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Phonics They Use

Big Words for Big Kids

"Grounded in the belief that all students can learn to read and write print, this book is a thorough yet practical guide for teaching students with significant disabilities. It explains how to provide comprehensive literacy instruction addressing these students' needs, whether they are emergent readers and writers or students acquiring conventional literacy skills. General and special educators, speech-language pathologists, and other professionals will find concise research synopses and theoretical frameworks, practical lesson formats, guidance on incorporating assessment and using assistive technology, and more"--

Making Names, Grades 1 - 3

All the kids are getting ready for the sweetest holiday of the year! Join in on all of the card-making fun, and then come along to school the next morning for a day of parties and games!

Phonics They Use

Facilitate meaningful, multilevel lessons for students in grade 3 using Making Words: Lessons For Home or School. This 64-page resource includes 50 Making Words lessons and a reproducible sheet of instructions. It supports the Four-Blocks(R) Literacy Model and is a great addition to any classroom.

Classrooms that Work

Provides lessons and activities that combine spelling and phonics to create and learn a variety of new words.

Month-by-month Reading, Writing, and Phonics for Kindergarten

Facilitate fun and functional phonics instruction using Systematic Sequential Phonics They Use for grades 1-5! This 208-page book helps beginning readers of any age learn phonics through the Word Wall and Making Words activities. This helpful classroom resource supports the Four-Blocks(R) Literacy Model and is an excellent addition to any classroom. The book includes review activities, take-home word walls, reproducibles, and word lists.

Making Words Fifth Grade

"Each Month-by-month phonics book explains how to help all children learn to read and write through systematic, multilevel instruction as part of the Working with words block in the Four-Blocks framework. These books include step-by-step activities that instill the desire to learn to read and write, develop phonemic awareness, encourage letter and sound recognition, teach essential language and print concepts, and extend vocabulary"--Back cover.

Month-by-Month Phonics for First Grade

Provides lessons and activities that combine spelling and phonics to create and learn a variety of new words.

Making Big Words, Grades 3 - 6

Young readers stay encouraged to learn when working with the latest edition of this valuable supplement. Including more activities, lessons, and reproducibles, it will show teachers significant results when used as part of a balanced literacy program. This book assists kindergartners in developing phonemic awareness, improving letter and sound recognition, and enhancing their vocabularies.

Making Words, Grade 1

Making Words

This sequel to the best-selling Making More Words offers 150 fun activities that encourage word knowledge. Each 15-20 minute lesson is an exercise in word exploration as students sort words by prefixes, suffixes, rimes, homophones, and other patterns. Ter

Classrooms That Work

"In her inspirational, well-researched book, Renee describes the kinds of learning opportunities that all parents want for their own children. Her accessible writing style makes it easy to envision the environment, teaching, and community she describes with such clarity you'll want to get started on her ideas tomorrow." -Jennifer Serravallo "How refreshing it is in a test-driven climate to read a book stressing the nurturing of imagination and empathy that comes from inquiry, play and children making choices." -Deborah Meier "The bottom line is when children are at play, they're not just playing--they're learning machines, and play is the engine that drives them." -Renee Dinnerstein How do you define play and choice time in early childhood classrooms? According to Renee Dinnerstein, "During choice time, children choose to play in a variety of centers that have been carefully designed and equipped to scaffold children's natural instinct for play." In Choice Time, Renee gives you everything you need to set up choice-time centers that promote inquiry-based, guided play in your classroom. Renee summarizes the research, describing the different kinds of play and why they are important. Then she dives into the nitty gritty, providing: blueprints for six proven choice-time centers, with variations a guide to arranging your classroom space to maximize play's value and support the child's growing independence scheduling suggestions for different grade levels ideas to connect centers to the curriculum, giving children greater agency in designing and planning centers. Renee reveals what can happen when you embrace a culture of inquiry, providing opportunities for children to be explorative and creative in their thinking. She believes that, "A child's engagement is the most powerful asset we have for teaching and learning." Give your students choice time, and watch them engage in joyful, important, playful, age-appropriate work that will empower them to become lifelong learners.

Making Words, Grade 3

Why do kids misspell words? How can spelling instruction be hands-on and developmentally appropriate? What spelling strategies do spellers need to learn? Becky Spence answers all these questions and more in Teaching Kids to Spell.

Making Words, Grade 2

This is the eBook of the printed book and may not include any media, website access codes, or print supplements that may come packaged with the bound book. The long-standing, bestselling classic of strategies and hands-on activities for teaching phonics. In the new edition of this popular book, author and scholar Patricia Cunningham seamlessly weaves together the complex and varied strategic approaches needed to help students develop reading and writing skills. With its focus on how students use phonics to read and write, not just how much phonics a student knows, *Phonics They Use* includes numerous developmentally appropriate activities for helping students with fluency, rhyme-based decoding, spelling, and more. Updated throughout, this new edition devotes increased attention to morphology as the key to decoding, spelling, and building meaning for big words; includes a new set of lessons, *Compound Combos*, designed to help teachers introduce morphology to students; introduces a list of 50 key words, the *Nifty Thrifty Fifty*, which contain a common example for all the common prefixes, suffixes, and spelling changes; includes a new chapter presenting a series of lessons on how to gradually teach these 50 words and how manipulating the parts of these 50 words can help decode, spell, and unlock the meaning of over 300 other words; and presents a new chapter on phonics and spelling interventions for older struggling readers.

Talking, Drawing, Writing

A boy and rabbit both have two eyes that see all kinds of things, from blue and red to a bird and a bed.

What Really Matters in Spelling

Teachers are introduced to lessons that cover key literacy skills included in most fifth-grade curricula. Each activity leads students through a systematic process for learning prefixes, suffixes, and roots and how these word parts go together to form related words. All lessons include practice on manipulating letters into complex letter combinations and sorting words according to the patterns. All lessons conclude with a transfer step which helps students transfer what they have learned to reading and spelling new words.

Making Words

Facilitate meaningful, multilevel lessons for students in grade 1 using *Making Words: Lessons For Home or School*. This 64-page resource includes 50 *Making Words* lessons and a reproducible sheet of instructions. It supports the *Four-Blocks(R)* Literacy Model and is a great addition to any classroom.

The Art Lesson

Having learned to be creative in drawing pictures at home, young Tommy is dismayed when he goes to school and finds the art lesson there much more regimented.

Making Words

Based on the bestselling "Phonics They Use," this title introduces kindergarten teachers, teachers of emergent second language learners, and teachers of students with special needs to Making Words lessons with step-by-step instructions for developing letter-sound relationships.

Ethnobotany

This new entry in the best selling What Really Matters series turns its trademark "essentials and practices" treatment on the skill of writing. Pat Cunningham explains how to get students started writing and what to do once they are. Dedicated chapters for spelling, editing, and revising help teachers introduce these skills as critical parts of the writing process. Pat also explains how to extend writing, editing, and revising across the curriculum, to bring the benefits of writing and critical thinking to all content areas. Filled with student examples, sample lessons, and activities, this is one all-around resource no teacher should be without! Written by the authors you know and trust, each of the books in the What Really Matters series offers a succinct presentation of what matters most when teaching different aspects of the reading process. With a thought-provoking, rich presentation, Pat Cunningham and Dick Allington explore complex issues teachers of reading face in today's classrooms and bring each of the topics to life. These brief and inexpensive books are written in a lively narrative with clear organization, exceptional pedagogy, and special features. Their friendly design and compact size make the books accessible, convenient, and easy-to read.

Making Words Second Grade

Principals will discover practical strategies for strengthening and improving reading programs using the foundation established by the authors' six truths of reading instruction. Explore comprehensive, multifaceted instruction techniques, as well as additional steps you can take to support students directly. Identify and troubleshoot problems your teachers may face, and gain valuable approaches to topics such as reading comprehension, vocabulary and literacy, and phonics and fluency.

Comprehensive Literacy for All

Facilitate fun and functional phonics instruction using Prefixes and Suffixes for grades 3 and up. This 192-page resource features hands-on, minds-on manipulative activities in which students learn to decode words and properly use common prefixes, suffixes, and spelling changes. The book supports the Four-Blocks(R) Literacy Model and includes 120 dynamic lessons that encourage students to learn phonics and spelling through the Word Wall and Making Words activities. This book also includes review and extension activities, reproducibles, take-home word walls, and word lists.

The Eye Book

Pat Cunningham's *What Really Matters in Vocabulary, 2/e* will help teachers increase the number of words students know meanings for—as well as the depth of meanings for those words—as a day-in, day-out, across-the-school-day priority. In it, teachers see how to make vocabulary come to life in the classroom and across the curriculum while discovering that what really matters is building bigger vocabularies to make all students better readers, including non-native English speakers and children who live in economic poverty.

Making More Words

Ethnobotany, the study of the classification, use and management of plants by people, draws on a range of disciplines, including natural and social sciences, to show how conservation of plants and of local knowledge about them can be achieved. Ethnobotany is critical to the growing importance of developing new crops and products such as drugs from traditional plants. This book is the basic introduction to the field, showing how botany, anthropology, ecology, economics and linguistics are all employed in the techniques and methods involved. It explains data collection and hypothesis testing and provides practical ideas on fieldwork ethics and the application of results to conservation and community development. Case studies illustrate the explanations, demonstrating the importance of collaboration in achieving results. Published with WWF, UNESCO and Royal Botanic Gardens Kew

What Principals Need to Know About Teaching and Learning Reading

Facilitate meaningful, multilevel lessons for students in grade 2 using *Making Words: Lessons For Home or School*. This 64-page resource includes 50 Making Words lessons and a reproducible sheet of instructions. It supports the Four-Blocks(R) Literacy Model and is a great addition to any classroom. *Making Words* includes hands-on activities in which children manipulate letter cards to construct words, sort words by spelling patterns, and use the sorted patterns to spell and read

new words.

Teaching Kids to Spell

Facilitate meaningful, multilevel lessons for students in grade 4 using Making Words: Lessons For Home or School. This 64-page resource includes 50 Making Words lessons and a reproducible sheet of instructions. It supports the Four-Blocks(R) Literacy Model and is a great addition to any classroom.

Phonics They Use

Second grade teachers are introduced to lessons that teach all the phonemic awareness, phonics, and spelling skills included in most second grade curricula. The activities progress through a systematic, sequential phonics program that includes all the complex vowel patterns second graders need to learn. In all lessons students make and sort words to build letter-sound relationships. Each lesson ends with a transfer step to help them apply the sounds they learn to the spelling of new words.

Prefixes and Suffixes, Grades 3 - 8

Learn when and how to teach the Working with Words Block using Month-by-Month Phonics and Vocabulary. Help students in grade 5 read and understand multisyllabic words and morphemes, build vocabulary, and learn spelling strategies with this comprehensive classroom supplement. This 160-page book includes activities such as Nifty Thrifty Fifty, Guess the Covered Word, Word Detectives, and Making Words. The book also includes homework suggestions, ideas for struggling readers, word lists, and reproducibles and supports the Four-Blocks(R) Literacy Model.

Making More Big Words

At a time when so many pivotal education issues are closely tied to the performance of schools and NCLB policy, Schools That Work provides critical insight into how elementary schools must change to meet the increased demands of education for the 21st century. Praised as the most accessible, readable and practical book on the market, Schools That Work combines renowned authors Dick Allington and Pat Cunningham's expertise as educators with continuing commitment to foster expert teaching in the classroom. Their dynamic analysis of systematic school reform encompasses virtually all areas of elementary school organization. With the goal of turning readers into educated, informed decision-makers, Allington and Cunningham provide a clear and concise introduction to theories of school reform and include an organizational framework

to accomplish this goal. This new edition offers: A view of how schools must change if they are to meet the increased demands of education for the 21st century. Updated, expanded coverage of recent federal and state initiatives to help teachers address the problems of struggling readers and writers. A variety of activities for taking stock of the educational effort in school. New coverage of reading coaches.

Choice Time

-This excellent resource includes 50 Making Words lessons, 5 warm-ups, and a reproducible sheet of instructions and tips for students! The activities support the Four-Blocks® Literacy Model and are geared toward independent learning!

Month-by-Month Phonics and Vocabulary, Grade 4

Through monthly activities, sample lessons, and word lists, students learn to apply reading and writing strategies, as well as become fluent decoders and spellers

Month-by-month Phonics for Upper Grades

Literacy Education for all students -- from the authors teachers trust! Integrates phonics and literature-based reading and process writing instruction for a balanced approach to teaching literacy. Contains innovative ideas for supporting the most at risk students. Emphasizes the integration of literacy with science and social studies instruction. Discusses strategies and techniques for fostering children's use of decoding and comprehension strategies, and includes workable, practical strategies and activities to use in the classroom. Includes a variety of whole-class and small group plans which teachers use to provide support for struggling readers and challenges for advanced readers. Found in a new Chapter on Multi-level instruction (ch. 5) . Celebrated authors Patricia Cunningham and Dick Allington bring the issue of literacy education to the fore as they discuss an integrative approach to literacy-based on the simple but true idea that the more children read and write, the better they will read and write. Patricia M. Cunningham is a professor of Education at Wake Forest University. She has authored and co-authored several books promoting literacy, including Phonics They Use: Words For Reading And Writing, Reading And Writing In Elementary Classrooms: Strategies And Observations, Schools That Work: Where All Children Read and Write, and Classrooms That Work: They Can All Read And Write. Richard L. Allington is the Fien Distinguished Professor of Education at the University of Florida, Gainesville. He was a co-recipient of the Albert J. Harris Award from the International Reading Association for his "contributions to the better understanding of reading and learning disabilities." Dick is also a past president of the National Reading Conference and has been elected to membership in the Reading Hall of Fame.

Systematic Sequential Phonics They Use, Grades 1 - 5

Sequel to Making words. An innovative, developmental approach to teaching phonics and spelling, containing fast-paced, hands-on activities. The lessons encourage children to explore words, letter-sound relationships, and letter patterns.

What Really Matters in Writing

The text contains 100 lessons which teach 33 common roots and all of the common prefixes and suffixes, plus some review and extension activities. To be used with the word cards.

What Really Matters in Vocabulary

Based on the active and innovative approach of making words that teachers and their students have grown to love from Pat Cunningham, *What Really Matters in Spelling* presents teachers in grades kindergarten through eighth grade with a clear approach to what really matters in spelling. Pat reminds teachers how much spelling matters, how complex teaching spelling is, and how critical word walls and reading are to strengthening spelling skills. Her experience as a classroom teacher, researcher, scholar, and innovator gives readers a unique opportunity to learn from the best as Pat identifies the 100 most common words and patterns, and examines ways to develop sophisticated, independent spellers. Paired with Pat's book *What Really Matters in Vocabulary*, educators have the best tools to help every student become good spellers and communicators. Written by the authors you know and trust, each of the books in the *What Really Matters* series offers a succinct presentation of what matters most when teaching different aspects of the reading process. With a thought-provoking, rich presentation, Pat Cunningham, Dick Allington, and others explore complex issues teachers of reading face in today's classrooms and bring each of the topics to life. These brief and inexpensive books are written in a lively narrative with clear organization, exceptional pedagogy, and special features. Their friendly design and compact size make the books accessible, convenient, and easy-to read. *What Teachers Are Saying* "Cunningham explicitly outlines the necessary steps for introducing 100 key words per school year and offers engaging activities for classroom teachers to help all of their students become great spellers. This is exactly what classroom teachers are looking for: step-by-step spelling instruction that is meaningful and relevant to their students' needs." - Shanalee Cannon, K-5 Literacy, Southern Nevada Regional Professional Development Program, N. Las Vegas, NV "As a classroom teacher I know first hand how students' spelling in written work seems to be becoming increasingly problematic. Students often spell words phonetically which are not always spelled correctly. It seems as if students who continue to misspell these words in their writing do not move forward, as a matter of fact very little progress is made. I think with [Pat's] approach students will have a better grasp on the tricky word patterns and help them to make a connection to other word patterns rather than just spelling one word and then moving on

to the next." - Karen Berecsky, Second Grade Teacher, Mill Lake, Monroe, NJ

Making Words

by Patricia M. Cunningham. Children will enjoy making their names and the names of relatives and friends! This book uses Patricia Cunningham's Making Words strategy to teach children how to decode and spell names and includes 210 Making Words lessons in which the secret word is a person's name. As children manipulate letters to make words, they learn how changing one letter or moving letters around results in new words.

Schools that Work

This is the eBook of the printed book and may not include any media, website access codes, or print supplements that may come packaged with the bound book. Practical help for providing balanced, comprehensive literacy instruction for all students, particularly those from culturally diverse backgrounds and those who are struggling with reading and writing. This popular resource provides comprehensive, balanced, practical literacy instruction for all students in today's increasingly diverse classrooms, especially students from culturally diverse backgrounds and those struggling with reading and writing. As the Common Core raises the bar for all children, Classrooms That Work helps educators meet the challenges by presenting lesson frameworks for providing reading and language arts instruction that helps all children achieve their highest literacy levels. In a clear, friendly writing style, the authors emphasize the importance of promoting the integration of phonics and literature-based process writing and reading instruction to enhance all students' learning and reading skills. The book clarifies concepts, defines key terms, and offers just the right balance of research and practical coverage to make the content complete without being overwhelming.

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Making Words, Grade 4

Provides teachers with strategies and activities for teaching reading.

Month-by-Month Phonics and Vocabulary, Grade 5

Starting with the child's natural language, drawing, and storytelling abilities, offers lessons organized around such topics as writing words, introducing booklets, and assessment.

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