

Fluency rubric- child friendly (adapted from Zutell and Rasinski 1991)

Make a Judgement	1 Not there yet!	2 Getting there!	3 Well done!	4 Wow-amazing!	Score
Expression and volume	I can get the words out but it is a bit like a robot.	My voice is sometimes quiet but I try to say some phrases like 'normal speaking'.	When I read it mostly sounds like normal speaking. My volume is good and I only sometimes forget expression.	I have good expression and I can match my voice and volume to the words I'm reading.	
Phrasing	I read word by word- my voice stays the same.	I read two or three words at a time. It sounds a bit choppy and sometimes you can't tell where a sentence ends or starts.	I read in short sentences, I sometimes pause for breath in a longer sentence. I can show some intonation with my voice and can stress important words!	I can read in sentences and clauses and use expression to match this.	
Smoothness	I keep stopping if I'm stuck or to sound out a word.	I have a few 'rough spots' when I need to stop or I hesitate.	I mostly read smoothly, I only stop for a very tricky word or to r- read a tricky phrase.	I can read smoothly most of the time, sometimes I self-correct to make it sound better!	
Pace	I read slowly.	I read quite slowly.	I have quite good pace, sometimes it is a bit fast or slow.	I usually read at a good pace like a conversational speaking speed.	

TOTAL SCORE: