

## Emotional & Behavioral Screening Instruments

<b>School Age Children &amp; Youth</b>				
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<b>Strengths &amp; Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ)</b>  youthinmind.com <a href="http://www.sdq.org">www.sdq.org</a> youthinmind.info sdqinfo.com	Grades K-12	Teacher or Parent Report (ages 4-10)	45 min-1hr/class  25 items	No cost if administered and scored online.
	Assesses conduct problems, hyperactivity, emotional symptoms, peer problems, and pro-social behavior	Teacher or Parent Report (ages 11-17)  Student Self-Report (ages 11-17)	On-line administration and scoring available  Manual scoring = 10 min/student	1 page per student if administered and scored by hand.
	Total Difficulties Score reported as Low, Medium or High Risk			
<b>Behavioral and Emotional Screening System (BASC-2 BESS)</b>  Pearson <a href="http://www.pearsonassessments.com">www.pearsonassessments.com</a>	Grades PreK-12	Teacher or Parent Report (ages 3-5)	5-10 min admin  25-30 items	Manual = \$62
	Assesses internalizing problems, externalizing problems, school problems, and adaptive skills.	Teacher or Parent Report (K-12)  Student Self-Report (Grades 3-12)	Computer scoring available using ASSIST Software	Teacher forms = (\$100 for pkg of 100)  Data Management System = \$589
	Scores reported as Normal, Elevated or Extremely Elevated			
<b>Systematic Screening for Behavior Disorders (SSBD)</b>  Sopris West <a href="http://store.cambiumlearning.com">http://store.cambiumlearning.com</a>	Grades K-6	Rank order students according to behavior.	45 min-1hr/class (stages 1 & 2)	Manual w/ video = (\$195)
	Uses 3-stage, multi-gate process to screen and identify students who may be at risk of developing behavioral disorders.	Top ranked students are individually rated.	Scoring = 15-30 min/class	

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<b>Social Skills Improvement System (SSIS)</b>  <b>Pearson</b> <a href="http://www.pearsonassessments.com">www.pearsonassessments.com</a>	Ages 3-19  <b>Performance Screening Guide</b> Measure of pro-social behaviors, math skills, reading skills, and motivation to learn for all students in an entire classroom.	<b>Performance Screening Guide</b> Teacher compares student performance as measured against grade level expectations.	Approximately 30 min per class	Performance Screening Guide (\$41.25 pkg10)
	<b>Class-wide Intervention Program</b> Provides social skill instructional scripts and resources for teaching 10 skill units.	<b>Class-wide Intervention Program</b> 10 units divided into 3 lessons per week. Each lesson includes 6 phases = Tell, Show, Do, Practice, Monitor Progress, and Generalization.	25-30 min per lesson	Teacher's Guide (\$77.25)  Student Booklets (\$290 pkg 25)
	<b>Individual Student Rating Scales</b> Assessment of an individual's social skills, problem behaviors and academic competence.	<b>Individual Rating Scales</b> Teacher, Parent and Student self-rating options. Compares student performance to national norms.	15-20 min/student	Manual = \$101  Rating Forms (\$42 pkg 25)  Scoring Software (\$249)
	<b>Intervention Guide</b> Offers in-depth intervention for 20 social skills linked to Individual Student Rating Scales Results.	<b>Intervention Guide</b> Delivered in a small group setting. Designed for students with acquisition deficits.	Two 45 minute sessions per week for 15 weeks	Teaching Guide = (\$112)

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<b>Devereux Early Childhood Assessment Program (DECA)</b>	2-5 years	Parent/ Caregiver	5-10 min/ student	Starter Kit = \$200
	A Total Protective Factors (TPF) composite score is generated.	Teacher	62 items  Likert	
Kaplan Early Learning Company <a href="http://www.kaplanco.com">www.kaplanco.com</a>	Scales assess Initiative, Self-control, & Attachment. A 10-item Behavioral Concerns scale assesses behavioral problems.			
<b>Preschool and Kindergarten Behavior Scales -Second Edition (PKBS-2)</b>	3-6 years	Parent/ Caregiver	8-12 min/student	Starter Kit = \$120
	Measures social skills and problem behaviors.	Teacher	76 items  Likert	No Data Management System
Pro-ed <a href="http://www.proedinc.com">www.proedinc.com</a>				
<b>Temperament and Atypical Behavior Scale (TABS)</b>	11-71 months (1-6 years)	Parent/ Caregiver	15-item Screener 5 min/student	Introductory Kit includes Manual, Screeners and Assessment Tools = \$95
	Brief screener identifies potential problems.	Teacher	55 item checklist 15 min/student	
Brookes Publishing <a href="http://www.brookespublishing.com">www.brookespublishing.com</a>	A separate assessment tool, comprised of a detailed checklist, is used when screening score indicates a concern.			

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<b>Ages and Stages Questionnaire: Third Edition (ASQ-3)</b>  Brookes Publishing <a href="http://www.brookespublishing.com">www.brookespublishing.com</a>	1 -66 months  Examines strengths and challenges in Self-Regulation, Compliance, Communication, Adaptive Functioning, Autonomy, Affect, and Interpersonal Interactions.	Parent/ Caregiver	15-20 min/child  30 items  2-3 min to score	Starter Kit = \$250  Reproducible  Data management system available
<b>Early Screening Project (ESP)</b>  Sopris West <a href="http://store.cambiumlearning.com">http://store.cambiumlearning.com</a>	3-5 years  Process that allows for early intervention and identification of preschool adjustment problems.  Screens for Emotional Problems, Speech and Language Difficulties, Impaired Cognitive Ability, Attention Deficits, and Hyperactivity.  Scores reported as At Risk, High Risk, or Extreme Risk	Teacher rating followed by direct observation completed by someone other than the classroom teacher	Stage 1 and 2 can be completed in approximately 1 hour.  Stage 3 requires two 10-minute observations in unstructured settings.	