

**Oklahoma School Testing Program
Oklahoma Core Curriculum Tests
Grade 8 Reading
Test Blueprint
School Year 2013-2014**

The Test Blueprint reflects the degree to which each standard and objective of the Oklahoma Academic Standards is represented on the test. The overall distribution of operational items in a test form is intended to look as follows:

Standards and Objectives	Ideal Number of Items	Ideal Percentage of Items
1.0 Vocabulary	6	12%
1.1 Words in Context	2	
1.2 Word Origins	2	
1.3 Idioms and Comparisons	2	
3.0 Comprehension/Critical Literacy	21	42%
3.1 Literal Understanding	4-5	
3.2 Inferences and Interpretation	4-6	
3.3 Summary and Generalization	5-7	
3.4 Analysis and Evaluation	6-8	
4.0 Literature	15	30%
4.1 Literary Genre	4-5	
4.2 Literary Elements	5-7	
4.3 Figurative Language/Sound Devices	4-6	
5.0 Research and Information	8	16%
5.1 Accessing Information	4	
5.2 Interpreting Information	4	
Total Test	50	100%

- A minimum of 4 items is required to report results for an objective, and a minimum of 6 items is required to report a standard.
- Percentages are approximations and may result in a sum other than 100 due to rounding.
- The Oklahoma Academic Standards correspond to the *PASS* standards.