EWA K-4 Terminology Cheat Sheet

Abbreviation/Term	Explanation
BOY = Beginning of the Year MOY = Middle of the Year EOY = End of the Year	This is used to discuss benchmark assessments and when they are completed.
NCSCOS = NC Standard Course of Study	A set of standards determined by NC that all students must know and be able to do by the end of each grade level.
SAVVAS (Pronounced SAV-us)	Our schoolwide reading curriculum used to teach the NC Standard Course of Study reading objectives.
Eureka^2 (Pronounced Eureka Squared)	Our schoolwide math curriculum used to teach the NC Standard Course of Study math objectives.
Eagle Time	An intervention, support, and enrichment block where students receive instruction in small groups based on their independent level on specific reading and math skills.
<u>mClass</u> NWF = Nonsense Word Fluency PSF = Phoneme Segmentation Fluency LNF = Letter Name Fluency ORF = Oral Reading Fluency MAZE = Comprehension	mClass is one of the reading benchmark tools used to determine a student's reading level. These are 1-minute timed assessments completed with a teacher on the skills listed. More specifics about each assessment/skill are available on the individual student assessment reports provided at BOY, MOY, and EOY.
Fluency	A term used to measure and describe a student's speed and accuracy. It can apply to reading or math computation and facts. The more fluent a student is, the quicker and more accurate they are in the described skill.
NC ENSI = NC Early Numeracy Skill Indicators	NC ENSI is a math benchmark tool used to determine a student's level on grade-level appropriate math skills. These are short assessments completed with a teacher at BOY, MOY, and EOY.
iReady	This is a reading and math online learning platform. Students complete an assessment at BOY, MOY, and EOY to determine their levels on specific math and reading skills. Then, students are assigned online lessons that address their specific skill needs based on individual assessment results.
RTA = Read to Achieve	NC Legislation stating all 3rd grade students must demonstrate the ability to read at or above proficiency by the end of 3rd grade.
MTSS = Multi-Tiered Support System	A framework that provides layered levels of academic, behavioral, SEL, and/or attendance support to students based on their individual needs. Support levels are categorized as core, supplemental, or intensive.
BOG = Beginning of Grade Assessment EOG = End of Grade Assessment	State-mandated assessments to help determine if students are proficient in grade-level NCSCOS standards. The BOG is only completed in the 3rd Grade for reading. EOGs are completed in grades 3-4 at the end of the school year for reading and math.

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NC Check Ins	Assessments developed by NC DPI (Dept. of Instruction) that are given 3 times throughout the year to measure students' progress on grade level standards.
Infinite Campus	The platform used to house all student information, including grades and attendance data.
504	A plan that provides accommodations to students with a disability or medical diagnosis that impedes the student's learning.
IEP = Individualized Education Plan	A plan that defines specific goals and includes services and accommodations to address those goals for students with a disability or medical diagnosis that impedes the student's learning.
FERPA = Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act	Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. This makes it illegal for information about a student to be shared with anyone who is not a legal or custodial parent or guardian.
SEL = Social and Emotional Learning	Support and instruction to help students develop skills for appropriately interacting with others and regulating their emotions.
Clever	A digital platform used to house all of the websites and apps students use for school. Logging into Clever gives students access to all websites and apps without having to log into each individually.
Google Classroom	A platform used for students to receive, complete, and turn in assignments digitally.