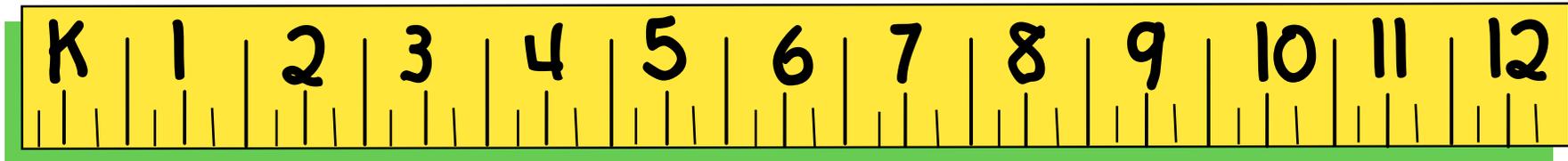


The Alabama State Board of Education's  
**EDUCATIONAL RULER:**  
Making & Measuring Progress Grade by Grade



Every Student Should Have:

Safe & Disciplined Schools

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Quality Teachers

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Challenging Curricula

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Effective School Leaders

- Character Education/Student Responsibility and Conduct Standards
- Parent and Community Involvement
- Evaluations/Testing/Accountability
- Professional Development
- Outstanding Programs Preparing Teachers
- Alabama Reading Initiative
- Alabama Math, Science, & Technology Initiative
- Comprehensive Courses of Study/Technology Availability
- Career/Technical Programs Meeting International Business & Industry Standards
- Emerging Leaders
- Principals Leadership Academy
- Superintendents Academy

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— Students Prepared for College/Work/Adulthood In the 21st Century