

## **Tangible Symbol Systems Pretest**

The Tangible Symbols Pretest is taken from ***Tangible Symbol Systems*** by Charity Rowland and Phil Schweigert. The book is available on-line at <https://osepideasthatwork.org/sites/default/files/TangibleSymbol%20Systems.pdf> and the pretest and directions for its use are outlined in Chapter 9: *Where to Start?* (page 29 of the PDF)

# Tangible Symbols Pretest Part 1

Student \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Tester \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Symbol (Level of Representation)	Referent Items	Array of Symbols (+ = referent; - = distractor)						Distractors Used / Comments
		+ - -	- + -	- - +	+ -	- +	+	
Generic Line Drawing	1							
	2							
	3							
	% correct							
Specific Line Drawing	1							
	2							
	3							
	% correct							
Photograph	1							
	2							
	3							
	% correct							
Symbol sharing only one or two features with referent (e.g., size, shape, color, texture)	1							
	2							
	3							
	% correct							
Partial or associated object (e.g., a <i>wheel</i> for a <i>toy car</i> )	1							
	2							
	3							
	% correct							
Identical object	1							
	2							
	3							
	% correct							

## Tangible Symbols Pretest Part 2

Student \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Tester \_\_\_\_\_

Array of Symbols  
(+ = referent; - = distractor)

Trial	Type of Symbol	Referent Items	+--	-+-	--+	+-	-+	+	Distractors Used / Comments
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