



Pathways to Teaching

Types of Assessments

May 1, 2020



Lesson: May 1, 2020

Objective: Students will be able to distinguish the difference between formative and summative assessments.

Learning Target: 4.2.2



How to do assignments:

If you created a google doc last week, continue on it. If you did not, then:

- Create a google doc.
- Put today's date and the lesson topic
- Put the questions and answers under that date. (You may need to copy the questions from the lesson and paste them into your doc)



Today, you will get a brief overview of two types of assessments that teachers can use in the classroom.

Formative: used during the lesson to help guide instruction

Summative: used at the end of the unit to determine mastery

Watch the following YouTube video to further explain. You will have questions on the next slide to answer in your google doc.

[Formative vs Summative Assessments](#)

1. Give an example of a formative assessment.
2. Give an example of a summative assessment.
3. Which assessment is for a grade?
4. Which assessment is for the teacher during instruction time?
5. Which assessment is done more often?
6. Which assessment is most likely quicker to give?
7. Which assessment may students not even know they were doing?