

# Act 20 Roadmap

Your Student's Reading Success and Act 20



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***The Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools are dedicated to helping every student build strong reading and writing skills.***

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## **WHAT IS ACT 20?**

Act 20 is a Wisconsin state law that requires schools to assess early reading skills for students in grades 4K-3 to ensure that every student receives the support he/she needs.

## **DAILY CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION**

Teachers provide high quality science of reading based lessons to improve reading skills.

## **PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SUPPORT**

If your student scores below the 25th percentile (nationwide) on the Universal Screener, teachers will create a Personal Reading Plan for your student.

## **MEASURE READING PROGRESS**

To ensure your student is on track to become a strong reader, we will use:

- Universal Screeners: Given to all students to identify those who may need extra support.
- Diagnostic Assessments: Given only to students who need extra support to help pinpoint specific needs.

## **PERSONAL READING PLAN**

This plan will include:

- Your student's reading strengths and areas of need.
- What instruction will be provided to support areas of need.
- Goals to determine growth and when a Personal Reading Plan is no longer needed.

## **PARTNER WITH FAMILIES AND THE COMMUNITY**

A strong partnership between home and school is essential for student reading success. If your student has a Personal Reading Plan, you will be provided updates on your child's progress every 10 weeks.

## **WHAT IS NEXT?**

Moving forward, look for information from your child's teacher on your child's Universal Screening Results in the fall, winter, and spring of each year.