ASSESSMENT BASICS
Letter Sound Fluency (LSF)
Developed at Vanderbilt University

A. Key Implementation Criteria:
   1. Available for Kindergarten
   2. Manual includes 5 lists with 26 letters in random order.
   3. Test is administered to students individually.
   4. Students have 1 minute to say the sound that corresponds with the 26 letters.
   5. The score is based on the number of correct letter sounds spoken in 1 minute.

B. Assessment Skills:
   1. Monitors student progress in beginning decoding at Kindergarten.

C. Benefits:
   1. Administering and scoring the test is easy.
   2. Letter Sound Fluency tracks students’ overall progress in decoding over time.
   3. Students are aware of how their decoding skills are progressing.

D. Costs:
   1. LSF Manual Unit Price: $20.00
   2. Optional LSF 1 Year Licensing Fee: $35.00