

## Curriculum-Based Measurement: *Oral Reading Fluency Passage: Examiner Copy*

Assessment Date:///	Student:	Examiner:
Words Read Correctly (WRC):	_ Errors:	Notes:

## Books are Better than Television

## Joshua Jardine

See, I knew you were convinced that books are better then television and that's why	
you've kept reading this persuasive text to find out what my third and final reason is	
for why books are better. Remember that blackout from earlier? Ever been on a long	
car trip? Plane ride? What have they all got in common? That's rightNo Power!	
Without power a television won't work and you will be absolutely bored. A book on	75
the other hand doesn't need power so it will work every time and anywhere. You will	91
never be bored again! Again, it is so obvious that books are better that television cause	107
they don't need power.	
Some people might say that television is better than a book because you have videos	
and sound but hello, have these people been living under a rock? Have they never	
heard of iBooks before? If you download an iBook you get all the advantages of	
television like sound and movies but you also get the benefits of a book so it's a	
win-win. Show me a television show that can do that.	
And there you have it folks, the definitive, and 100% true, guide to why books are far	201
superior to television. If you are ever asked this questions again, just remember that	
books make you smarter, how there are a million different stories to read and how	230
books don't require power. Wellwhat are you waiting for? Get Reading!	241



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