

Which report will be more helpful?

Report	Who can use it/ What is it helpful or useful for?
Individual Skills Profile	Ideal for ABE/ ASE students and teachers. Gives you a glimpse of student areas of strengths and areas in need of attention Shows the likelihood of passing each subsection of the GED
Individual Skills Profile Summary	Ideal for ABE/ ASE students and teachers Gives you a glimpse of a group of students' areas of strengths and areas in need of attention. The <i>Individual Skills Profile Summary</i> shows how a <i>class</i> performed with their most recent reading and math tests on the same form level. The summary displays the percentages of <i>Competency</i> and <i>Content Standard</i> areas that students answered correctly. Teachers can use this report to determine if all students have mastered specific areas and which still need attention. Results can be displayed by <i>CCR Standards</i> or by <i>CASAS Content Standards</i> .

❖ **Competency Performance**

- The report is meant to give to individual students because the competencies put learning in a functional life-skills content
- Ideal for ESL students, tutors, and teachers
- To target or differentiate instruction in *Functional life-skills content*.

Report	Who can use it / How
Individual Performance by test item and competency / Individual Performance by test and competency	<i>Tutors or Teachers offering one-on-one individualized or differentiated instruction in Functional life-skills content.</i> The report helps the instructor focus or target areas of need, and differentiate instruction.
Class Performance by test & Competency	<i>Tutor or Teachers</i> The report helps focus or target areas of need and differentiate instruction when working with a small homogenous group of students.

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Class Performance by Competency Category (<i>Functional life-skills content</i>)	<i>Tutor or Teacher</i> Present results in larger categories that are broader and perhaps easier to target instruction.
Student Performance by Competency Category	Tutors or Teachers offering one-on-one individualized or differentiated instruction. The report helps the instructor focus or target a broader area of need.
Class Performance by Task	Tutors or teachers: The least overwhelming report is excellent for new teachers or tutors trying to figure out how they should present the information to the students they are servicing.
Student Performance by Task	Tutors or teachers The least overwhelming report, excellent for new teachers or tutors trying to figure out how they should be presenting the information to an individual student the teacher or tutor is differentiating for.

❖ **Content Standard**

- These reports are meaningful for ABE/ ASE teachers and tutors that want to target basic academic skills in language and math.

Student Content Standard Performance	ABE/ ASE Tutors or Teachers Content Standards reports help teachers or tutors <i>identify the basic academic skills in language and math</i> embedded in CASAS test items to strengthen teaching and learning. Great for teachers or tutors differentiating instruction for particular ABE/ ASE students (having an understanding of CASAS Standards and their connection to CCRS would be ideal) to acquire skills necessary to be successful in ABE/ASE (CDP, GED, NEDP)
Class Performance by Test & Content Standards	ABE/ ASE Tutors or Teachers Helps by aggregating underlying basic skills content standards on any given test. The teacher can determine the basic skills content standards in which students performed well and focus on content standards needed most by the entire class. (having an understanding of CASAS Standards and their connection to CCRS would be ideal)

Useful Resources for lesson and curriculum planning, targeting and differentiating instruction:

- [CASAS Quicksearch](#)
- **Sample test items**
 - [eTest Samplers](#)
 - [Paper Form Samplers](#)
- [Curriculum Modules \(Low-Level Literacy\)](#)
- [CASAS Competencies](#)
- [CASAS Basic Skills Content Standards](#)
- [College & Career Readiness Standards \(CCRS\) ELA and Mathematics](#)
- [English Language Proficiency Standards for Adult Education \(ELP Standards\)](#)
- **Workshops to learn about and how to use (offered by EdAdvance/ ATDN):**
 - [CCR Standards ELA](#)
 - [CCR Standards Math](#)
 - [English Language Proficiency Standards for Adult Education \(ELP Standards\)](#)

Technical Support is available to assist Adult Education providers and professionals with the Student Competency Performance & Student Content Standard Performance Google Sheet.

Sign-up for a
Technical Support session at
<https://calendly.com/techsupportatdn>

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