

Scope and Sequence

Description	Introduced	Fluency	Mastery
Difference between a Vowel and a Consonant	Lesson #1		
How the student will show mastery:			
• Student can define a vowel as any letter that is not a consonant.	Date:		
• Student can define a consonant as any letter that is not a vowel.			
• Student can state that a vowel is a sound that is unblocked (by the mouth, lips, tongue, or vocal			
cords) and a consonant is a sound that is stopped in some way (by the mouth, lips, tongue, or vocal cords)			
Note: Do not require the student to say the consonants in order from memory			
How this concept is taught:			
4 Kinesthetic Drills to teach individual letter/sound relationships.			
The "Y Song"			
Visual and auditory drills			
Primary Consonants – b, c, d, f, g ,h, j, k, l, m, n, p, qu, r, s, t, v, w, x, y, z	Lesson #1		
How the student will show mastery			
Student can read and write all the consonants in isolation.	Date:		
Student can read and write all the consonants in single words.			
Student can read and write all the consonants in connected text.			
How this concept is taught:			
The Core Phonics Survey results were used to identify what letter/sound relationships the			
student is missing.			
4 Kinesthetic Drills to teach individual letter/sound relationships.			
The "Y Song"			
Visual and auditory drills. Initially, all consonants are included in the visual and auditory			
drills. They are removed individually, as each one is mastered.			
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.			
Reading single word lists and writing individual words			
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing			

Resolution of Confusion of 'b' 'd' 'p' 'q'	Lesson #2
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can read and write 'b' 'd' 'p' 'q' in isolation.	Date:
• Student can read and write single words that contain b' 'd' 'p' 'q.'	
 Student can read and write words that contain b' 'd' 'p' 'q' in connected text. 	
How this concept is taught:	
Keyword sentence "When I go to bed, I like peace and quiet."	
Pictures and hand gestures to reinforce "bed" concept.	
Visual and auditory drills	
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.	
Reading single word lists and writing individual words	
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing	
Short Vowels	Lesson #1
How the student will show mastery:	
Student can read and write short vowels in isolation.	Date:
Student can read and write single words that contain short vowels.	
• Student can read and write words that contain short vowels in connected text.	
How this concept is taught:	
The Core Phonics Survey results are used to identify what letter/sound relationships the	
student is missing, but vowels (a, e, i, o, u) are included in the visual and auditory drills until	
mastery is demonstrated.	
4 Kinesthetic Drills to teach individual letter/sound relationships.	
Short vowel drill and keyword sentence	
Card pack for visual and auditory drills	
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.	
Reading single word lists and writing individual words	
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing	
Sight Words	See Note in
How the student will show mastery:	"Sight
Student can state the definitions of the 2 types of sight words:	Words"
	column.

 Sight words can be words that play fair by the phonics rules but are so common that we need to learn them right away, even before we have learned about their syllable type. 	Lesson:
 Sight words can be words that do not play fair by the phonics rules (Student can independently perform the steps of the Sight Word Study Method 	Date:
How this concept is taught:	
Use the top 160 sight word list to choose 3-5 sight words that the student cannot read or cannot spell (or both)	
Teach the student the steps to the Sight Word Study Method.	
In each lesson, the student practices reading and writing sight words.	
Assign reading and writing sight word as daily homework.	
Remove sight words from card pack as they are mastered and introduce new sight words at that time.	
Note: About 15% of English words do not follow the phonic rules while 85% of English words do	
follow the phonics rules.	
Note: For younger and for more severely challenged students (especially those who still need a lot	
of work on those initial graphemes/phonemes), it is appropriate to wait until your fourth lesson OR	
until the student can process another step in the lesson plan before you introduce the Sight Word	
Study Method. For other students, you may be able to start doing sight words during Lesson #2.	
Syllable Definition	Lesson #4
 Student can state the definition of a syllable, which is as follows: 	
 A syllable is a word, or part of a word, with 1 vowel pattern 	Date:
 Student can accurately identify what is a syllable and what is not a syllable. 	
Student can separate 1-5 syllable words into syllables (through syllable pounding) when the	
word is said orally. Begin with 1-2 syllable words and increase the number of syllables in words	
gradually, as the student shows fluency and then mastery when working with smaller words.	
How this concept is taught:	
Definition card	
Hand gestures	
Card sorts	
Syllable pounding	
Teach the student to listen for vowel sounds. Each vowel sound signals a new syllable.	

Introduction to Closed Syllable	Lesson #6	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can state the definition of the closed syllable, which is as follows:	Date:	
 A closed syllable has one vowel 		
 The vowel is followed by one or more consonants 		
 The vowel is short 		
• Student can use the definition of a closed syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is not, a closed syllable.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable closed syllables in isolated words.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable closed syllables in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card and closed syllable story.		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Blending drill		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Note: When introducing the closed syllable, use 1 syllable closed syllable words. (Examples: an, it,		
cat, bud, hen, sit, pot, ic, tas). Do not use words that contain blends at this time because that will be taught later.		
Note: Use a combination of real and nonsense words. The nonsense words should be syllables that		
are found in real words. For example, 'tas' is part of <i>fantastic</i> .		
Note: Do not use the letters 'f,' 'l,' 's,' or 'z' at the end of words at this time because it involves		
using a spelling rule that will be taught later in this progression.		
Introduction to Consonant Blends	Lesson 11	
Beginning blends: bl, cl, fl, gl, pl, sl, br, cr, dr, fr, gr, pr, tr, sk, sm, sn, sp, st, sw, tw, scr, spl, spr, str, squ		
Ending blends: ct, ft, lt, pt, nt, st, xt, lf, lk, lp, ld, mp, sk, sp st	Date:	
How the student will show mastery:		
Student can state the definition of a consonant blend, which is as follows:		
 A consonant blend is when two consonant sit side by side in word and each consonant 		
says its expected sound, but we say them so quickly that the two sounds blend together		

• Student can read and write 1 syllable closed syllable words that contain consonant blends in isolated words. The beginning and anding blends that need to be mestered are listed above.		
isolated words. The beginning and ending blends that need to be mastered are listed above.		
Student can read and write 1 syllable closed syllable words that contain consonant blends in		
connected text. The beginning and ending blends that need to be mastered are listed above.		
How this concept is taught:		
Auditory and visual drills		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Note: Introduce 5-10 beginning blends and 5-10 ending blends at a time. The number that you will		
introduce at a time will depend on the level of ease or difficulty experienced by the student		
Closed Syllable Words with 2 Syllables	Lesson #15	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can read and write 2 syllable closed syllables words in isolation and in connected text.	Date:	
How this concept is taught:		
Syllable card drill - In Lesson #15, the blending drill is replaced by the syllable card drill so		
that the student can begin to work on 2 syllable words. Over time, the syllable card drill will		
expand to 3-4 syllable words.		
Scooping syllables worksheet – this is introduced in Lesson #40		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Exceptions to the Closed Syllable Rule	Lesson #17	
Exceptions: all, ank, ink, ang, ing, ild, old, ind		
How the student will show mastery:	Date:	
• Student can define what it means to be an "exception" to the closed syllable rule.		
• An exception to the closed syllable word occurs when a vowel in a word makes a sound		
that is different than the short vowel sound that we expect		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable closed syllable words that contain exceptions to the		
closed syllable rule in isolated words.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable closed syllable words that contain exceptions to the		
closed syllable rule in connected text.		
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How this concept is taught:		
 Auditory and visual drills 		
 Blending drill 		
 Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling. 		
 Reading single word lists and writing individual words 		
 Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
 Sliders 		
Note: There are a few other exceptions to the closed syllable rule (ost, olt). You can choose if you		
would like to use the Sight Word Study Method or follow the same methods used to teach the		
other exceptions to cover these two-word families.		
Two Sounds of 's'	Lesson #25	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can state the two sounds of 's,' which are as follows:	Date:	
\circ 's' can sound like /s/ as in <i>cats</i> and 's' can sound like /z/ as in <i>dogs</i>		
• Student can predict which sound an 's' will make based on the preceding grapheme.		
• When a 'motor-on' sound precedes the 's,' we keep the motor-on and the 's' sounds like		
/z/ (example: dogs). When a 'motor-off' sound precedes the 's,' we keep the motor-on		
and the 's' sounds like /s/ (example: cats).		
• Student can read and write 's' in isolation, single words, and connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Auditory and visual drills		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Note: Student should now also give the /z/ for the letter 's' in the visual drill and add the letter /s/		
when given the /z/ sound in the auditory drill. If you removed the 's' from the card pack, you		
should readd it to the pack.		
Base, Prefix, and Suffix	Lesson #26	
How the student will show mastery:		
Student can identify a prefix, base and suffix.	Date:	
Student can add a prefix and suffix to a base.		

• Student understands that suffixes are added to the END of a base.		
 Student is aware that prefixes go on the FRONT of a base. 		
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 How this concept is taught: 		
 Card drills are designed so that the student can make word sums. 		
 Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling. 		
 Reading single word lists and writing individual words 		
 Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
Note: do not use bases that require the suffix 'es' because that has not yet been taught		
When to use Suffix 'es' Instead of 's'	Lesson #27	
	Lesson #27	
How the student will show mastery:	Date:	
• Student can state the sounds that are possible when making a base plural (/s/ /z/ iz/ /z/)	Date.	
 Student can predict that 's' will make a /z/ sound when added to a base that ends in a voiced grapheme. 		
• Student can predict that 's' will make a /s/ sound when added to a base that ends in an		
unvoiced grapheme.		
 Student can predict that 's' will make a /iz/ or /ez/ sound when added to a base that ends and a second syllable is created. 		
How this concept is taught:		
Card drills are designed so that the student can make word sums.		
Card sorts		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		
Consonant Digraphs – ch, sh, wh, ph, th	Lesson #29	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can read and write the sounds of all the consonant digraphs in isolation.	Date:	
• Student can read and write the sounds of all the consonant digraphs in single words.		
• Student can read and write the sounds of all the consonant digraphs in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		

Auditory and visual drills	
Blending drill	
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.	
Reading single word lists and writing individual words	
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing	
Introduction to 'tch' Rule	Lesson #34
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can explain the 'tch' rule, which is as follows:	Date:
 In a one syllable base/root word that ends in the /ch/ sound 	
 And the sound directly before/preceding the/ch/ sound is a short vowel. 	
 Spell the /ch/ sound with 'tch.' 	
 Examples: catch, crunch hutch, hunch pitch, punch 	
• Student can read and write 'tch' words in isolation.	
• Student can read and write 'tch' words in connected text.	
• Student can read and write the common exceptions to the 'tch' rule: which, rich, such, much	
How this concept is taught:	
Introduce rule with rule card.	
Auditory and visual drills	
Blending drill	
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.	
Reading single word lists and writing individual words	
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.	
Exceptions taught as sight words and with picture and story activity	
'f' 'l' 's' 'z' Doubling Rule	Lesson #36
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can explain the 'f' 'l' 's' 'z' doubling rule, which is as follows:	Date:
\circ In a one syllable base word that ends in the /f/, /l/, /s/ or /z/ sound	
 And the sound directly preceding the /f/, /l/, /s/ or /z/ sound is a short vowel sound 	
 Double the 'f', 'l', 's' or 'z 	
 Examples: stuff, hill, loss, jazz 	

• Student can read and write words in isolation and in connected text in which the 'f' 'l' 's' 'z'		
doubling rule is used.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce rule with rule card.		
Provide student with keyword sentence and picture "Jeff will pass Buzz."		
> Card sorts		
Blending drill		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		
'ck' Rule	Lesson #39	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain the 'ck' rule, which is as follows:	Date:	
 In a one syllable base word 		
 that ends in the /k/ sound 		
 and the sound directly before/preceding the /k/ sound is a short vowel sound 		
 the /k/ sound will be spelled 'ck' 		
 Examples: buck, pick, tack, muck rank, pink, silk 		
• Student can read and write words in isolation in which the 'ck' rule is used.		
• Student can read and write words that end in 'ck' or 'k' in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce 'ck' as a grapheme that makes the /k/ sound.		
Introduce with rule card.		
Provide student with keywords and picture "milk truck." Explicitly explain how the rule works in the words "milk truck."		
Auditory and visual drills		
Card sorts		
Blending drill		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		

Syllabification Rules	Lesson #40	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can follow all the steps listed on the syllabication rules instructions sheets to correct	Date:	
divide and label <u>one</u> syllable closed syllable words.		
• Student can follow all the steps listed on the syllabication rules instructions sheets to correct		
divide and label <u>two</u> syllable closed syllable words.		
• Student can follow all of the steps listed on the syllabication rules instructions sheets to correct		
divide and label <u>three</u> syllable closed syllable words.		
 Students can correctly divide and label syllables of all other syllable types. 		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce concept by providing a full demonstration of how to divide and scoop a syllable.		
Introduce with syllabication instruction card.		
Provide student with practice sheets.		
Have student discuss thinking while working on practice sheets.		
Provide support as needed while student is working on practice sheets.		
Once other syllable types are taught, these new syllable types will be included in the		
syllabication practice sheets.		
Syllabication of 2 Syllable words that Contain Consonant Diphthongs.	Lesson #42	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Students can correctly divide and label syllables in words that contain consonant diphthongs.	Date:	
How this concept is taught:		
Review Syllabication Rules by having the student take out the syllabication rules sheet.		
Show the student the word: submit. Explain that this word follows a vccv pattern. It this		
type of pattern, you usually divide the word between the two consonants (sub mit).		
Introduction the concept that when a word contains a consonant diphthong (such as ph, sh,		
ch, wh, th) the letter pair must stay together since they are one symbol. Another pair of		
letters that must stay together is <i>ck</i> .		
Have the student work with the concept using scooping practice sheets		
Sounds of 'c'	Lesson #43	
How the student will show mastery:		
 Student can state the 2 sounds of 'c,' which are as follows: 	Date:	

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Adding Suffix 'ing'	Lesson #45
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can explain the purpose of adding suffix 'ing' to a base.	Date:
• Student can explain how the 1-1-1 doubling rule for closed syllables works when adding the suffix 'ing.'	
• Student can read and write words in isolation in which the suffix 'ing' is used.	
• Student can read and write words in which the suffix 'ing' is used in connected text.	
How this concept is taught:	
Review the concepts of prefix, and suffix and the doubling rule.	
Word sum card drills	
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.	
Reading single word lists and writing individual words	
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing	
Suffix 'ed'	Lesson #48
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can state the four sounds of 'ed.' Which are as follows: /ed/ /id/ /d/ /t/	Date:
• Student can explain that we use the suffix 'ed' to show the past tense.	
• Student can explain the rule that determines which sound the 'ed' will make.	
• Student can read and write words in isolation in which the suffix 'ed' is used.	
• Student can read and write words in which the suffix 'ed' is used in connected text.	
How this concept is taught:	
Review the concepts of prefix, and suffix and the doubling rule.	
Introduce the idea that 'ed' is a grapheme that can make four sounds. Teach the different	
sounds individually if the student is having trouble. Introduce each new sound when the	
student reaches fluency with the preceding sound that was taught. Move at the pace of the	
student.	
Introduce with rule card.	
Auditory and visual drills – add an 'ed' card that has a #4 on it to the have pack and have	
the student now work on all 4 sounds in drills.	
Use of column chart	
Word sum sorts	

Syllable card drill		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		
The Schwa	Lesson #50	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain that schwa makes a short vowel sound, but not the vowel sound that one	Date:	
would expect. The schwa happens in an unstressed syllable. Most often, the schwa sounds like		
the short /u/ sound, but it can make the sounds of other short vowels in some words.		
• Student can properly label a syllable that is being schwa in the scooping practice sheets (by		
using the upside down 'e' symbol for schwa)		
 Student can read and write words in isolation in which schwa is used. 		
• Student can read and write words in which the schwa is used in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card.		
Word sum card drills		
Scooping syllables practice sheets		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		
Introduction to Open Syllable	Lesson #54	
How the student will show mastery:		
Student can state the definition of the open syllable.	Date:	
• Student can use the definition of a closed syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is not, an open		
syllable.		
Student can read and write 1 syllable open syllables in isolated words.		
Student can read and write 1 syllable open syllables in connected text.		
Student can read and write 2 syllable open syllables in isolated words.		
Student can read and write 2 syllable open syllables in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card and open syllable story.		

Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.			
> Blending drill			
Syllable card drill			
Reading single word lists and writing individual words			
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.			
Note: When introducing the open syllable, use 1 syllable open syllable words. (Examples: go, be, so,			
ba). Use a combination of real and nonsense words. The nonsense words should be syllables that			
are found in real words. For example, 'ba' is part of <i>basic</i> . The students have already been			
exposed to 2 syllables words that combine open syllables and other syllable types when they where			
introduce to the schwas in Lesson #50.			
'y' at End of 1 Syllable Open Syllable Words	Lesson #56		
How the student will show mastery:	_		
• Student can explain the situation in which 'y' makes its long /i/ sound (when it is all the end of a	Date:		
one syllable word)			
• Student can read isolated 1 syllable words that contain 'y' at the end.			
• Student can read connected text that contains 1 syllable words with 'y' at the end of the word.			
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• Student can read connected text that contains 1 syllable words with 'y' at the end of the word.			
How this concept is taught:			
Review concept of 'y' as a consonant			
The "Y Song"			
Visual and auditory drills			
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.			
Blending drill			
Reading single word lists and writing individual words			
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing			
'y' at End of Multisyllable Words	Lesson #58		
How the student will show mastery:			
• Student can explain the situation in which 'y' makes its long /e/ sound (when it is all the end of			
a 2-syllable word)			
• Student can read isolated 2 syllable words that contain 'y' at the end.			
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• Student can read connect text that contains 2 syllable words with 'y' at the end of the word.		
• Student can write isolated 2 syllables words that contain 'y' at the end.		
• Student can write connect text that contains 2 syllable words with 'y' at the end of the word.		
How this concept is taught:		
Review concept of 'y' as a consonant		
The "Y Song"		
Visual and auditory drills		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Syllable card drill		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		
Adding Suffixes to Open Syllables	Lesson #62	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain the 1:1:1 rule for adding suffixes to 1 syllable closed syllable words and can	Date:	
apply the rule by making word sums		
• Student understands there is a 'great' spelling rule for each syllable type that governs how		
suffixes are added to each syllable type		
Student can add the suffixe 'es' to open syllables		
• Student can put open syllables into the past by making a new word (not by adding the suffix		
'ed' as is usually done in closed syllables)		
• Student can add the suffix 'ing' to open syllable words by using the 'slam it on' rule		
• Student can read and write isolated 1 syllable open syllable words that contain a suffix		
• Student can read and write connected text containing 1 syllable open syllable words that		
contain a suffix		
• Student can read and write isolated multisyllable open syllable words that contain a suffix		
• Student can read and write connected text using multisyllable syllable open syllable words that		
contain a suffix		
• Student can apply the 2:1:1 rule in both reading and writing of isolated words		
• Student can apply the 2:1:1 rule in both reading and writing of connected text		
How this concept is taught		
review concept of a base/root word		

review 1:1:1 doubling rule	
rule card for adding suffixes to open syllables	
make word sums by adding suffixes to 1 syllable open syllable words	
make words sums by adding suffixes to multisyllable syllable open syllable words	
 teach 2:1:1 doubling rule by rule cards and words sums 	
Adding Suffixes to Words Ending in 'y'	Lesson #64
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can state the Great Rule of "y," which is as follows:	Date:
\circ change the 'y' to an 'i' and add the suffix (except for 'ing')	
 slam 'ing' on (must keep the 'y' because you can't have 'i' twice in a row) 	
• Student can explain that 'y' sits at the end of a word like <i>fly</i> because it is helping the letter 'i,'	
which we avoid placing at the end of English words. When we add a suffix, the 'y' is no longer	
at the end of the word, so the 'y' disappears and the 'i' steps in to do its job. The 'y' must stay	
in the word when 'ing' gets added to avoid having two of the letter 'i' in a row.	
• Student can read and write words in which the Great Rule of 'y' is applied	
How this concept is taught	
➤ rule card	
magnetic letter tile drills for reading and writing	
word sums	
reading and writing isolated words	
reading and writing connected text	
Schwa in Open Syllables	Lesson #65
How the student will show mastery:	
• Student can state the main reason that schwa happens, which is that schwa is a way to speed	Date:
up speaking	
Student can state the following ideas about schwa:	
 schwa makes a short vowel sound, but not the short vowel sound of the letter that 	
appears in the word.	
 In most words it will sound like a shot 'u' 	
 It will be the vowel sound in an unstressed syllable in multisyllable words. 	
 Symbol for schwa is upside down letter e 	

How this concept is taught		
 rule card (from Lesson #50) 		
 Syllable scooping pages 		
 Synaple scooping pages magnetic letter tile drills for reading and writing 		
 word sums 		
 reading and writing isolated words 		
 reading and writing isolated words reading and writing connected text 		
Introduction to the Vowel Consonant-e Syllable	Lesson #66	
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How the student will show mastery:	Date:	
• Student can state the definition of the vowel consonant silent 'e' syllable, which is as follows:	Date.	
 has 1 vowel, followed by 1 consonant, following by the letter 'e' 		
• the first vowel is long and the final 'e' is silent		
• Student can use the definitions of a closed and open syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is		
not, a vce syllable.		
Student can read and write 1 syllable vce syllables in isolated words.		
 Student can read and write 1 syllable vce syllables in connected text. 		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card and vce syllable story.		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Blending drill		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Vowel Consonant Words with 2 Syllables	Lesson #67	
How the student will show mastery:		
Student can read and write 2 syllable open syllables in isolated words.		
Student can read and write 2 syllable open syllables in connected text.		
Note: the student will read 2 syllable words and contain vce syllables when doing the syllable card		
drill in Lesson #67. However, the focus of the initial vce lessons is on 1 syllable words so that the		
student can gain fluency at this level. Over time, the lessons will focus more on multisyllable		
words.		
How this concept is taught:		

Syllable card drill		
 Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling. 		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
The Two Jobs of 'e' in Vowel Consonant-e	Lesson #68	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can state that English words will not end with the letter 'v', so the letter 'e' goes with 'v' at the end of words.	Date:	
 Student can restate the story that we say to help us remember the concept: We say, "The 'e' goes at the end to keep 'v' company." The 'e' is braver than 'v.' 'V' is afraid of falling off the end of a word so 'e' steps in and stands silently at the end. Student can articulate the 2 jobs of 'e' in a vce word: Sometimes the 'e' is doing one job (keeping 'v' company) and sometimes it is doing two jobs (keeping 'v' company and doing vowel work in the Vowel-Consonant-e syllable type). Examples: 'e' doing one job – live, give, have, delve, solve, valve 'e' doing two jobs – gave, cave, clove, drive, eve, five 		
 Student can read and write 1 and 2 syllable vce syllables in isolated words in which 'v' is followed by an 'e' at the end of a word. Student can read and write 1 and 2 syllable vce syllables in connected text in which 'v' is followed by an 'e' at the end of a word. How this concept is taught: 		
 Introduce with magnetic letter tiles and story about 'v' needing company because it is not brave. Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling. Blending drill Syllable card drill Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
Natural Doubling of Letters	Lesson #71	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain that natural doubling occurs when the last letter of the prefix matches the first letter of the root. (example: misspell)	Date:	

• Student can prove the rule by combining syllable cards to make words (example: unnerve)		
How this concept is taught:		
Syllable card drill		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Adding Suffixes that Begin with a Vowel to Vowel Consonant-e Words	Lesson #72	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can state the rule for adding vowel suffixes to vce bases, which is as follows:	Date:	
\circ A vce base ends with a silent e. If the suffix starts with a vowel = drop the e on the		
root word and add the vowel suffix (a suffix that begins with a vowel is a 'vowel		
suffix.' (example: mate + ing = mating).		
• Student can use letter tiles to prove the 1:1:1 rule for closed syllables and the "drop the 'e' and		
add the vowel ending" rule for vce bases by spelling words such as <i>hatting</i> and <i>hating</i> .		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card and magnetic letter tiles		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Syllable card drill		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Adding Suffix endings that Begin with a Consonant to Vowel Consonant-e Words	Lesson #74	
How the student will show mastery:		
Student can explain the rule, which is as follows:	Date:	
\circ The "drop the 'e' and add the vowel suffix" rule states that the suffix must begin with a		
vowel. For this reason, we just keep the 'e' and slam the ending on when we want to		
add a suffix that begins with a consonant (example: like + ness = likeness).		
How this concept is taught:		
Rule card (from Lesson #74)		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Syllable card drill		
Worksheet		

 Reading single word lists and writing individual words Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
Introduction to the Vowel Team (also called vowel digraph) Syllable Type	Lesson 75	
How the student will show mastery:		
 Student can state the definition of the vowel team syllable, which is as follows: 		
• when vowels are together (side-by-side), the first vowel is long, and the second vowel is	Date:	
silent. To remember this concept, we say, "When 2 vowels go walking the first 1 does the		
talking."		
• Student can use the definition of a vowel team syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is not, a		
vowel team syllable.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable vowel team syllables in isolated words.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable vowel team syllables in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card and vowel team syllable story.		
Teach vowel teams in the following order: ai, ay, ee, ey, ea, oa, oe, ow, ue. Introduce the		
vowel teams slowly, 1 or 2 per lesson.		
Discuss with student the idea that there are times when two vowels are side by side and are		
not vowel teams because they are making a brand-new sound instead of having the first		
vowel do the talking. This is a different syllable type and it will be covered once the student		
masters vowel teams		
Visual and auditory drills		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
 Blending drill Reading single word lists and writing individual words 		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.	Lesson 76	
Vowel Teams in Multisyllable Words	Lesson 70	
How the student will show mastery:	Date:	
• Student can read and write vowel team syllables in isolated multisyllable words.	Dute.	
Student can read and write multisyllable words that contain vowel team syllables, in connected		
text. How this concept is taught:		

 Scooping syllables worksheets – introduced in Lesson #76. This is the only way that students will work on multisyllable vowel teams words until they gain fluency with working with this syllable type at the 1 syllable word level Syllable card drill Word sum worksheets Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling. Reading single word lists and writing individual words Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
Adding Suffixes to Vowel Teams	Lesson #83	
 How the student will show mastery: Student can state the rule for adding vowel suffixes to vowel team bases, which is as follows: regardless of whether the suffix begins with a vowel or a consonant, the rule is that we just "slam it on" (example: meet + ing = meeting) we need a different rule is when we deal with 'ue.' Having the letter 'e' at the end of the word can cause confusion so for 'ue' we follow the rules of vce syllable type and drop the 'e' and add the ending when adding a suffix that starts with a vowel. (example: sue + ing = suing) Student can read and write vowel team syllables with suffixes in isolated words. 	Date:	
• Student can read and write words that contain vowel team syllables with suffixes, in connected		
text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Scooping syllable worksheets		
Word sum worksheets		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Adding Prefixes to Vowel Teams	Lesson #86	
How the student will show mastery:		
 Student can state the rule for adding vowel suffixes to vowel team bases, which is as follows: 		

 just "slam it on" (example: un + seat = u syllable types. Student can read and write vowel team syllable 	with a vowel or a consonant, the rule is that we nseat). The prefix 'slam it on' rule is true for all s with prefixes in isolated words. yowel team syllables with prefixes, in connected		
How this concept is taught: Scooping syllable worksheets 			
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 Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and 	spelling.		
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 Controlled connected texts for reading a 	nd writing.		
Introduction to the Vowel Diphthong Syllal	ole Type	Lesson #87	
How the student will show mastery:			
• Student can state vowel diphthong definition, v	hich is as follows:	Date:	
 when vowels are together (side-by-side coin) 	, they make a brand-new sound. (Example:		
• Student can use the definition of a vowel diphth not, a vowel diphthong syllable.	ong syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable vowel dip	nthong syllables in isolated words.		
Student can read and write 1 syllable vowel dip	nthong syllables in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:			
Introduce with rule card and vowel diphtho			
Teach vowel diphthong in the following ord	· · · · · · · · · ·		
	lesson. In cases where there are only a few		
	thong, the teacher may choose to teach them		
	a few common words in which 'ea' makes the are only a few words in which 'ie' makes the		
long 'e' sound: <i>piece, field, movie.</i>	are only a rew words in which he makes the		
 Visual and auditory drills 			
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spe	ling.		

Blending drill		
 Reading single word lists and writing individual words 		
 Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
Vowel Diphthongs in Multisyllable Words	Lesson #88	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can read and write vowel diphthong syllables in isolated multisyllable words.		
Student can read and write connected text that contains multisyllable words with vowel		
diphthong syllables.		
How this concept is taught:		
Scooping syllables worksheets – introduced in Lesson #88. This is the main way that		
students will work on multisyllable diphthong words until they gain fluency with working		
with this syllable type at the 1 syllable word level		
Syllable card drill		
Word sum worksheets		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Adding Suffixes to Vowel Diphthongs		
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can state the rule for adding vowel suffixes to vowel team bases, which is as follows:		
 regardless of whether the suffix begins with a vowel or a consonant, the rule is that we 		
just "slam it on" (example: join + ing = joining)		
 we need a different rule is when we deal with vowel diphthongs that end in 'e' such as 		
'ie.' Having the letter 'e' at the end of the word can cause confusion so for 'ie' we		
follow the rules of vce syllable type and drop the 'e' and add the ending when adding a		
suffix that starts with a vowel. (example: piece + ing = piecing)		
• Student can read and write vowel diphthong syllables with suffixes in isolated words.		
• Student can read and write words that contain vowel diphthong syllables with suffixes, in		
connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Scooping syllable worksheets		

Word sum worksheets		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
'igh' Exception to Closed Syllable Rule	Lesson #100	
How the student will show mastery:		
 Student state the main ideas contain on the 'igh' rule care, which are as follows: 	Date:	
If you have the letter 'i' followed by 'gh'		
then 'i' says the long /i/ sound and the 'gh' is silent		
 Student can read and write words that contain 'igh' in isolated words. 		
 Student can read and write words that contain 'igh' in connected text. 		
How this concept is taught:		
Rule card		
Etymology - Tell student that when there are silent letters in a words that don't seem to		
serve a function, that can be a clue to the history of the word. "Igh" has roots in Old		
English.		
Visual and auditory drills		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Introduction to the r-controlled Syllable Type	Lesson #101	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can state the r-controlled syllable definition, which is as follows:	Date:	
• When only 1 vowel is followed by the letter 'r,' the vowel usually makes a new sound		
with the letter 'r.' (Examples: car, for, her, dirt). In the case of 'ur' the 'u' is making the		
expected short 'u' sound (Example: hurt).		
• Student can use the definition of a r-controlled syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is not, a r-		
controlled syllable.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable r-controlled syllables in isolated words.		
• Student can read and write 1 syllable r-controlled syllables in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		

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Introduce with rule card and r-controlled syllable story.		
Teach r-controlled teams in the following order: ar, or, er, ir, ur.		
Introduce the r-controlled teams slowly, 1 per lesson.		
Visual and auditory drills		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Blending drill		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Exceptions – 'ar' and 'er' at the End of Multisyllable Words	Lesson #108	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain that the r-controlled syllable type has some exceptions when we start making multisyllable words. Specifically, 'ar' or 'or' in the final syllable of a multisyllabic word	Date:	
making multisynable words. Specifically, at or or in the marsynable of a multisynable word make an unexpected sound. They say /er/. This is because the way that we speak changes		
over time but the way that we write does not. (Examples: doctor, dollar)		
• Student can read and write r-controlled 'ar' and 'or' exceptions in isolated words.		
• Student can read and write r-controlled 'ar' and 'or' exceptions in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Scooping syllables worksheet		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Syllable card drill		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Adding Suffix Endings to r-Controlled Syllables	Lesson #109	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain the 1-1-1 doubling rule and state that is applies to r-controlled syllables.	Date:	
The reason is that r-controlled syllable looks exactly like closed syllables. We can't call them		
closed syllables because the vowel sound is not short. This is why we make a different syllable		
type for the r-controlled situation.		
• Student can recall that the 1-1-1 rule is only applied to one syllable closed syllable words and		
that is applies to r-controlled syllables as well.		

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 Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling. Syllable card drill. Words to use: parasol, paradox, paragraph, parasite, paramedic (Note: 'para' is written on 1 card even though it has 2 syllables) Reading single word lists and writing individual words Controlled connected texts for reading and writing. 		
Introduction to Consonant-le Syllable Type	Lesson #112	
How the student will show mastery:		
Student can state the consonant-le syllable definition, which is as follows:	Date:	
• One consonant		
• Followed by an <l> and the silent letter <e></e></l>		
• It is always the final syllable in poly-syllable words (can't be in the first syllable)		
 Student can state that this is the only syllable type that needs another syllable type to make a word. (Example: can +dle = candle). 		
 Student can use the definition of a consonant-le syllable to explain why a syllable is, or is not, a 		
consonant-le syllable.		
• Student can read and write consonant-le words (they will always be multisyllable words) in		
isolated words.		
• Student can read and write consonant-le syllable words (they will always be multisyllable		
words) in connected text.		
How this concept is taught:		
Introduce with rule card and consonant-le syllable story.		
Teach consonant-le combinations by writing them on index cards: dle: ble, kle, dle, gle, fle,		
ple, cle tle and combining them with other syllable types to form words. (Examples: can dle ,		
a ble, ri fle , ea gle , sim ple, ti tle, cir cle, spar kle) ➤ Visual and auditory drills		
 Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling. 		
 Blending drill 		
 Reading single word lists and writing individual words 		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Doubling the Consonant Before the -le	Lesson #114	
How the student will show mastery:		

 Student can explain that sometimes the consonant before the -le must be doubled. It needs to be doubled when the first syllable has a short vowel sound and needs a consonant to make it a closed syllable. We still need a consonant before the 'le' in the second syllable to make the consonant-le syllable type, so a doubling of the consonant happens. (Example: bub + ble = bubble) Student can need and write isolated words containing consonant le words in which the 	Date:	
 Student can read and write isolated words containing consonant-le words in which the consonant before the -le is doubled. 		
 Student can read and write connected text in which the consonant before the -le is doubled. 		
How this concept is taught:		
Magnetic letter tile drill for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing.		
Adding Suffix Endings to the Consonant-le Syllable	Lesson #115	
How the student will show mastery:		
• Student can explain the rule for adding suffixes to the consonant-le syllable, which is as follows:	Date:	
• when adding a suffix ending that begins with a vowel to a syllable that is a consonant-le,		
you must drop the e and add the ending.		
How this concept was taught:		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		
Exception "-stle"	Lesson #116	
• Student can explain the one exception to this syllable type. It is -stle. In this combination of	Deter	
letters, the 't' is silent, and its role is to be the consonant in the consonant-le syllable.	Date:	
How this concept was taught:		
Slider for these words: castle, rustle, whistle, nestle, bristle, jostle, bustle, wrestle		
Magnetic letter tile drills for reading and spelling.		
Reading single word lists and writing individual words		
Controlled connected texts for reading and writing		