

Checklist of Literary Braille Skills

Student's Name: _____

Dates: _____

TVI: _____

Alphabet/Numbers				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠁	a 1
			⠃	b 2
			⠉	c 3
			⠙	d 4
			⠑	e 5
			⠋	f 6
			⠗	g 7
			⠢	h 8
			⠊	i 9
			⠏	j 0
			⠅	k
			⠇	l
			⠄	m
			⠑	n
			⠕	o
			⠏	p
			⠒	q
			⠗	r
			⠎	s
			⠞	t
			⠥	u
			⠧	v
			⠪	w
			⠭	x
			⠽	y
			⠵	z
Total				____/26

Alphabetic Word Signs				
R	W	U	Braille	Print
			⠠	but
			⠠	can
			⠠	do
			⠠	every
			⠠	from
			⠠	go
			⠠	have
			⠠	just
			⠠	knowledge
			⠠	like
			⠠	more
			⠠	not
			⠠	people
			⠠	quite
			⠠	rather
			⠠	so
			⠠	that
			⠠	us
			⠠	very
			⠠	will
			⠠	it
			⠠	you
			⠠	as
Total				____/23

Strong Word/Group Signs				
R	W	U	Braille	print
			⠠	and
			⠠	for
			⠠	of
			⠠	the
			⠠	with
			⠠	sh/shall
			⠠	th/this
			⠠	wh/which
			⠠	ch/child
			⠠	st/still
			⠠	ou/out
			⠠	ar
			⠠	gh
			⠠	ed
			⠠	er
			⠠	ow
			⠠	ing
Total				____/17
Lower Signs				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	bb be
			⠠	cc con
			⠠	dis
			⠠	ea
			⠠	enough en
			⠠	ff
			⠠	gg were
			⠠	his
			⠠	in
			⠠	was
Total				____/10

Dot 5 Initial Letter				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	day
			⠠	ever
			⠠	father
			⠠	here
			⠠	know
			⠠	lord
			⠠	mother
			⠠	name
			⠠	one
			⠠	part
			⠠	question
			⠠	right
			⠠	some
			⠠	time
			⠠	under
			⠠	work
			⠠	young
			⠠	where
			⠠	there
			⠠	through
			⠠	character
			⠠	ought
Total				____/22
Dot 4-5 Initial Letter				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	these
			⠠	those
			⠠	upon
			⠠	whose
			⠠	word
Total				____/5

Dot 4-5-6 Initial Letter				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	cannot
			⠠	had
			⠠	many
			⠠	spirit
			⠠	their
			⠠	world
Total				____/6
Final Letter				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	-ance
			⠠	-less
			⠠	-sion
			⠠	-ound
			⠠	-ount
			⠠	-ence
			⠠	-ong
			⠠	-ful
			⠠	-tion
			⠠	-ness
			⠠	-ment
			⠠	-ity
Total				____/12

Key: R=read, W=write, U=understand rule/use



Short Form Words				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	about
			⠠⠠	above
			⠠⠠⠠	according
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	across
			⠠⠠	after
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	afternoon
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	afterward
			⠠⠠	again
			⠠⠠⠠	against
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	almost
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	already
			⠠⠠	also
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	although
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	altogether
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	always
			⠠⠠⠠	because
			⠠⠠⠠	before
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	behind
			⠠⠠	below
			⠠⠠⠠	beneath
			⠠⠠⠠	beside
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	between
			⠠⠠⠠	beyond
			⠠⠠⠠	blind
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	braille
			⠠⠠⠠	children
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	conceive
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	conceiving
			⠠⠠	could
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	deceive
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	deceiving
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	declare
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	declaring
			⠠⠠	either
			⠠⠠	first

Short Form Words (cont.)				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠⠠	friend
			⠠⠠	good
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	great
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	herself
			⠠⠠	him
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	himself
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	immediate
			⠠⠠	its
			⠠⠠	itself
			⠠⠠	letter
			⠠⠠	little
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	much
			⠠⠠	must
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	myself
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	necessary
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	neither
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	oneself
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	ourselves
			⠠⠠	paid
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	perceive
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	perceiving
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	perhaps
			⠠⠠	quick
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	receive
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	receiving
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	rejoice
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	rejoicing
			⠠⠠	said
			⠠⠠	should
			⠠⠠	such
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	themselves
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	thyselves
			⠠⠠	today
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	together
			⠠⠠	tomorrow

Short Form Words (cont.)				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠⠠	tonight
			⠠⠠	would
			⠠⠠	your
			⠠⠠⠠⠠	yourself
			⠠⠠⠠⠠⠠	yourselves
Total				___/75
Indicators				
R	W	U	braille	indicators
			⠠	numeric
			⠠	cap. letter
			⠠	cap. word
			⠠	cap. passage
			⠠	cap. termin.
			⠠	gr.1 symbol
			⠠	gr.1 word
			⠠	gr.1 passage
			⠠	gr.1 term
			⠠	<i>symbol</i>
			⠠	<i>word</i>
			⠠	<i>passage</i>
			⠠	<i>terminator</i>
			⠠	symbol
			⠠	word
			⠠	passage
			⠠	terminator
			⠠	<u>symbol</u>
			⠠	<u>word</u>
			⠠	<u>passage</u>
			⠠	<u>terminator</u>
			⠠	symbol
			⠠	word
			⠠	passage
			⠠	terminator
Total				___/25

Punctuation				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	comma ,
			⠠	period .
			⠠	apostr. '
			⠠	colon :
			⠠	dash _
			⠠	lg dsh__
			⠠	exclam. !
			⠠	hyphen -
			⠠	question ?
			⠠	semi ;
			⠠	ellipsis ...
			⠠	slash /
			⠠	slash \
			⠠	open q “
			⠠	end q”
			⠠	inner q'
			⠠	outer q'
Total				___/17
Grouping Punctuation				
R	W	U	braille	print
			⠠	(
			⠠)
			⠠	[
			⠠]
			⠠	{
			⠠	}
			⠠	<
			⠠	>
Total				___/8

