



RISD's Balanced Assessment System

"Instead of viewing assessment as an absolute measure of students' proficiency, individual assessments must be considered snapshots taken at a point in time of students' progress towards a specific goal." --DuFour & Marzano

We believe in a balanced assessment system in which:

- *A productive multi-level assessment system is needed to best inform our instructional decision-making.*
- *Varying levels of assessment ensure a clear view of student learning throughout the year.*

