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# NYS-MEP Theory of Action Connection Advacay to Self-Advacay Positive Identity Development Problem Identity Development

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## **Handouts**



### Recommended to print

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### Save for reference

- ECA Guidance Doc NYS-MEP 2023-24 (updated 4-14-23
- ECA Student Response Sheet (English or Spanish) 2023-24
- Read Aloud and Retelling with Preschoolers & 1-pager
- 2023-24 Slides Notes Copy-ECA Refresher

# **Learning Targets**



### Participants will

- See what was tweaked for 2023-24
  - Body Parts Question
  - The Student Response Sheet Emergent Writing Points
- Review how to administer and score the ECA
- · Discuss instruction based on the ECA



### Tweaked for 2023 - 24



### ECA Guidance Document 2023-24

- What is New for 2023-24 and What Remains the Same (Page 3)
  - 1. Area G Body Parts Guidance (Page 9)
    - Question changed from, "What is this?" to "What part of the body is this?")
  - 2. Student Response Sheets (Pages 21 & 22)
    - Area I Emergent Writing The numbering adds "points" to help Educators remember that Emergent Writing scoring is cumulative.



Administer and Score the ECA: Prep Ahead of Time



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# Administer and Score the ECA: Prep Ahead of Time



### Who do you use the ECA with?

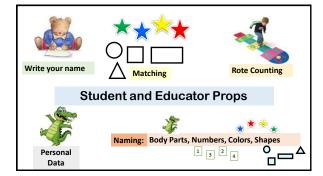
- ECA Guidance Doc page 3:
  - Candidates for the ECA are those Preschool students ages (P3-P5) who are identified for Level 2 instruction.

### What props will you need?

- List on ECA Guidance Doc pages 3-4
- Paper samples start on page 23

# Administer and Score the ECA: Prep Ahead of Time Read and Practice ahead of Time: • ECA Guidance Doc page 4-5 • Read through the ECA questions and scoring rubric/criteria • Assessing not teaching! How to record the time in WebApp: • ECA Guidance Doc page 6 • Record assessment time as ELA or Mathematics

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Administer and Score the ECA with Students

### Review:

### Administer and Score the ECA:



### ECA Guidance Document: Page 7

- Administration Guidelines start on page 7 with the Personal Data questions
  - The middle column has the questions along with notes & tips for Educators
  - The last column has the Scoring Rubric with responses that receive credit and the responses that do not earn credit.

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### Review:

### Administer and Score the ECA:



ECA Guidance Document: Page 10

- Need an extra step when using the ECA virtually
  - Have a conversation to find out if the child and/or caregiver have the student's props to respond to the questions
    - Matching Colors (Pg 10)
    - Matching Shapes (Pg 12)
    - Writing their name (Pg 16

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### Review:

### Administer and Score the ECA:



ECA Guidance Document: Page 14

- Rote Counting: Students receive credit for each number until the sequence is broken
  - In the example, [1,3,4,5,6,7,8,9], the child would only earn 1 point because the sequence was broken when the number "2" was skipped

### Review:

# Administer and Score the ECA:



ECA Guidance Document: Page 15

- Names Numbers
- Instruction after the ECA
  - Children are often able to match objects first
  - Then able to point to the object you name, before they start using the word
  - For numbers, add in counting objects to match the number

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### Review:

### Administer and Score the ECA:



ECA Guidance Document: Page 21

- Student Response Sheet (English)
  - Spanish on Page 22)
  - Scoring the Pretest
    - Circle correct responses for the Pretest
    - Count the correct responses in each section
      - Except for Emergent Writing
      - Score the points for that emergent stage of writing the student demonstrates
    - Total to find the Pretest Raw Score

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**QUESTIONS?** 

After the ECA...

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# Read and Connect Read about things in the child's life Read about the child's interests Read for FUN Read for word play Read for the action Read and connect with follow up activity

# **Follow up Activity**

- Connect to the story
- Use colors and/or shapes in the craft or game
- Count shapes and objects for the craft or game
- Count and write numbers
- Practice letters
- Write name on projects

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