

Sample Lesson Plans

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Reading Level 23

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Watch Instructional Video Sound Cards 1-35 Blend Cards 1-19 Sand Tray Paper and pencil
 - Word Cards (tan 1-3) Sight Word Cards (red) 1-21 Word Book Reading Marker
 - Reading Window and Strips 20-23 Board Game Book to read



READ SOUNDS



- Review Sound Cards 1–35 (every Session)
- Review Blend Cards 1–19 (every 3rd Session)
- Learner reads sound of each card aloud.
- Go through the cards rapidly. The goal is to have automatic responses.

REMINDER

Pronounce blends clearly.



SPELL SOUNDS



• Dictate the following sounds, one at a time.

ing all ung ch th ong or ang qu

- Learner repeats the sound.
- Learner writes the sound on paper or in the sand tray.





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Reading Level 23



READ WORDS



Learner reads aloud from the following sources. Material is provided for several Sessions.

- 1. Word Book, page 59, -ng.
- 2. Word Book, page 61, Review or, all, -ng.
- 3. Sight Word Cards 1-17.

- 4. Word Book, Page 153, Level 23, Nonsense Words.
- 5. Word Cards, Beginning Blends (tan I-3).
- 6. Word Book, review any previous pages.



SPELL WORDS



- Dictate the following words to the Learner.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.
- Dictate each word aloud, reading down the columns.
- ® Column at the far left below indicates which sound is being practiced in each row of words.
- ® Dictate words for seven minutes, correcting errors when they occur.

ing	sing	thing	sting	bring
<u>all/or</u>	hall	fall	short	thorn
<u>wh</u>				
<u>sight</u>	you	were	was	said
dr/tr/cr/fr	drip	tree	crash	fry
<u>oy</u>				
bl/cl/fl/sl	black	cling	fling	sling
<u>th</u>	that	this	thick	path
<u>ar</u>				
ang	sang	hang	bang	rang
<u>ch</u>	rich	chat	chop	chill
ong/ung	song	lung	long	sung
<u>sight</u>	your			

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

- At each Session, dictate two of the following sentences.
- Learner repeats the sentence and writes it on paper.

The bee may sting you.

Nick had a long run up the path.

Do this math with your chum.

What is that red thing in the hall?

She said you were sick.

He sang a song for us.

Ring the bell for class.

The gang is at the mall.

Bring your math with you.

Hang it on the prong.

- Check for capitalization and punctuation.
- Learner reads aloud the sentences just written.





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INTRODUCE NEW MATERIAL



1. Introduce New Sight Words

- Teach the following Sight Words, one in each Session.
- These words cannot be sounded out and need to be memorized.

Card: Sight Word Cards 18-21

only

once

does

- Show the Learner one Sight Word Card, say it aloud and ask the Learner to repeat it.
- Learner traces the letters on the table while saying the letter names.
- Learner repeats the word before and after tracing.
- Learner writes new Sight Word on paper.

® After teaching, enter these words in the blank spaces of ④ SPELL WORDS, to dictate during the next Session.

2. Introduce New Sound

- Show the Card and say the sound.
- Learner repeats the sound and traces it in the sand tray.

Card: Sound Card 36 | oy

/oy/ as in boy

Rule: oy is usually at the end of a word.

- Learner reads words from the Word Book, page 62.
- Dictate the following words.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.

boy

joy

Roy

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

® After teaching the sound, enter some of the words above in the blank spaces of ④ SPELL WORDS.

3. Introduce New Sound

- Show the Card and say the sound.
- Learner repeats the sound and traces it in the sand tray.

Card: Sound Card 37

ar

/ar/ as in car

- Learner reads words from the Word Book, page 62.
- Dictate the following words.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.

car

dark

farm

yard

smart

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

® After teaching the sound, enter some of the words above in the blank spaces of ④ SPELL WORDS.



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INTRODUCE NEW MATERIAL



4. Introduce New Sound

- Show the Card and say the sound.
- Learner repeats the sound and traces it in the sand tray.

Card: Sound Card 38 wh

/wh/ as in wheel

Rule: wh comes at the beginning of the word. Often, wh and w sound the same.

- Learner reads words from the Word Book, page 63.
- Dictate the following words.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.

why wham when whip wheel whiz

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

® After teaching the sound, enter some of the words above in the blank spaces of ④ SPELL WORDS.

CORRECTING **SPELLING ERRORS**

• Use questions to help Learner self correct when spelling errors are made.

When whip is spelled as wip, ask,

"What is the first sound in that word?"

"How else can you spell that sound?"

Learner rewrites the misspelled word so it is correctly spelled twice.



READ ALOUD



- Choose one of the following activities at each Session.
- a) Reading Strip 23.
- b) Sentences, Word Book, page 64.
- c) Read a Book.
 - Focus on comprehension by asking factual questions based on information that is clearly stated in the text.

Examples: Where did she find the lost puppy?

When did the boy get to school? What was the location of the factory?

- d) Reread Reading Strips 20-22.
- e) Board Game. Word Cards (tan 1-3).



Review with or, all, -ng

Begin using with Level 23

sing glad form sung small smell wall storm thing spell bang sort path thick tall porch bring slop horn are with thin stall scorch snack sleep sport was that math chill song fleet speed short who

corn chick creep lung torch check clash slang fort sweet class gang your long what sting said rang



Mastery Check for Reading

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Use after Level 24

Using the Sonday System 1 Learning Plan format, incorporate Mastery Check for Reading in the 3. Read Words section. Have the Learner read the words aloud. Time limit is 30 seconds. If fewer than 90% of the words are read accurately, teach two more sessions and give Form B during the 3. Read Words section of the third session. Alternate Forms A and B at every third session until the Learner reaches 90%.



Both Form A and B contain the same words but in a different order to avoid memorization of the sequence and require the Learner to read each word.

Have the student read the test from the Word Book, p. 145.

Reading Level 24 – Form A				
harm	wing	chart	clang	
drink	speech	think	sixth	
scoop	honk	gloom	junk	
whiff	once	wham	does	
blank	smooth	rank	broom	

Reading Level 24 – Form B					
smooth	blank	does	wham		
once	whiff	junk	gloom		
sixth	scoop	honk	think		
clang	drink	speech	chart		
wing	harm	rank	broom		

Count the number of words correctly read and multiply by 5 to obtain the percentage correct or use the Conversion Chart below.

CONVERSION CHART

# Correct	%	# Correct	%	# Correct	%
1	5%	8	40%	15	75%
2	10%	9	45%	16	80%
3	15%	10	50%	17	85%
4	20%	11	55%	18	90%
5	25%	12	60%	19	95%
6	30%	13	65%	20	100%
7	35%	14	70%		

The Learner should have 90% accuracy on the this test and 85% accuracy on the Spelling Mastery Check before moving to the next level.

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Mastery Check for Spelling

Use after Level 24

Dictate the following words, reading down the columns. Repeat the words if necessary, but don't help the Learner make corrections. The goal is to determine what has been learned and how well the Learner can spell independently.

small	blank	junk	tray
sport	smooth	toy	short
chart	starch	does	check
slang	stock	creep	droop
when	with	cliff	thing

If 17 of the 20 words have been correctly spelled proceed to the next Level.

If four or more words are misspelled categorize the errors in the columns below by marking the letter or letters which represent the correct spelling. For example:

lf	chart	is spelled as	shart	mark ch
lf	slang	is spelled as	slag	mark ang
lf	when	is spelled as	wen	mark wh
lf	smooth	is spelled as	smoth	mark oo

Errors	Word Book page	<u>Errors</u>	Word Book page	<u>Errors</u>	Word Book page
a□	2,3	s blends □	36	oy □	62
e □	18	l blends □	39,40	ar □	62
i 🗆	4	r blends □	43,44	wh □	63
0 🗆	5	ch □	51	ink □	66
u 🗆	12	or □	53	ank □	66
ay 🗆	10	all □	53	onk □	66
ee 🗆	15	th □	56	unk □	66
sh □	24	ing □	59	00 □	67
-ck □	31	ang □	59	does \square	Sight Word
-ff □	27	ong □	59		
		ung □	59		

When you have identified the letters/sounds that need more practice, you may reuse Levels 22 - 24 or you may create Personalized Learning Plans following the instructions on the next two pages. The Word Book pages listed above will provide lists of words to use in creating learning plans. After at least four practice Sessions give this test again before moving to Level 25.



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Reading Level 31

MATERIALS NEEDED

- Watch Instructional Video Sound Cards 1-46 Blend Cards 1-29 Sand Tray Paper and pencil
 - Word Cards (tan 1-3, gold) Sight Word Cards (red) 1-40 Word Book Reading Marker
 - Reading Window and Strip 28 Board Game Book to read



READ SOUNDS



- Review Sound Cards 1-44 (every Session)
- Review Blend Cards 1–29 (every 3rd Session)
- Learner reads sound of each card aloud.
- Go through the cards rapidly. The goal is to have automatic responses.

REMINDER

Ask for two sounds of all single vowels, ow, oo, and y.



SPELL SOUNDS



• Dictate the following sounds, one at a time.

th oo (as in book) ow (as in owl) ing er ar gr oo (as in moon)

- Learner repeats the sound.
- Learner writes the sound on paper or in the sand tray.

QUESTIONS TO ASK THE LEARNER

How would you write long /a/ in the middle of a word before \underline{n} or \underline{l} ? (Answer: ai) How do you write long /a/ at the end of a word? (Answer: ay) How do you write long /o/ at the end of a word? (Answer: ow)





SONDAY SYSTEM 1 LEARNING PLAN

Reading Level 31



READ WORDS



Learner reads aloud from the following sources. Material is provided for several Sessions.

- 1. Word Book, page 92, Review VCe, Short Vowels.
- 2. Word Book, page 95, -ing.
- 3. Word Book, page 96, er, -er.
- 4. Word Book, page 98, Review -ing, er, -er.
- 5. Word Book, page 94, Compound Words 2.
- 6. Sight Word Cards 1-37.
- 7. Word Cards (tan and gold mixed).
- 8. Word Book, review any previous pages.



SPELL WORDS



- Dictate the following words to the Learner.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.
- Dictate each word aloud, reading down the columns.

<u>VCe</u>	life	file	mole	smile
<u>-ing</u>	telling	farming	milking	painting
<u>oo</u>	wood	stood	hook	brook
<u>ai</u>	drain	grain	wait	jail
<u>-tch</u>				
<u>sight</u>	gone			
<u>ow</u>	clown	brow	town	gown
- <u>er</u>	charter	corner	former	harder
-dge				
<u>sight</u>	where	there	some	come
-ck/-ing	sticking	packing	cracking	locking
<u>VCe</u>	bone	rave	stone	mule
<u>-tch</u>				
ow/-ing	showing	blowing	snowing	growing
compound	stingray	lipstick	somehow	anyway
- <u>er</u>	teller	farmer	cracker	darker
-dge				
end blends	lump	craft	slant	mask

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

- At each Session, dictate two of the following sentences.
- Learner repeats the sentence and writes it on paper.

Dave is picking ripe plums.

The boys are playing in the park.

Why are you looking for snails?

Are you showing me all of the flowers?

I will be calling you in the morning.

It was raining all day long.

It is harder to dig deep holes.

There is a dent in the bumper of the car.

Tim ran faster than the rest of the boys.

The farmer was planting the corn.

- Check for capitalization and punctuation.
- Learner reads aloud the sentences just written.

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Reading Level 31



INTRODUCE NEW MATERIAL



1. Introduce New Sight Words

- Teach the following Sight Words, one in each Session.
- These words cannot be sounded out and need to be memorized.

Card: Sight Word Cards 38-40

have

give

live

- Show the Learner one Sight Word Card, say it aloud and ask the Learner to repeat it.
- Learner traces the letters on the table while saying the letter names.
- Learner repeats the word before and after tracing.
- Learner writes new Sight Word on paper.

® After teaching, enter these words in the blank spaces of 4 SPELL WORDS, to dictate during the next Session.

2. Introduce New Sound

- Show the Card and say the sound.
- Learner repeats the sound and traces it in the sand tray.

Card: Sound Card 45 | -tch

/ch/ as in match

Use <u>-tch</u> after a short vowel, usually at the end of a word. (The sound /ch/ is spelled <u>ch</u> when it follows anything except a short vowel, such as a consonant or a vowel pair. Examples: porch, bench, speech, coach.)

- Learner reads corresponding words from the Word Book, page 99.
- Dictate the following words.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.

catch

pitch

batch

match

clutch

itch

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

® After teaching the sound, enter some of the words above in the blank spaces of ④ SPELL WORDS.

CORRECTING SPELLING ERRORS

• Use questions to help Learner self correct when spelling errors are made.

When pitch is spelled as pich, ask,

"What is the last sound in that word?"

"How do you write that after a short vowel?"

Learner rewrites the misspelled word so it is correctly spelled twice.





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INTRODUCE NEW MATERIAL



3. Introduce New Sound

- Show the Card and say the sound.
- Learner repeats the sound and traces it in the sand tray.

Card: Sound Card 46

-dge

/j/ as in fudge

Rule: Use <u>-dge</u> after a short vowel, usually at the end of a word. (The sound /j/ is spelled <u>-ge</u> when it follows anything except a short vowel, such as a consonant, a vowel pair, or a long vowel. Examples: fringe, forge, gouge, page, rage.)

- Learner reads corresponding words from the Word Book, page 99.
- Dictate the following words.
- Learner repeats each word, Touch Spells each word and says each sound out loud while writing the word on paper.

fudge badge

bridge

wedge

judge

• Learner reads the list of words just written.

® After teaching the sound, enter some of the words above in the blank spaces of ④ SPELL WORDS.

lodge

CORRECTING SPELLING ERRORS • Use questions to help Learner self correct when spelling errors are made.

When fudge is spelled as fuge, ask,

"What is the last sound in that word?"

"How do you write that after a short vowel?"

• Learner rewrites the misspelled word so it is correctly spelled twice.



READ ALOUD



- Choose one of the following activities at each Session.
- a) Sentences, Word Book, page 100.
- b) Read a Book.
 - Sonday System® Readers, Level 31 a-c.
 - See page 128 of the Word Book for a list of beginning reading books. Reread.
- c) Reading Strip 28.
- d) Board Game. Word Cards (tan, gold).

HELPER'S Note

If the student is self conscious about tracing on the desk at school, suggest tracing on the leg under the desk.



Reviews VCe, Short Vowels Begin using with Level 30

grade	slate	crime
spine	stuck	plank
left	smelt	grave
slime	glide	snack
crust	craft	crest
gave	flame	smile
drove	slope	draft
silk	clamp	state
press	floss	stove
mule	flute	slump
spoke	plate	twill
brick	clock	plume
stake	crate	choke
blink	trunk	stock
task	risk	flake
hike	trike	blank
jil t	weld	mask
drink	husk	spike



Mastery Check for Reading

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Use after Level 33

Using the Sonday System 1 Learning Plan format, incorporate Mastery Check for Reading in the 3. Read Words section. Have the Learner read the words aloud. Time limit is 30 seconds. If fewer than 90% of the words are read accurately, teach two more sessions and give Form B during the 3. Read Words section of the third session. Alternate Forms A and B at every third session until the Learner reaches 90%.



Both Form A and B contain the same words but in a different order to avoid memorization of the sequence and require the Learner to read each word.

Have the student read the test from the Word Book, p. 148.

Reading Level 33 – Form A					
bench	could	stitch	very		
trace	cell	voice	center		
jawbone	charcoal	drawing	cardboard		
germ	cube	gem	quake		
pointer	plunge	broiler	wage		

	Reading I	Level 33 – Form l	В
charcoal	voice	center	jawbone
cell	trace	very	stitch
could	bench	broiler	wage
gem	plunge	pointer	quake
drawing	cube	germ	cardboard

Count the number of words correctly read and multiply by 5 to obtain the percentage correct or use the Conversion Chart below.

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lf

lf

pitch

draw

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Mastery Check for Spelling

Use after Level 33

Dictate the following words, reading down the columns. Repeat the words if necessary, but don't help the Learner make corrections. The goal is to determine what has been learned and how well the Learner can spell independently.

draw	float	spoil	milk
pitch	edge	notch	budge
belt	lisp	act	should
very have		barge	cube
smile	place	shorter	parking

is spelled as

is spelled as

-tch □

If 17 of the 20 words have been correctly spelled proceed to the next Level.

If four or more words are misspelled categorize the errors in the columns below by marking the letter or letters which represent the correct spelling. For example:

pick

drau

mark -tch

mark aw

	f edge f float	is spelled is spelled	•		k -dge k oa
Errors	Word Book page	<u>Errors</u>	Word Book page	<u>Errors</u>	Word Book page
a□	2,3	s blends □	36	-dge □	99
е 🗆	18	l blends □	39,40	aw □	104
i□	4	r blends □	43,44	oi □	104
0 🗆	5	VCe □	71	oa □	105
u 🗆	12	-lt □	85	soft c □	109
sh \square	24	-lk □	85	soft g □	109
-ck □	31	-sp □	85	have □	Sight Word
or \square	53	-ct □	85	should 🗆	Sight Word
ing \square	95	er 🗆	96	very □	Sight Word

When you have identified the letters/sounds that need more practice, you may reuse Levels 31 – 33 or you may create Personalized Learning Plans following the instructions on the next two pages. The Word Book pages listed above will provide lists of words to use in creating learning plans. After at least four practice Sessions give this test again.

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