

This is the developmental spelling (Monster) test that Cunningham refers to
on page 87 of the 2nd grade Month by Month
I give it monthly starting in September
Authors- Gentry and Gillet (1993)

Developmental Spelling Test

Possible Responses

Word	Pre Phonetic	Semi Phonetic	Phonetic	Transitional	Conventioal
1. monster	Random letters	mrt	mostr	monstur	monster
2. united	Random letters	u	unitd	younighted	united
3. dress	Random letters	jrs	jras	dres	dress
4. bottom	Random letters	bt	bodm	bottum	bottom
5. hiked	Random letters	h	hikt	hicked	hiked
6. human	Random letters	um	humn	humum	human
7. eagle	Random letters	el	egl	egul	eagle
8. closed	Random letters	kd	klosd	closed	closed
9. bumped	Random letters	b	bopt	bumpped	bumped
10. type	Random letters	tp	tip	tipe	type