

## Spratley MAP Student Report Guide

**Goal Ranges:** Specifies whether to display the goals for the test events as text values or RIT values. The default is goal descriptor.

- **Goal Descriptor** translates the percentile to one of the following:
  - Low: Student goal scores are lower than the 21st percentile
  - LoAvg: Student goal scores fall within the 21st-40th percentile
  - **Avg:** Student goal scores fall within the 41st-60th percentile
  - **HiAvg:** Student goal scores fall within the 61st-80th percentile
  - High: Student goal scores fall within the 81st percentile or higher

**Goal RIT Ranges** reports the student's goal RIT range, such as 198-213.

**Reference:** Specifies whether to include comparisons to the District Average RIT and Norm Group Average. The default is both. If a district hasn't declared testing complete for the term, no district averages can be displayed.

- **District Average RIT** calculation is based on the average RIT of all students' identified test events across the district for a specific subject, term and grade.
- **Norm Group Average** is the grade level mean—or 50th percentile—for the subject, term and grade, as determined by the NWEA norm study.

**Term/Year:** Indicates the term and year in which the test event occurred. Keep in mind that if a term spans more than one year (for example, from 2009 to 2010), the latter of the two years is used. For example, WI10 reflects a term which begins on December 1, 2009 and ends on February 28, 2010.

FA (Fall), WI (Winter), SP (Spring), SU (Summer)

### **GRADE:**

Grade of the student when the test was taken.

### **RIT:**

Middle number is the student's RIT score. The numbers on either side of the RIT score define the score +/- the standard error. If retested soon, the student's score would fall within this range most of the time.

### **RIT Growth :**

The growth in RIT points made between the two terms in the Growth Comparison Period.

### **Growth Projection :**

Average growth of students who were in the same grade and began the same term at a similar RIT score, as observed in the most recent NWEA norms study.

### **Percentile Range:**

The number in the middle is this student's percentile rank, or the percentage of students who had a RIT score less than or equal to this student's score according to the most recent NWEA norms study. The numbers on either side of the percentile rank define the percentile range (the RIT score +/- standard error). If retested soon, this student's percentile rank would be within this range most of the time.

### **Lexile Range:**

This range appears when the student has taken a reading test. You can use it with on-line resources to identify appropriately challenging books, periodicals, and other reading material for each student.

