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Weekly Dose Picture Description Guidelines for First through 3rd Grades

Wording must be taken into consideration when educational materials are used for grades K – 3rd students. It is recommended to add a transcriber note to the Transcriber's Note Page within Teacher Reference Materials when notes are included for picture descriptions.

EXAMPLE Omitted or described pictures for the student to identify by name:

Kindergarten - *Picture omitted.*

First through third grades - *Pictures to be identified by names are described.*

EXAMPLE Student that completes assignments on an answer sheet:
The Directions are brailled as they appear in print.

EXAMPLE Activities that are omitted.
The writing activity is omitted.

Source: BANA Guideline for the Transcription of Early Materials from Print-to-Braille