

What are Methods of Data Collection?

Various methods of data collection can be used to measure specific aspects of what a person does and how a person communicates in order to determine skill growth.

Why use Methods of Data Collection?

- Data collection is necessary to:
 - Identifying student needs
 - Inform effective instruction
 - Maximize time and effort of the teacher and classroom staff
 - Determines what strategies are working or not working
 - Objectively communicates the results of instruction

What can Methods of Data Collection do?

Decrease ineffective instructional methods and strategies

Increase positive outcomes for learners

Methods of Data Collection can be used

| In various settings: | For: |
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| Home School | Instruction |
| Whole Class | Strategies |
| Small Group Individual Students | Materials Behavior |
| Community | Social Skills |

Types of Data Collection Methods

- Permanent Product
- Prompt Levels
- ABC Data
- Frequency
- Rate
- Duration
- Latency
- Scatterplot