

Scope and Sequence:

Reading and Writing series, Grades 1–6

Grade 1

GRADE 1 READING
Rhyming words
Short vowels
Consonant combinations
Long vowels
Vocabulary building
Adjectives
Directions
Reading stories
GRADE 1 WRITING
Long vowel sounds
Sight words
Punctuation
Nouns, pronouns, verbs, and adjectives
Simple sentences
Writing a letter
Writing a story

Grade 2

GRADE 2 READING
Vocabulary building
Consonant combinations
R-controlled vowels
Compound words
Synonyms
Antonyms
Irregular plurals
Who, what, where, when, & why
Title & table of contents
Chart the passage
Sequencing
Reading stories
GRADE 2 WRITING
Vocabulary
Nouns, pronouns, verbs, adverbs, and adjectives
Irregular verbs
Contractions
Subjects and predicates
Punctuation
Writing a story

Grade 3

GRADE 3 READING
Vocabulary building
Prefixes & suffixes
Compare & contrast
Defining words by context
Who, when, where, what, why, & how
Chart the passage
Sequencing
Making & revising predictions
Reading Stories
GRADE 3 WRITING
Punctuation
Clause review
Writing a five-paragraph essay
Introduction, body, conclusion, and transition sentences
Supporting details
Outlining, editing, and revising an essay



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Grade 4

GRADE 4 READING

Vocabulary building

Defining words by context

Who, what, when, where, why, & how

True & false

Cause & effect

Main idea

Characters

Reading stories

GRADE 4 WRITING

Sentence fragments

Combining and building sentences

Complex sentences

Essay topics

Main ideas

Supporting details

Writing a three-paragraph essay

Grade 5

GRADE 5 READING

Vocabulary building

Main idea & supporting elements

Cause & effect

Actions & descriptions

Characters

Reading stories

GRADE 5 WRITING

Direct and indirect quotations

Main and dependent clauses

Noun, adverb, and adjective clauses

Writing a three-paragraph essay

Writing a five-paragraph essay

Outlining, editing, and revising an essay

Grade 6

GRADE 6 READING

Vocabulary building

Theme

Main idea

Major & minor details

Interpreting text

Fact & opinion

Story elements

Characters

Reading stories

GRADE 6 WRITING

Punctuation

Clause review

Writing a five-paragraph essay

Introduction, body, conclusion, and transition sentences

Supporting details

Outlining, editing, and revising an essay

