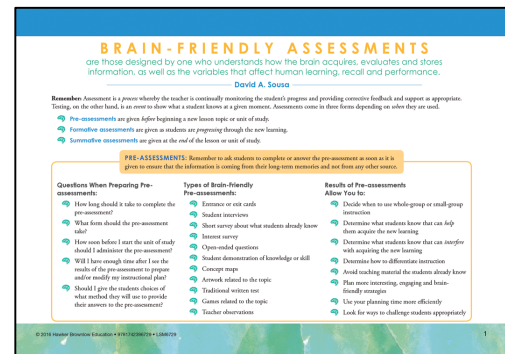


# Brain-Friendly Assessments

## Quick Reference Guide

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### Summary

Assessment and testing are two entirely different things. While testing serves as an event to show what a student knows at a given moment, assessment allows teachers to monitor student progress and provide feedback and support that deepens learning. Based on David A. Sousa's fascinating book of the same name, this four-page quick reference guide gives teachers at-a-glance information on various types of assessment including pre-assessments, formative assessments and summative assessments. It further outlines specific ways to use each type to ensure that all students are learning and provides a checklist to help teachers design brain-friendly assessments of student performance.

### Other Resources

- *Brain-Friendly Assessments: What They Are and How to Use Them* (LSM3054)
- *Brain Compatible Assessments* (Z1779)
- *Activities and Assessments Using the Australian Curriculum* (POL6284)
- *Differentiated Activities and Assessments Across the Australian Curriculum* (POL3868)