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Produces greater opportunities to differentiate

Develops ELs' content knowledge & literacy skills

Prevents tests from becoming over-simplified

Prevents tests from becoming reading assessments



Content Teachers

offer expertise in discipline-specific knowledge, skills, & content curriculum.

Create questions that address content standards.

Design tasks that address content standards.

Provide a context for the assessments.

Sequence questions.

English Language Teachers

offer expertise in literacy, language development, & culturally-responsive practices.



Weave language standards with content.

Scaffold vocabulary by providing synonymys.

Restructure sentences to make them more comprehensible.

Rephrase instruction.

Both Teachers



Co-create rubrics with students

Co-assess products & students' responses

Differentiate assessments

Incorporate images

