

R-12 Springfield Public Schools

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Beginning and End of Year Reading Benchmarks and DRA Ceilings

<i>Grade Level</i>	Beginning of Year Proficiency Levels					End of Year Proficiency Levels				
	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced	DRA Ceiling	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced	DRA Ceiling
Kindergarten	0	0	0	A or Above	4	0 or A	1-2	3	4 or Above	8
1 st Grade	0 or A	1-2	3	4 or Above	8	10 or Below	12-14	16	18 or Above	28
2 nd Grade	10 or Below	12-14	16	18 or Above	28	20 or Below	24	28	30 or Above	38

Quarterly Reading Benchmark Proficiency Levels

Kindergarten

<i>Proficiency Level</i>	End of 1 st Quarter	End of 2 nd Quarter	End of 3 rd Quarter	End of 4 th Quarter
Advanced	1 or Above	2 or Above	3 or Above	4 or Above
Proficient	A	1	2	3
Basic	0	A	A, 1	1, 2
Below Basic	0	0	0	0, A

1st Grade

<i>Proficiency Level</i>	End of 1 st Quarter	End of 2 nd Quarter	End of 3 rd Quarter	End of 4 th Quarter
Advanced	6 or Above	10 or Above	14 or Above	18 or Above
Proficient	3/4	8	12	16
Basic	2	4/6	8/10	12/14
Below Basic	1 or Below	3 or Below	6 or Below	10 or Below

2nd Grade

<i>Proficiency Level</i>	End of 1 st Quarter	End of 2 nd Quarter	End of 3 rd Quarter	End of 4 th Quarter
Advanced	20 or Above	24 or Above	28 or Above	30 or Above
Proficient	18	20	24	28
Basic	16	18	20	24
Below Basic	14 or Below	16 or Below	18 or Below	20 or Below