Fluent and Expressive Reading Checklist

Name:	Date:
Story/Passage:	Grade:
Word Recognition Accuracy	Volume
Reads words that are there	Appropriate
Omits sounds/syllables/words	Too loud
Inserts sounds/syllables/words	Too soft
Decodes unfamiliar words easily	
Mispronounces sounds frequently	Fluency
Has difficulty blending sounds	Reads words, phrases, sentences without hesitation
Decodes unfamiliar words inconsistently	Reads words slowly
Does not attempt to decode words	Reads words together that go together to convey meaning (phrasing)
	Ignores periods
General Observations	Ignores commas
Holds book correctly	Ignores question marks, exclamation marks
Holds book too close or far away	Inconsistent response to punctuation
Turns pages in correct direction	
Identifies front and back of book	Intonation
Identifies title page	Raises/lowers voice appropriately for sentences
Lacks confidence	Reads in a monotone
	Raises/lowers voice appropriately for character expression
	Enunciates sounds and syllables correctly