

## Assessing Vocabulary in Context: Level M, Non-fiction

## **Individual Record**

Name		Year	Date	
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## The Life of a Monarch Butterfly

Tick ✓ one: Instructional Level: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Independent Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Vocabulary Word (✓ 5 Words Selected)	Meaning	Student Response
speck, p. 2	A small spot	0 1 2 3
tiny, p. 2	Very small	0 1 2 3
female, p. 3	Being the gender that gives birth	0 1 2 3
hatch, p. 4	To come out of the egg	0 1 2 3
expecting, p. 4	Thinking something will happen	0 1 2 3
tight, p. 5	Fitting too closely	0 1 2 3
underneath, p. 6	Directly below or under	0 1 2 3
chrysalis, p. 8	The covering that protects a young moth or butterfly	0 1 2 3
clings, p. 12	Holds on tightly to something	0 1 2 3
flutter, p. 15	To move the wings quickly	0 1 2 3
	Total Score	

## Score:

- 0 Did not respond or said "I don't know"
- 1 Made a response that is in some way related to the meaning of the word (any definition of that word)
- 2 Responded with a definition that is approximately the meaning of the word (same definition of the word as used in the text)
- 3 Responded with a full definition of the word (precise definition used in the text)

Level	Unsatisfactory	Satisfactory	Excellent
A, B, C	0-4	5-6	7-9
D, E, F, G	0-6	7-8	9-12
H, I, J, K, L, M, N	0-8	9-11	12-15

Circle the rubric according to the total score.