



## CAPACITY BUILDING INDICATORS & DISSEMINATION STRATEGIES

### *Using Instructional Routines to Differentiate Instruction: A Guide for Teachers*

**Description:** This publication helps educators plan differentiated instruction using 72 formatted activities called *Instructional Routines*, which provide a structure for teaching specific foundational reading skills. Included is a table which displays the alignment between the *Instructional Routines* and the Common Core State Standards organized by the five reading components (phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension).

**Intended Audience:**

Regional Comprehensive Center Staff  
Educators  
Literacy Coaches  
Professional Development Providers

To expand RCC's capacity, this activity or resource:	
Confirms what the RCC is already doing.	This resource supports the RCC staff as they work to support states who are implementing the Common Core State Standards.
Raises awareness of new developments in fields important to states' work.	This resource demonstrates one way to differentiate instruction in conjunction with the CCSS.
Helps the RCC help states accomplish a goal or solve a problem.	This practical instructional resource can be used by teachers as they implement a portion of the CCSS in the classroom.
Helps the RCC help states plan or initiate a new state program, policy, or practice.	This resource supports the instructional implementation phase of the CCSS for those states who have adopted them.
Helps the RCC enhance states' ability to address NCLB requirements.	This resource specifically targets the five components (phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension) of reading for elementary learners.
Enables the RCC to carry out its work more effectively.	RCC staff are able to support their states in their efforts to improve the reading achievement of elementary school children by providing instructional tools that employ the CCSS.

**Accompanying/Related Materials:**

- *Using Student Center Activities to Differentiate Reading Instruction: A Guide for Teachers*
- *Student Center Activities Aligned to the Common Core State Standards in English Language Arts and Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects K-5*

**Suggested Dissemination Strategies:**

- Email link to the resource to SEA staff.
- Provide SEA staff with the resource.
- Link the resource to the FCRR website.