



# Rubric: Levels of Achievement (LOA)

Level of Achievement	Description/Criteria
<u>EX</u> emplary	The student.... <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>demonstrates <b>in-depth</b> understanding of the learning outcomes from the program of studies</li><li>applies concepts in a wider variety of learning situations, including new contexts</li><li>uses required skills and strategies effectively</li></ul>
<u>PR</u> oficient (most students will fall in this range)	The student.... <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>demonstrates <b>solid</b> understanding of the learning outcomes from the program of studies</li><li>applies concepts in most learning situations</li><li>uses <b>most required</b> skills and strategies <b>effectively</b></li></ul>
<u>AP</u> proaching (i.e. Approaching Proficiency)	The student.... <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>demonstrates <b>some understanding</b> of the learning outcomes from the program of studies, and may require <b>additional guidance and support</b></li><li>applies concepts in some learning situations</li><li>uses <b>some required skills</b> and strategies appropriately</li></ul>
<u>BE</u> ginning	The student.... <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>demonstrates <b>limited or incomplete</b> understanding of the learning outcomes from the program of studies</li><li>applies concepts in learning situations with <b>repeated guidance and support</b></li><li>uses required skills and strategies with repeated guidance and support</li></ul>

A student's LOA will be based on the evidence of his/her achievement of the learner outcomes gathered from a full range of assessments, which include conversations, observations and products, throughout the school year. LOAs are used exclusively in grades 1 – 6. In grades 7 – 9, LOAs are used for Health, Religion, Physical Education, and options.

## Suggested reading from Alberta Education:



Grade Level of Achievement Reporting: Teacher and Administrator Handbook  
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Guide to Education 2018-19  
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