



## Teaching English webinars for teachers

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Right on target:  
Assessment *for* learning, *as*  
learning and *of* learning in the  
CLIL primary classroom

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# Supporting English teaching and learning



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## Resources, training and partnerships



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# What are your feelings about assessment?



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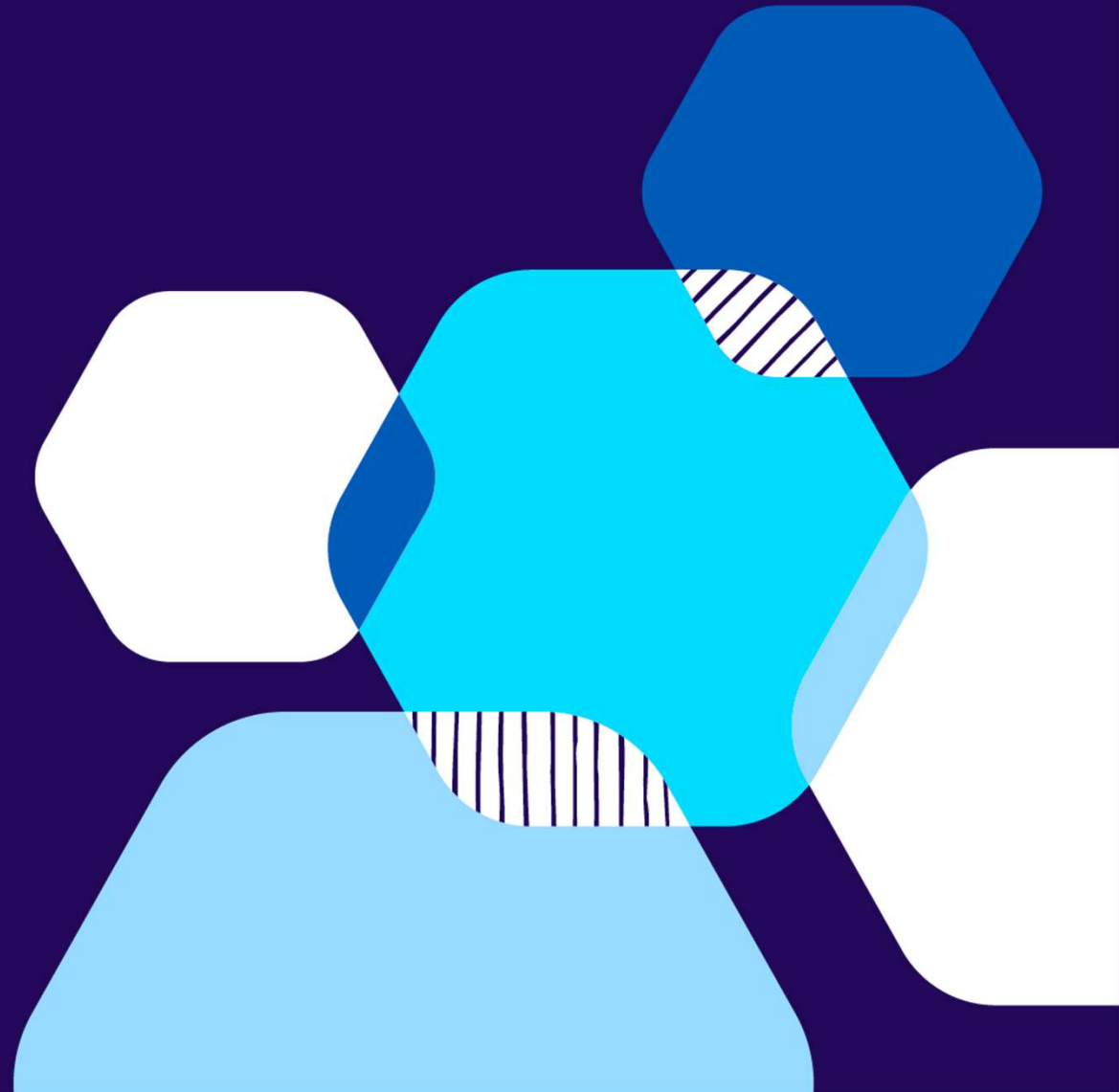
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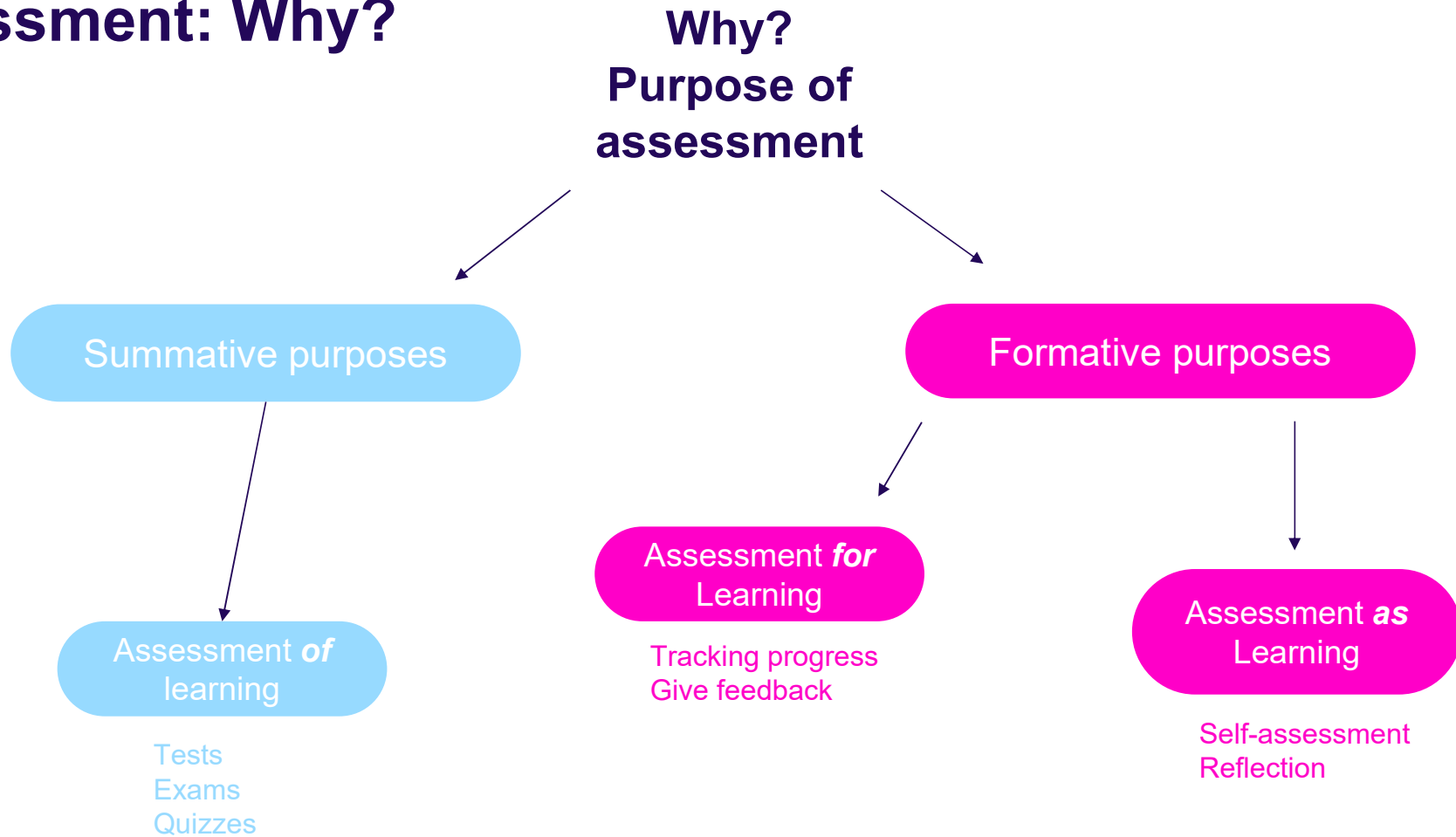
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# Assessment:

- Why?
- What?
- How?



# Assessment: Why?



## Why? Purpose of assessment

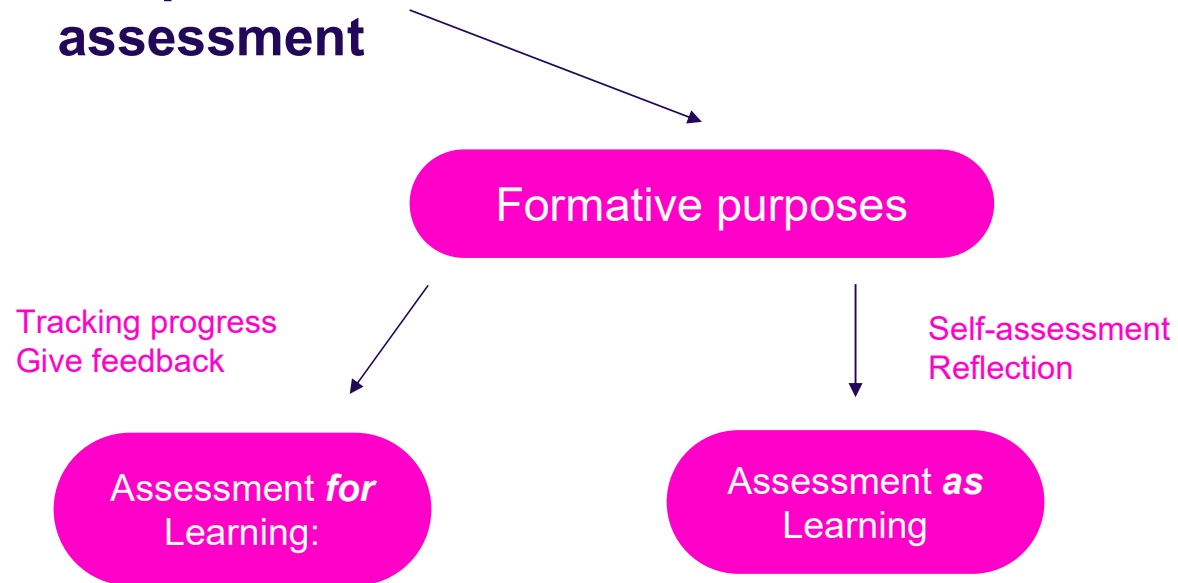
Summative purposes

Assessment *of*  
learning

Tests  
Exams  
Quizzes

- To evaluate mastery
- For certification
- To report
- For statistics and ranking

## Why? Purpose of assessment



- To adapt teaching
- To provide feedback for improvement
- To help learners develop skills

- To involve children in the learning process
- To encourage self-monitoring
- To promote learner autonomy



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# Assessment *for* learning: during the lesson or unit

“It’s a process by which assessment information is used by teachers to adjust their teaching strategies and by students to adjust their learning strategies.”

Deborah Bullock

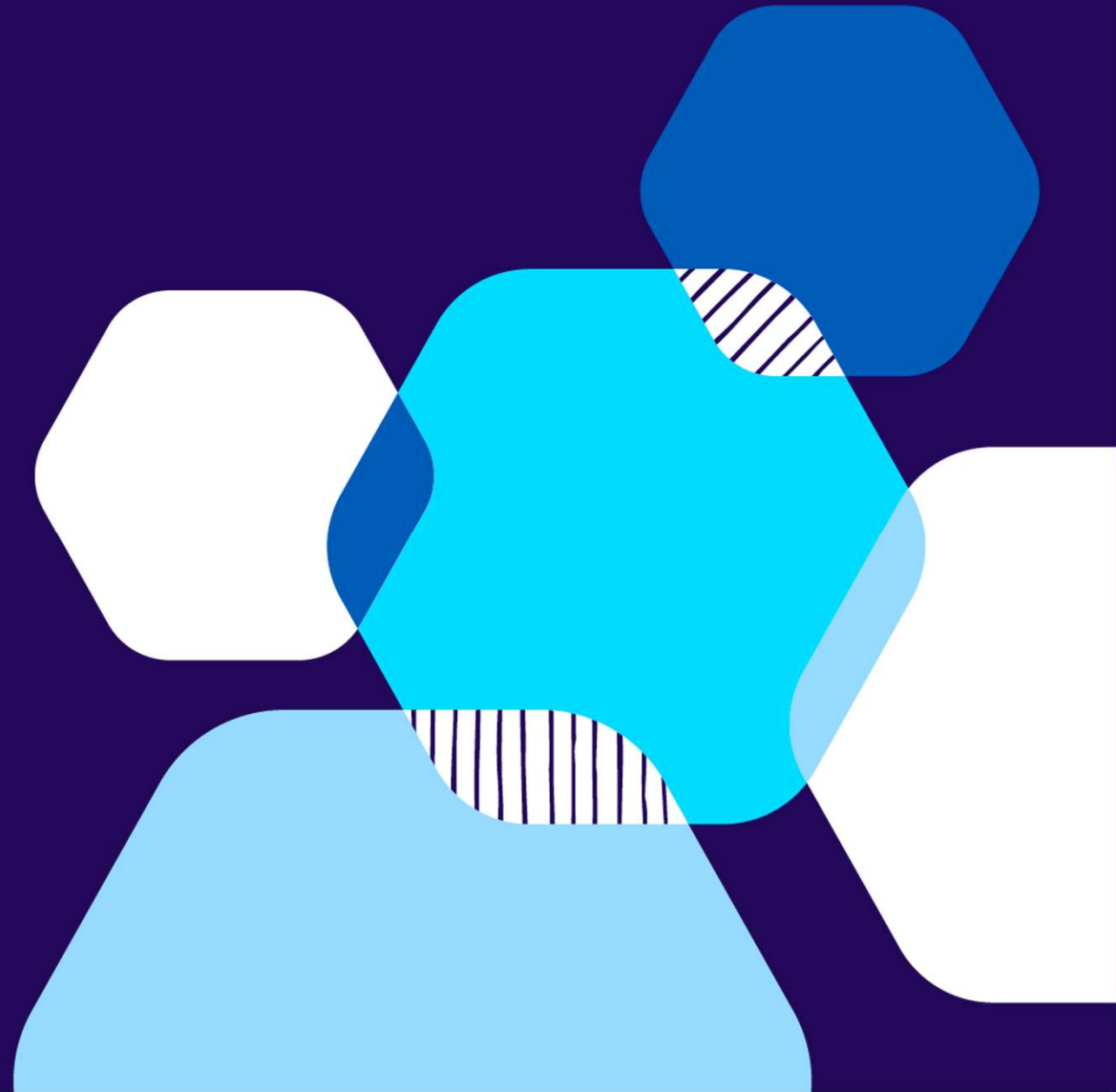
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**To adapt teaching strategies**

**To provide feedback to learners to help them improve**

**To help learners develop skills**

# Assessment: What?



# Assessment: What?

## Outcomes, objectives, aims

Teaching sequence on small animals from Griselda Beacon's webinar  
(1<sup>st</sup> in the series)

By the end of the lesson, learners will be able to:

- draw, name and describe small animals
- classify small animals using different criteria
- .....

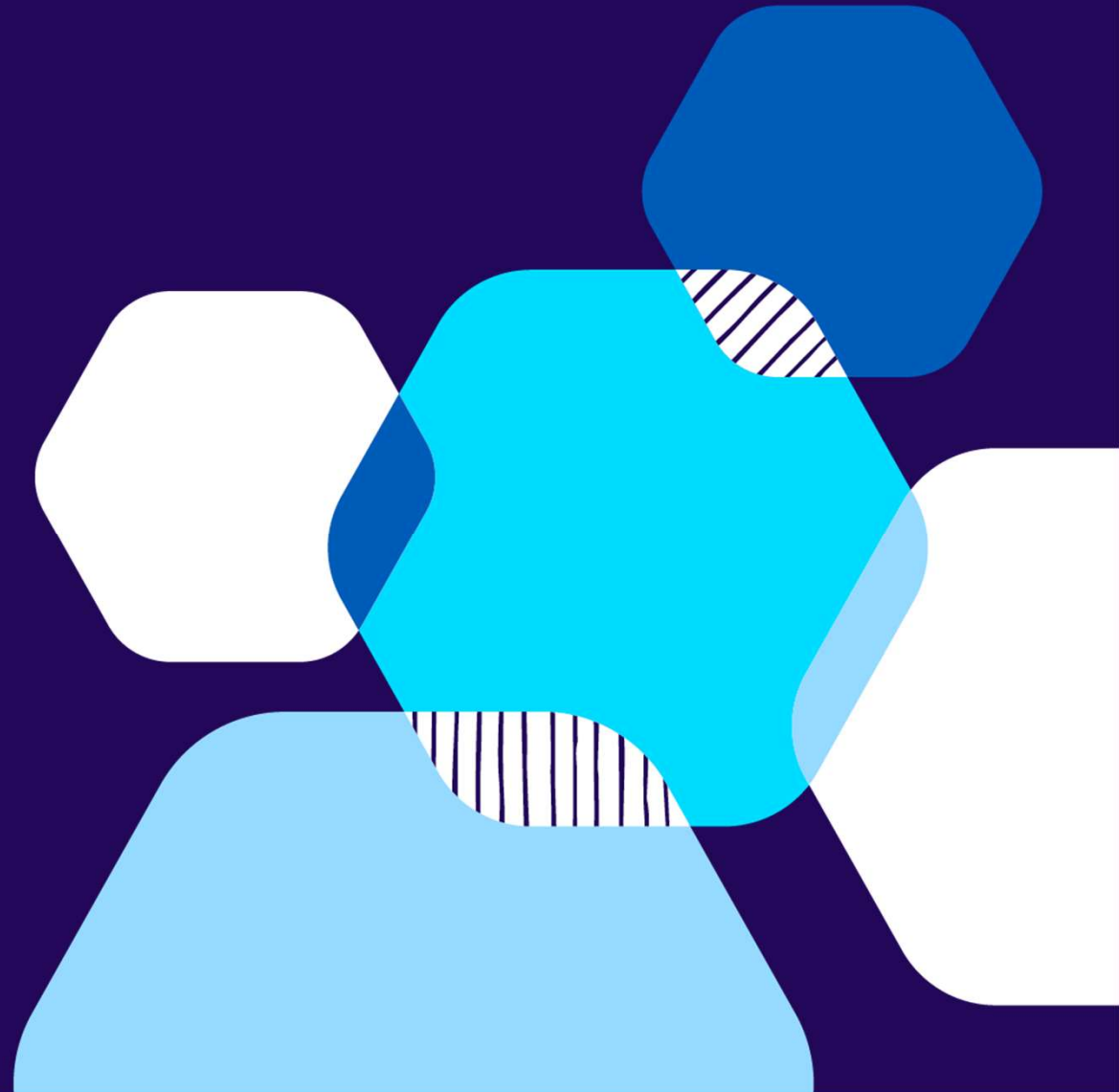


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# Assessment: What?

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By the end of the lesson, learners will have ...				
Content outcome:	Identify and describe small animals			
Language outcome:	Name small animals and describe them using ...			
Thinking (cognitive) outcome:	Classify small animals using different criteria			
Stage Name and Aim	Procedure	Time	Materials	

# Assessment: How? Assessment tools



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## Assessment *for* learning: Exit tickets

- ★ Quick formative assessment tool.
- ★ Used at the end of the lesson.
- ★ Designed by the teacher to see if learners understand and can apply new knowledge.
- ★ Results are compiled by the teacher to adjust lesson plans or differentiate instruction.

# Exit tickets

## Plants

Draw a plant and label these parts:

root  
leaf  
stem  
flower



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## Small animals

Are these statements true or false?

1. Spiders are arachnids
2. Bees are arachnids
3. Centipedes have 6 legs



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# Exit tickets (Examples for 6 / 7-year-olds at pre-literacy stage in English)

## Plants

### *Oral instructions:*

Draw a plant

Colour the leaves purple

Circle the root



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## Small animals

Are these statements true or false?

### *Oral instructions:*

1. Spiders are arachnids
2. Bees are arachnids
3. Centipedes have 6 legs



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1. 😊

2. X

3. ....



# Exit tickets

## Matching activity

### Planets

1. Uranus	A. Biggest planet
2. Saturn	B. Coldest planet
3. Jupiter	C. Closest to the sun
4. Mercury	D. Planet with the most satellites

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## Geographical features

Peninsula

Bay



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# Exit tickets

## Matching activity

Portrait

Still life

Landscape



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# Exit tickets

## Gap-filling

Photosynthesis is a process.

(1)\_\_\_\_\_ plants use (2)\_\_\_\_\_, (3)\_\_\_\_\_ and (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
to create their food and (5)\_\_\_\_\_.

1...

2...

3...

4...

5...



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# Exit tickets

## Multiple Choice

- Traditional
- Circle the correct word/number
- Digital

## Number patterns

### Mathematics: Patterns

I)

**1, 3, 5.....**

A) 7, 8, 9

B) 6, 7, 8

C) 7, 9, 11

II)

**1, 4, 25.....**

A) 30

B) 36

C) 40

III)

**21, 18, 15...**

A) 12, 6

B) 12, 9

C) 10, 5

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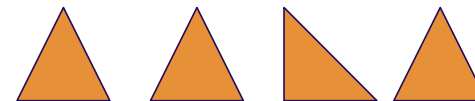
# Exit tickets

## Variation:

- Write, draw the next element

IV) 50, 40, 30 ....  
8, 12, 16 ....  
1, 1, 2, 3, 5 ....

v) Patterns with blocks  
/ shapes



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# Exit tickets

## Multiple Choice

- Traditional
- Digital

### Mathematics: Statistics and logical thinking

In a survey on favourite ice cream flavours, 10 children chose strawberry

14 children chose chocolate

5 children chose vanilla

5 children chose strawberry and chocolate

How many children voted for chocolate?

- A) 14
- B) 10
- C) 15

## Assessment *for* learning: Checklists

Name	Identifies the states of matter	Describes properties (heavy, hard)	Understands that matter can change states
Jean			
Alain			
Lorraine			

Physical science: matter

Name	Asks scientific questions and sets hypotheses	Participates in simple experiments and reports results	Records observations in words, drawings, or charts	Uses experiment results to confirm hypothesis or set new hypothesis
Raphael				
Danielle				

Scientific thinking

## Assessment as learning: Checklists with “can do” statements

I can set a hypothesis before an experiment



I can do an experiment



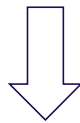
I can record the results of the experiment



I can decide if my hypothesis was right



OR



I can confirm my hypothesis or set a new hypothesis



# Assessment for learning: Rubrics

Small animals



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Criteria	Exemplary	Proficient	Developing	Beginning
Name animals	Correctly names all 6 small animals with confidence.	Names 4-5 small animals correctly	Names 2-3 animals correctly	Names 1 small animal correctly
Describe small animals	Describes all 6 small animals with clear, detailed sentences	Describes 4-5 small animals with some detail	Describes 2-3 small animals briefly,	Struggles to describe 1 bug
Classify small animals	Classifies correctly all 6 small animals in at least 3 ways (e.g., by habitat, size, number of legs) using accurate language	Classifies correctly 4-5 small animals in at least 2 ways with minimal errors	Classifies 4-5 small animals in only but makes several errors	Classifies 2-3 small animals in only 1 way with errors

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# Assessment as learning: Using AI tools

## Self-assessment rubric with visuals

Criteria	😊 I did great!	🙂 I did well	😐 I'm learning	😞 I need more practice
<b>Naming small animals</b>	I can name all 6 small animals!	I can name 4-5 small animals.	I can name 2-3 small animals.	I can name only 1 small animal.
<b>Describing small animals</b>	I can describe all 6 small animals with lots of details!	I can describe 4-5 small animals with some details.	I can describe 2-3 small animals, but only a little.	I have a hard time describing small animals.
<b>Classifying small animals</b>	I can put all 6 small animals into 3 groups (like where they live, size, or type)!	I can put 4-5 small animals into 2 groups, but made a few mistakes.	I can put 4-5 small animals into 1 group, but made some mistakes.	I can put 2-3 small animals into 1 group, but made lots of mistakes.

# Assessment as learning: Traffic lights

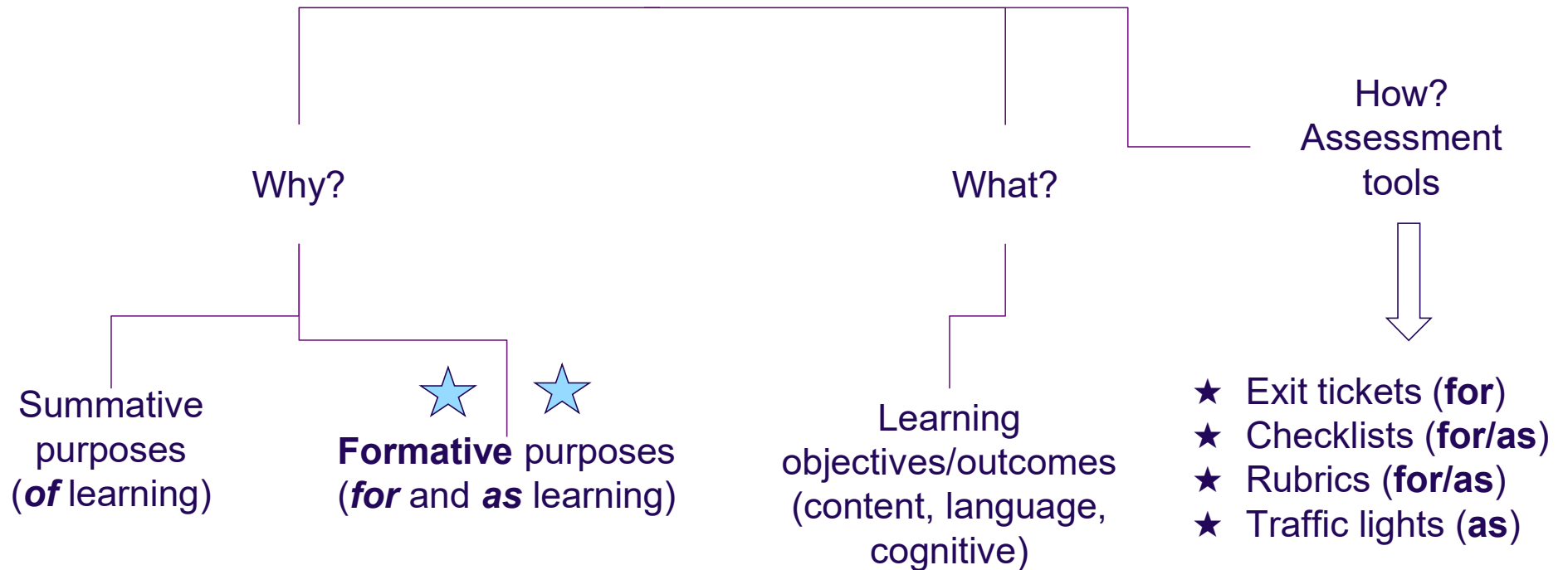
During or at the end of the lesson

	<b>I need help</b>
	<b>I am not sure</b>
	<b>I understand / can do this</b>

Learners monitor  
their learning and take  
responsibility

Buttons, coloured plastic, cards, cups,  
lego pieces, cut-out dots

# Recap: Assessment of learning, for learning, as learning



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Exit ticket:  
What are your take-aways?

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