



Scholastic Reading Inventory & Scholastic Achievement Manager (SAM) Training Outline

Resources

- SRI & SAM Training Outline
- SRI & SAM Training Module (PPT)
- Participant's Handouts (PDF)
- Professional Paper: "Lexiles: A System for Measuring Reading Ability and Text Difficulty"

Intended Audience

Sixth and Ninth Grade ELA Teachers

Objectives for Module One: Scholastic Achievement Manager (SAM)

Participants will:

- Increase their understanding of SAM, the management system for SRI.
- Increase their understanding of how to access and use student reports.
- Increase their understanding of how to customize student settings and edit student information.
- Increase their understanding of the troubleshooting tips for SRI software management.

Outline of Module One

Module 1: Scholastic Achievement Manager

- Objectives
- All About SAM
- Getting Around SAM
- SAM Reports Overview

Suggested Length of Session

45–60 minutes

Objectives for Module Two: Scholastic Reading Inventory

Participants will:

- Increase their understanding of how to administer the SRI interactive assessment.
- Increase their understanding of the uses and limitations of a Lexile measure.
- Increase their understanding of the uses and limitations of SRI results.
- Increase their understanding of how to read and use the various assessment reports generated by SRI.

Outline of Module Two

- Objectives
- Using SRI
- SRI Settings in SAM
- The SRI Student Experience
- Using the SRI Grading Tool
- Using Lexiles in the Classroom
- Choosing the Right Report
- Interpreting SRI Reports

Suggested Length of Session

45–60 minutes