

DIBELS® Oral Reading Fluency

Short Form Directions

Make sure you have reviewed the long form of the directions in the *DIBELS Administration and Scoring Guide* and have them available.

Say these specific directions to the student:

Please read this (point) out loud. If you get stuck, I will tell you the word so you can keep reading. When I say "Stop," I may ask you to tell me about what you read, so do your best reading. Start here (point to the first word of the passage). Begin.

Start your stopwatch when the student says the first word of the passage.

At the end of **1 minute**, place a bracket (**|**) after the last word provided by the student, stop and reset the stopwatch, and say,

"Stop." (remove the passage)

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a lemonade stand. But she said we couldn't argue. We said we 40
would get along. 43
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and put it on the sidewalk. I took out two chairs. Then I made a 73
sign. It said, "Lemonade, ten cents." 79
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and water. She added ice cubes. Mom gave us a plastic jug to 103
use. She said we could use plastic cups, too. 112
Even before we sat down the mailman stopped. 120
"It's a hot day and I could use a cool drink," he said. 133
Then some big kids on bikes stopped. They bought two cups 144
each. By the end of the day we had sold twenty cups of 157
lemonade. My sister had to make the lemonade three different 167
times. We counted our money. We had made three dollars. 177
But my mom said the best part was that my sister and I 190
worked together. 192
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stand another day, if you want." 209

Total words: _____ – errors: _____ = words correct: _____

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