

Learn to Read – Phonics Progression

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- Learn Letters
- Learn Sounds
- Phonological Awareness
- Blend Sounds (3 letter words/short vowels a,e,i,o,u)
- Learn Sight Words/High Frequency Words
 - Growing Words Sight Word/High Frequency Word Game Kits
 - Recognize and Read Words
 - Write Words
 - Hear and Find Words
 - Read Words in Simple Sentences
- Beginning blends
 - S blends (st, sm, sc, sk, sn, sp, sw)
 - L blends (sl, gl, cl, bl, fl, pl)
 - R blends (gr, dr, br, cr, pr, tr, fr)
- Ending blends
 - S blends (st, sp, sk)
 - L and T blends (ft, lt, ld, lp)
- Beginning three letter blends (scr, str, spr, spl)
- Beginning and ending digraphs (ch, sh, th, wh)
- Beginning (qu)
- Ending (ck)
- Silent e (with a,e,i,o,u)
- Vowel teams
 - oa/oe
 - ai/ay
 - ee
 - igh
 - au/aw
 - oi/oy
- Vowel teams with 2 sounds
 - ea
 - ie
 - ow
 - ou
 - oo
 - ew

- Vowel r
 - ar
 - or
 - er
 - ir
 - ur
- Silent Letters
 - kn
 - gn
 - wr
 - mb
- Hard and soft c/g
- Past tense ending ed
- Multisyllable Words
 - Learn patterns to break words apart
 - Recognize 6 syllable types
 - Closed
 - Open
 - Silent E
 - Vowel Team
 - Vowel R
 - Consonant-le

Other

- Ending is ss, ff, ll
- Phonograms ing, ang, ong
- Phonograms ink, ank, onk
- Phonograms ild, ind
- Phonograms old, olt, ost
- Phonograms all, oll, alk
- Phonograms ace, age, ice, dge