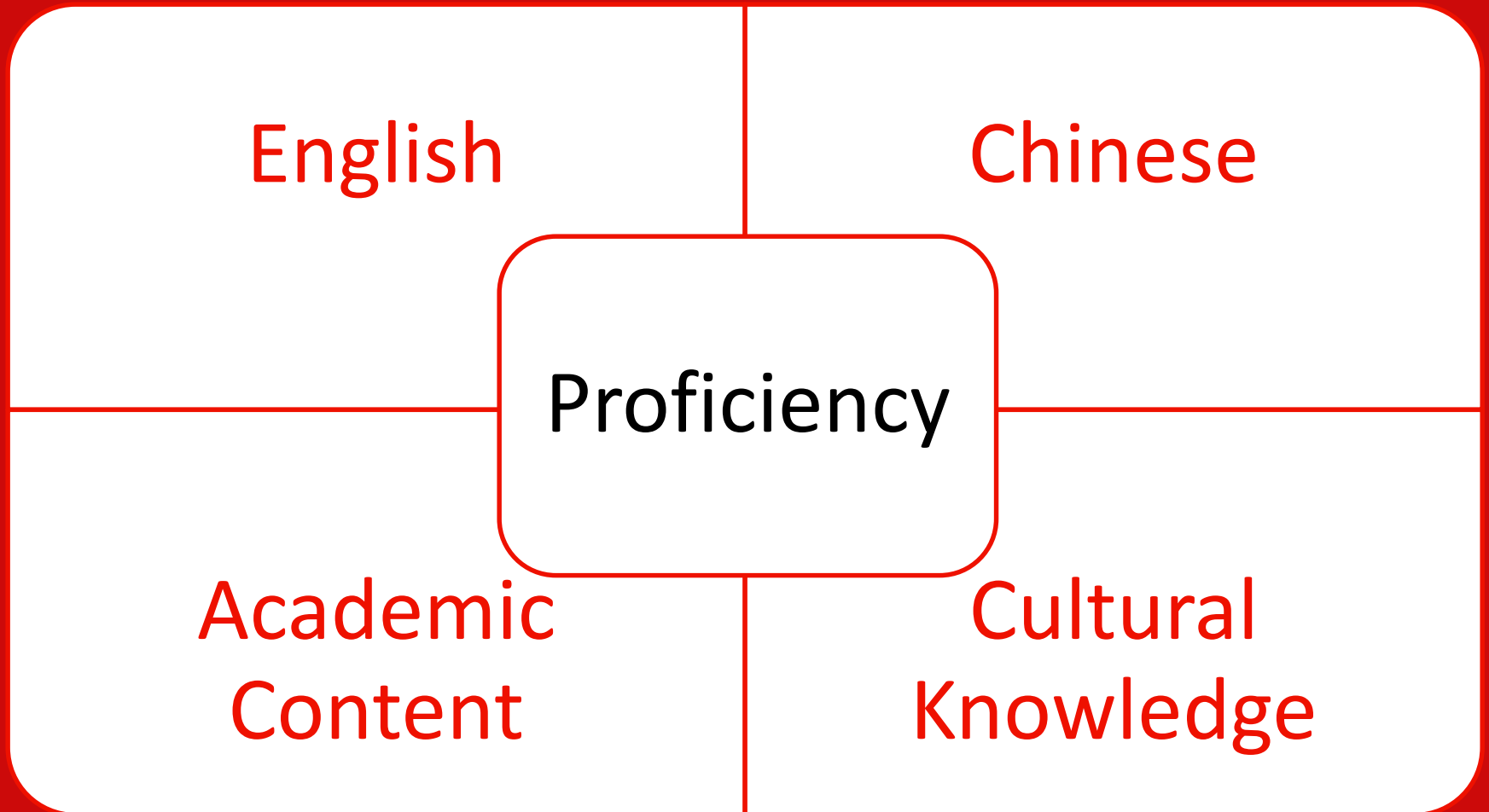
**Subtractive
bilingualism**

English Learning in an Immersion Setting

Is there a difference between a regular English class and an immersion program's English class?



Immersion Education: Purposes and End Goals



Preparing Parents for English Learning in an Immersion Setting

(1) Research indicates that —during the first few years students' English learning may be behind that of their monolingual peers; by fifth grade, the immersion students should catch up, or be at a higher proficiency level than their monolingual peers.

MCA Reading Scores in 3rd and 5th Grades

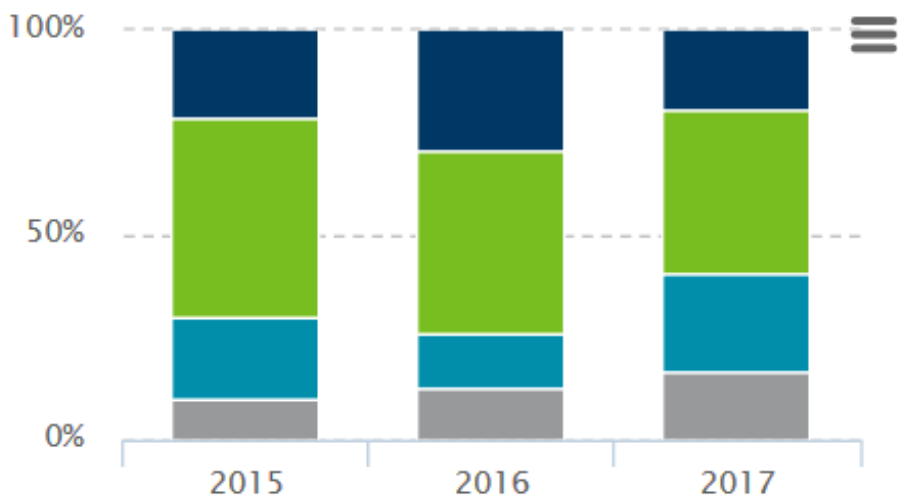
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Subject : Reading Grade : 3



2015 - 2017 Student Achievement Level



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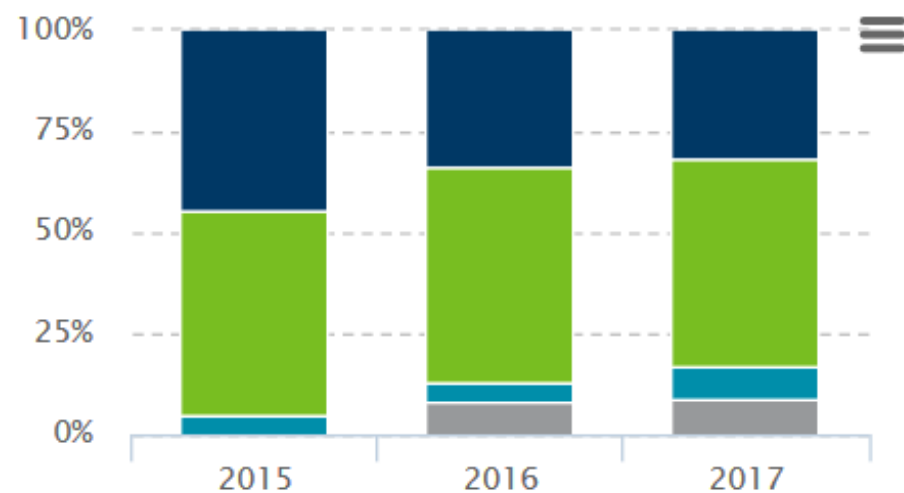
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Subject : Reading Grade : 5



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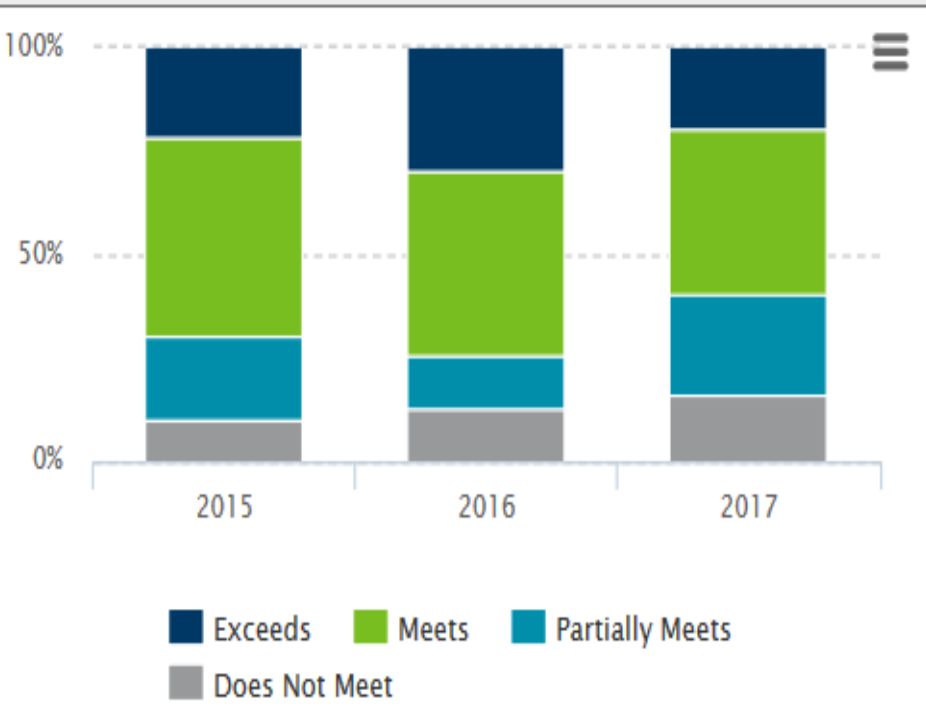


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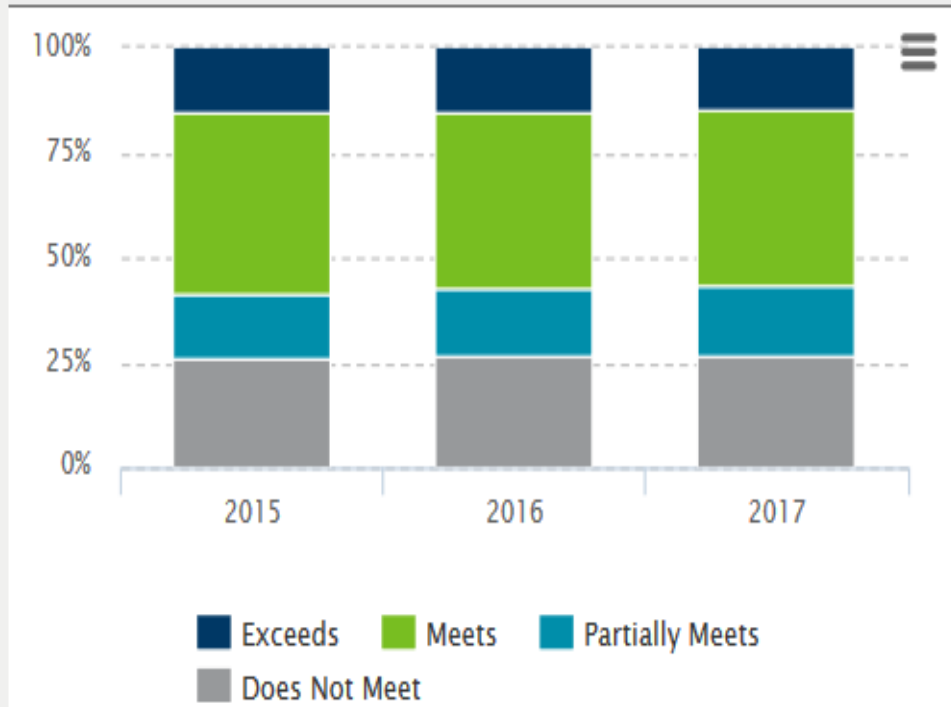
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Statewide
Test : MCA-III Subject : Reading Grade : 3

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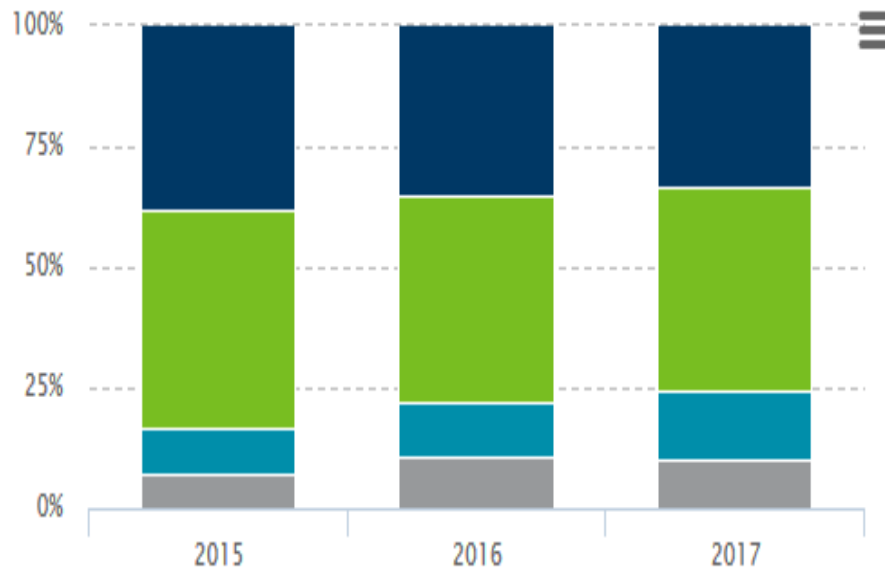


MCA Reading Scores All Grades

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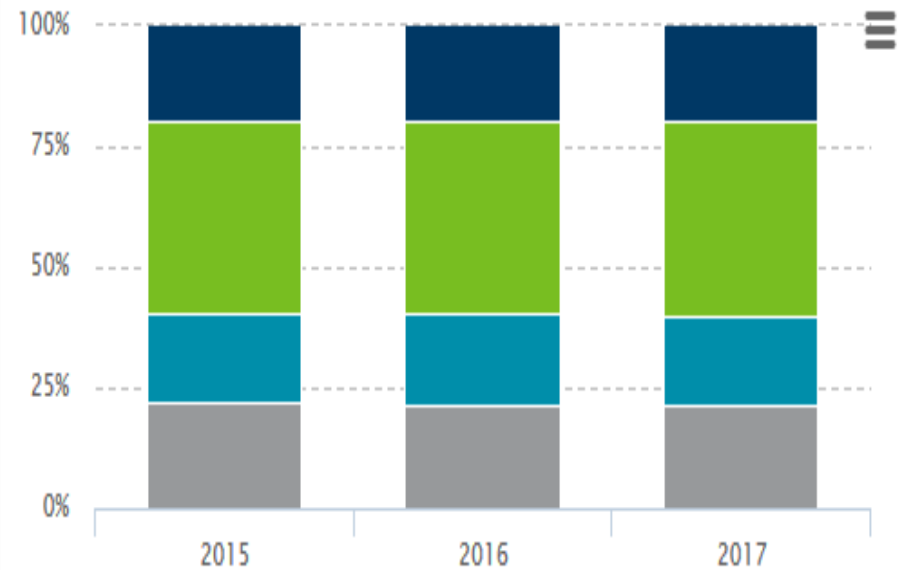


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Preparing Parents for English Learning in an Immersion Setting

(2) Be patient with children's progress in learning English.

(3) Provide support at home: Talk and read; be intentional about providing a lot of input.

Preparing Parents for English Learning in an Immersion Setting

(4) Communicate with both English and Chinese teachers to support children's further development.

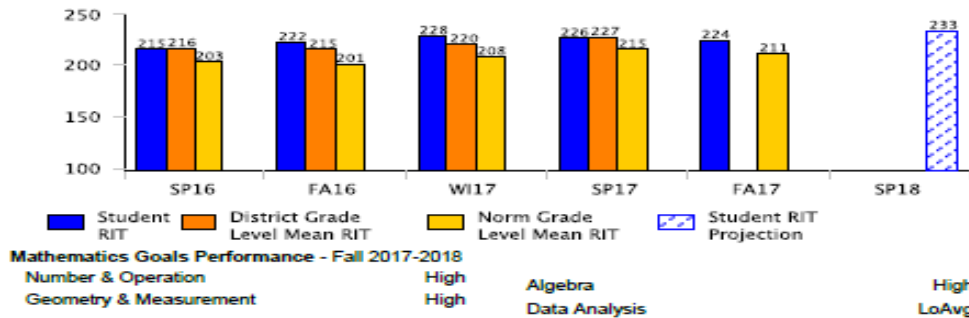
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ELA Resources: Assessments

- Assessments that can help you track students' progress

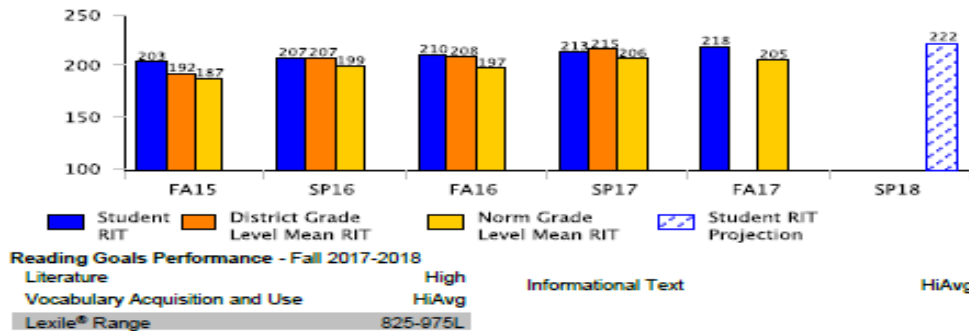
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Mathematics



Term/Year	Grade	RIT (+/- Std Err)	RIT Growth	Growth Projection	Percentile Range
FA17	5	221-224-227			78-82-87
SP17	4	223-226-229	4	14	70-76-82
WI17	4	225-228-231			89-92-95
FA16	4	219-222-225			91-94-96
SP16	3	212-215-218	12	13	74-80-85
WI16	3	204-207-210			72-79-85
FA15	3	200-203-206			79-85-90
SP15	2	215-218-221	12	12	95-97-98
WI15	2	207-210-213			94-96-98
FA14	2	203-206-209			98-99-99
SP14	1	199-202-205	20	16	91-94-96
WI14	1	188-191-194			86-91-94
FA13	1	179-182-185			90-94-96

Reading



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FA17	5	215-218-221			74-80-86
SP17	4	210-213-216	3	7	59-67-74
FA16	4	207-210-213			72-79-85
SP16	3	204-207-210	4	9	63-71-78
FA15	3	200-203-206			78-84-88
SP15	2	198-201-204	11	12	72-79-85
WI15	2	199-202-205			83-88-92
FA14	2	187-190-193			78-84-88
SP14	1	177-180-183			49-57-64
WI14	1	174-177-179			58-66-73

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ELA Resources: Assessments

Assessments that can help you track students' progress

- NWEA:MAP tests
- AR and Star Test
- Lexia



Immersion Program ELA Resources: Parents' Tool Kits

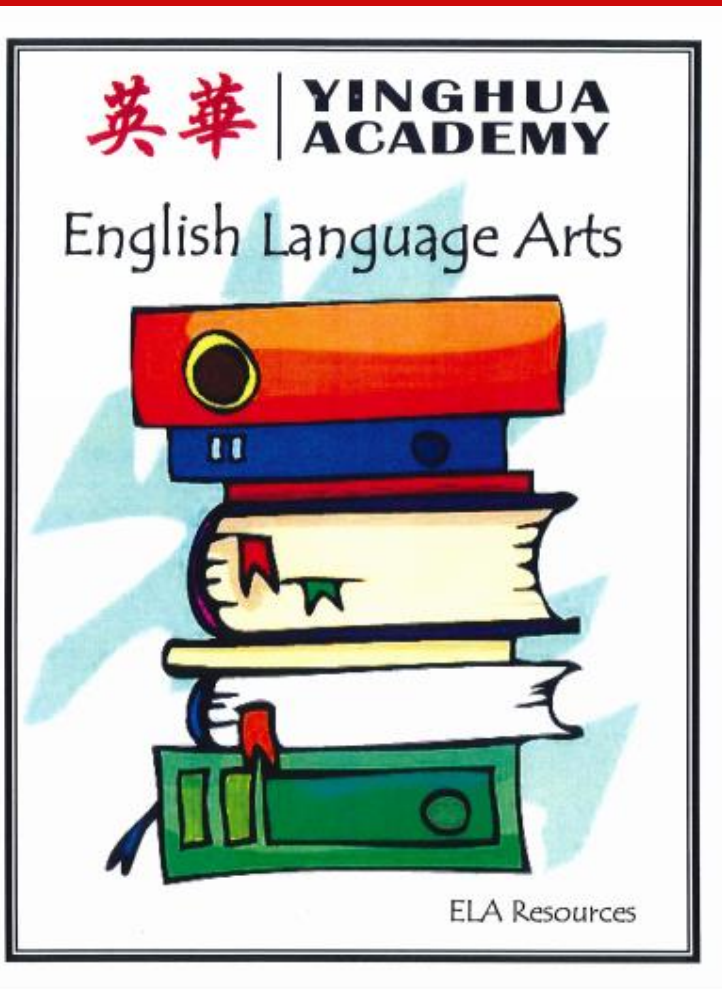


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We wish you a successful year!

Thank you! 谢谢!

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