Exploring Adventureland: Finding Formative Assessment in Disability Research

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Using Assessment to Improve Student Learning

- Not Fantasyland
- Not Tomorrowland

But Adventureland!
A Long and Winding Road

Alternate Achievement Standards

Modified Achievement Standards

Grade-Level Achievement Standards
A Bridge Over Troubled Water?

• Turbulence
  - Credibility
  - Utility

• Two ends of a bridge?
  - Instructionally Sensitive Assessment
  - Instructionally Supportive Assessment
How Many Roads Must A Man Walk Down?
Two Roads Diverged In Assessment Purpose

• Improvement
• Other
Two Roads Diverged In Assessment Scale

- Large-scale
- Classroom
Two Roads Diverged In Assessment Format

- Selected response
- Constructed response
Two Roads Diverged In Assessment Development

• Statistical emphasis
• Psychological emphasis
Two Roads Diverged In Assessment Technology

• Low Tech
• High Tech
From Cow-paths to Grids
# Examine Needs by Stakeholders

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Adventures in 3D Space

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- Students
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- Administrators
- Experts
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**Needs**
- Credibility
- Utility
- Improve

**Purposes**
- Other
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