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Task 3: Assessment uses and definitions

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<p>Diagnostic: To identify strengths and areas for improvement and to inform next steps.</p>	<p>For example GL assessment, dyslexia screening.</p>
<p>Formative: To use assessment information to make specific improvements in learning.</p>	<p>For example Levels of Progression, GL Assessments.</p>
<p>Summative: To acknowledge, record and report pupils' overall performance and achievements at a point in time.</p>	<p>For example GL assessments, Levels of Progression, UKCAT 4.</p>
<p>Evaluative: To inform curriculum planning and to provide information for monitoring and accountability.</p>	<p>This could be an overview of GL assessments at whole school level or a system wide overview of data.</p>

You may have more examples of assessment types in your school that you wish to include and discuss.