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2025-26 Significant Reading Deficiency (SRD) Cut Scores in Colorado
Star Early Learning Spanish

Star Early Learning Spanish, included with every purchase of Star Early Learning in English, is comprised of Star Alfabetización temprana (K-3) and Star Lectura (1-8)[1].

To determine SRD for your students, simply use the default screening benchmarks in Star Alfabetización temprana and Star Lectura. A scaled score placing the student in the 25th percentile rank or lower means the student should be classified as SRD. Use the table below to identify the cut scores[2] for each screening window. To report READ Act data to the state, pull the necessary Unified Scale scores directly from the Renaissance platform.

The Star Early Learning Spanish scaled score range is 200-1400 SS.
- Star Alfabetización temprana – 200-1100 SS
- Star Lectura – 600-1400 SS

SRD on the Star Unified Scale for Star Alfabetización temprana

	Fall	Winter	Spring
Kindergarten	606	653	699
Grade 1	675	705	735
Grade 2	708	725	742
Grade 3	724	735	745

SRD on the Star Unified Scale for Star Lectura

	Fall	Winter	Spring
Grade 1	745	760	774
Grade 2	784	803	823
Grade 3	830	844	858

Consider administering Star CBM Lectura to students who may be at risk of significant reading deficiency. Star CBM Lectura on the approved list of diagnostic screeners and provides further insight into student performance on foundational literacy skills.

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[1] Star assessments have been renamed to better reflect the importance and value of providing authentically developed Spanish reading assessments. The suite of Star assessments in Spanish is now Star Evaluaciones; Star Early Literacy Spanish is now Star Alfabetización temprana; Star Reading Spanish is now Star Lectura.

[2] Educators will notice that the cut score needed to achieve this benchmark is lower than last year. This is because Star Alfabetización was re-normed in 2025. The benchmark for identifying SRD remains at the 25th percentile.