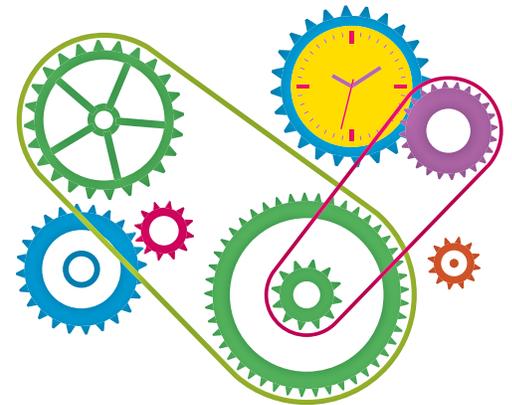# edmentum™

Structuring Your Program

An RTI program can be an outstanding vehicle to identify at-risk students and help them be successful in the classroom. However, building an effective RTI program can be a complicated task, especially when determining how to structure Tier 2 and 3 programs to meet the unique needs of struggling students. Use this guide to identify some of the key structural differences between the two tiers.

Organizational Factors	Tier 2 Programs	Tier 3 Programs
How much time should be allotted for instruction?	30-minute sessions, 3 to 5 days per week	45- to 120-minute sessions, 5 days per week
How many students should be grouped for instruction?	5 to 8	1 to 3
How long should the intervention last?	8 to 15 weeks	20 weeks or longer
Who should facilitate the instruction?	General education teacher or intervention specialist	Intervention specialist, content specialist, or special education teacher

Assessment Factors	Tier 2 Programs	Tier 3 Programs
What kind of diagnostic assessment should be conducted?	Group-level assessment	Individual-level assessment
How frequently should students be assessed for progress monitoring?	Once every two weeks or once a month	One to two times per week

Instructional Factors	Tier 2 Programs	Tier 3 Programs
How frequently during instruction should students be given an opportunity to respond (OTR)?	At least 6 to 8 OTRs per minute of instruction	At least 8 to 12 OTRs per minute of instruction
How should success rates be measured?	Based upon the entire group's achievement	Based upon each student's achievement
What should the instructional focus of the group be?	Review of Tier 1 core material with supplemental remediation depending on group needs	Strategically structured, individualized remediation intervention
What kind of behavioral expectations should be in place?	Follow structured systems to reinforce and correct challenging behavior	Utilize functional behavioral assessments to plan individualized interventions
How should precorrection techniques be utilized within the group?	Group-level precorrection	Individual-level precorrection
What error-correction techniques should be used?	Prompt students to correct errors themselves	Provide direct error correction

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