

Grades: Kindergarten-GKIDS
 3-8 GMAS
 9-12 EOC
 ALL: Local Assessment & Benchmarks

Georgia Milestones Allowable Accommodations for English Learners

Accommodation	Most likely to benefit EL students at this ELP Level		
	ELP Levels 1.0 – 2.9	ELP Levels 3.0 – 3.9	ELP Levels 4.0 – 5.9
Setting Accommodations			
1. ESOL classroom	✓	✓	✓
2. Small group	✓	✓	✓
3. Preferential seating	✓	✓	
4. Individual or study carrel	✓		
5. Individual administration	✓		
Presentation Accommodations			
6. Explain or paraphrase the directions for clarity (in English only)	✓	✓	
7. Oral reading of test questions in English only	✓	(case by case for students in the low 3.0's)	
8. Oral reading of ELA passages in English only*	Reading Proficiency < 2.0 AND Listening Proficiency > 3.0		
9. Repetition of directions** (in English only)	✓	✓	
Response Accommodations			
10. Word-to-Word dictionary***	(case by case for students in the 2.0's)	✓	✓
Scheduling Accommodations			
11. Frequent monitored breaks	✓	✓	
12. Extended time within the confines of the school day	✓	✓	✓

*Restricted to eligible EL students only; see guidance for eligibility. For oral reading, screen reader is the preferred method of administration. Where a human reader delivers the accommodation, examiners must adhere to directions provided in the Read-Aloud Guidelines.

**Be aware that some accommodations, such as repeated directions and extended time may also require small group administration.

***EL student must be literate in 1st language enough to use the dictionary effectively; Extended time must be provided in conjunction with this accommodation.

