

## Teacher's Guide

## Methodological Approach

Reading is generally considered an interactive, collaborative process between a reader and a text. The result of this process is usually considered to be reading fluency. Grabe (1991) stated that the five key areas of language learning are theory, language skills, vocabulary development, comprehension training, and reading-writing connections.

Each unit in Reading Table addresses these areas of language learning in a logical progression:

> A warm-up and new words section in which students communicate in English about the target topic and then acquire new vocabulary words. Reading Table introduces students to a variety of level-appropriate new content words.

## Short reading passages featuring the new words

Comprehension checks using a variety of activities and approaches to ensure comprehension

> Consolidating the unit's objectives for reading and vocabulary using a clear reading and writing connection

## Why Choose Reading Table?

Reading Table is a three-level series designed to give elementary students more practice in reading English. As emergent readers work their way through the series, they will be reinforcing their knowledge of highfrequency sight words. They will also focus on learning a limited number of new content vocabulary words in each unit. Vocabulary words are introduced through a mix of fiction and non-fiction readings. Topics are familiar so that students will gain confidence in reading. Reading Table reinforces the necessary foundation needed for reading English.

## Features:

- Thematically paired fiction and nonfiction unit topics
- Comprehension activities in both textual and graphic formats
- Comprehension activities that model standardized test questions and note-taking through Five W's charts
- Repeated recycling of high-frequency vocabulary
- Audio recording of all pages for listening and reading along
- Pull-out full-color workbook included


## Getting to Know the Book

## Introduction to the Reading Table Student Books

Each unit in the Reading Table series includes eight parts plus additional review and consolidation activities in the workbook. The parts of the book work together to get students thinking about the unit's topic while learning new vocabulary, lead students through a reading passage, and then have students practice basic listening, organizing, and writing skills in English.

## Student Book Contents:




## Mapping

Reinforces comprehension of the reading passage through activities requiring students to organize texts according to reading skills


## Additional Materials:

## Workbook:

- Provides two pages of additional reading, listening, and writing activities per unit, including dictation, grammar matching and writing, and fun wrap-up games or puzzles
- Activities are designed to reinforce key concepts learned in class
- Activities can be used in class, for homework, or for assessment


## Reproducible Midterm and Final Tests:

■ Tests assess students' vocabulary and reading comprehension

## Scope and Sequence

## Reading Table 1

| Unit | Title | Theme and Type of Reading | Vocabulary |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Olivia and Mr. Freeze | Weather/Fiction | arm, build, coat, mittens, snowman, sticks |
| 2 | Watermelon Snow | Weather/Nonfiction | high, looks, mountain, plants, tiny, watermelon |
| 3 | Weather Changes | Weather/Fiction | after, hurrying, lightning, storm, thunder |
| 4 | Going Up, Falling Down | Weather/Nonfiction | air, as, drops, heavy, move, wind |
| 5 | Who Is in the Kitchen? | Food/Fiction | closet, just, monster, refrigerator, sofa, strange |
| 6 | In the Dark? | Food/Nonfiction | blind, dark, restaurant, serves, tastes, waiter |
| 7 | Hungry Campers | Food/Fiction | bear, campfire, dangerous, fruit, pick, scared |
| 8 | Gorp | Food/Nonfiction | cereal, dried, energy, hike, peanut, raisins |
| 9 | What Is That? | Animals/Fiction | cute, empty, gray, mailbox, mailman, meow |
| 10 | A Very Special Dad | Animals/Nonfiction | eggs, emu, follow, hatch, less, morning |
| 11 | The Ice Cream Is Gone! | Animals/Fiction | carton, floor, ice cream, lick, spills, supermarket |
| 12 | Elephants Can Eat a Lot! | Animals/Nonfiction | bun, contest, could, hot dogs, only, team |
| 13 | Joe the Police Officer | Jobs/Fiction | brave, department store, police officer, son, way, worried |
| 14 | Park Rangers | Jobs/Nonfiction | female, male, men, ranger, visitors, women |
| 15 | The Doctor's Office | Jobs/Fiction | doctor, exercise, funny, office, problem, yoga |
| 16 | The Animal Doctor | Jobs/Nonfiction | cough, medicine, patient, sneeze, tiger, wild |
| 17 | The Young Pirate | Kids/Fiction | dirt, hook, meet, patch, pirate, shark |
| 18 | Around the World | Kids/Nonfiction | boat, map, person, travels, world, all the way |
| 19 | Where Are the Babies? | Kids/Fiction | babysits, crawl, hides, hope, someday, taking care of |
| 20 | Kazuya Knows Weather | Kids/Nonfiction | hard, learn, news, pass, weather, weatherman |

## Suggested Lesson Plan

## Reading Table 1

## Introduction:

- Teacher greets students; reviews previous units with related questions during attendance check. Questions at this level should be related to vocabulary.
- Teacher writes one word related to the current lesson and asks students what they think of when they see that word.
- Homework check: Teacher circulates around the room to ensure homework is complete and then reads answers aloud for students to check.


## Review:

- Have students complete the vocabulary quiz from the previous unit.
- If students have struggled with quizzes, then give quizzes from previous units again.

Pre-Reading:


## New Words:

- Teacher writes the new words on the board and asks students to close their books. - Teacher reads the words aloud and asks students to use the words in sentences.
- Teacher then has students open their books and guides students through the pictures of the new words to reinforce students' understanding.
- Teacher then asks students to work in pairs to fill in the blanks.
- Students then take turns reading the sentences aloud. -


## Warm-Up:

Step 1:
Option 1)

- Teacher shows students the Warm-Up picture from the first page of the unit. Teacher should cover the WarmUp questions with a piece of blank paper. Teacher gives students thirty seconds to think of words related to the picture. Then the students share their words and Teacher writes them on the board.
Option 2)
- Teacher shows students the Warm-Up picture (with Warm-Up questions covered) and asks students to work in pairs to create one sentence about the picture.
Step 2:
- Teacher has students open their books and look at the Warm-Up section. Teacher directs students to the questions and asks them one at a time. Teacher encourages students to write new words and/or ideas in the space next to the questions.


## Optional Activity

1) Teacher has students work in pairs to write sentences with the new words.
2) Teacher conducts a game-show style quiz featuring questions about the words.
3) Teacher writes the words on the board with one spelling error in each word, and then has students find the mistakes and write the corrections.

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## Reading:

- Teacher asks students to look at the picture and talk about what they see. If possible, have students cover the text with a piece of paper so they cannot see the words. Teacher ensures that the given answers stay on-topic and reflect what the students see in the picture.
- Teacher plays the audio CD and has students track the words and circle words in the passage they do not know. Teacher introduces the meanings of the words.
- Teacher asks simple comprehension questions that relate directly to the text. Questions should relate to the main idea, details, characters, cause, and effect.


## Optional Activity

1) Teacher reads the passage aloud, stopping every four to five words and having students say the next word.
2) Teacher assigns students to work in groups of three or four to read the passage aloud, with each student reading one word at a time.
Ex. It is cold outside. S1 - It , S2 - is, S3 - cold, S4 - outside.
3) Teacher asks students to create one question each about the passage and then take turns asking their questions to the class.

## Comprehension Checking:



## Checking:

- Teacher introduces the activity by having students close their books and first asking the questions orally, with students giving their own answers.
- Teacher asks students to open their books and has them answer the questions independently while walking around the room and checking to ensure students understand the questions.
- Teacher checks the answers with the students. This can be made into an interactive activity. Ex. Teacher: Who thinks the correct answer is A? Students raise their hands and agree on the correct response.


## Listening:

- Teacher asks students to brainstorm as many words as they can about what they see in the picture(s). Students work as a large group or in groups of three or four.
- Teacher plays the audio track, and students solve the problems.
- Teacher plays the audio track one more time so students can make self-corrections.
- Check the answers together as a class.
- If time permits, teacher has students look at the transcripts from the back of the book and read along as they listen again. Teacher chooses some key words for additional pronunciation practice.



## Consolidation

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## Summary

- Teacher asks students to independently brainstorm as many words as possible about the picture. This activity can be conducted as a quiz, with the teacher showing the picture to the class to check students' vocabulary comprehension and spelling.
- Teacher then asks students to complete the activity as an in-class quiz, using the main passage for reference as necessary.
- Teacher can set up a schedule so students can take turns as leaders in checking the activity.


## Closure:

## Homework:

- Teacher assigns homework from the corresponding workbook pages.


## Final Activity Ideas

1) Teacher assigns students to work in groups of three or four and has them put the words in alphabetical order.
2) Teacher tapes pieces of paper with the words around the classroom, and chooses students to pick a word and use it in a sentence.

## Test Overview

## Midterm Tests:

Midterm tests assess students' knowledge of vocabulary and reading structures from the first half of the book.

- Midterm tests should be assigned after students have completed units 1-10.
- Teacher circulates the room as the students are taking the test to see how easy or difficult the students are finding it.
- If students are performing well on the test, teacher can review the test together with the students.
- If students are performing poorly, teacher should assess where students need more work and re-teach and review key areas.
- For individual students who are struggling, extra homework can be assigned.
- Answers for all test questions can be found at the end of each test.

${ }^{\text {A A. Write the word below the picture. One word is extra. }}$
wind campfire watermelon mailbox waiter empty

1. 

B. Match the words that are the same.
6. scared e

- a. stone

7. home

- b. small

8. rock .

- c. house

9. tiny

- d. sound

10. noise e

- e. afraid

造C. Fill in the blanks. One word is extra.
with is hiking under less
11. She made the snowman's arms $\qquad$ sticks.
12. $\qquad$ up the mountain is good exercise.
13. Snow $\qquad$ made of water.
14. We go to school in $\qquad$ than a week.

15. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. hiking in the dark
b. making gorp
c. falling on rocks
d. camping on a mountain
16. They $\qquad$ know what it is like to be blind.
a. want
b. to want
c. want to
d. wants
17. What does Larry give them?
a. Sticks
b. Rocks
c. Gorp
d. Blind

## Unit 1-10

It is a sunny day.
Becky plays at the park.
She is hot.
She does not need a coat.
In less than five minutes, Becky hears a strange noise. It sounds like thunder.
She looks behind her.
The sky is black.
She sees lightning.
Heavy drops of rain fall.
She hurries home, but she is too slow.
She gets all wet because of the rain.

18. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. a snow storm
b. changing weather
c. playing at the park
d. making loud noises
19. Becky does not have $\qquad$ coat.
a. her
b. its
c. she
d. hers
20. Why is Becky wet?
a. Because of the lightning
b. Because of the thunder
c. Because of the rain
d. Because of the noise

## Reading Table 1

Term Test _Answer Key

Mid-term Test (Units 1-10)
A.

1. watermelon
2. wind
3. waiter
4. campfire
5. mailbox
B.
6.e
6. c
7. a
8. b
9. d
c.
10. with
11. Hiking
12. is
13. less
D.
14. a
15. c
16. c
17. b
18. a
19. c

## Test Overview

## Final Tests:

Final tests assess students' knowledge of vocabulary and reading structures from the entire book.

- Final tests should be assigned after students have completed units 120.
- Teacher circulates the room as the students are taking the test to see how easy or difficult the students are finding it.
- If students are struggling with the test, teacher should consider providing additional scoring options, such as a speaking test or a separate written test.
- For individual students who are struggling, extra homework can be assigned.
- Teacher should keep records of students' results to pass to the next teacher.
- Answers for all test questions can be found at the end of each test.

${ }_{4}$ A. Check (V) True or False.

1. Police officers help people.
2. All park rangers are men.
3. Yoga is a kind of exercise.
4. Some doctors take care of animals.
5. The test for weathermen is easy to pass.

B. Choose the right word.
6. She buys a (carton / office) of ice cream.
7. They are on the soccer (map/team).
8. The (month / patient) has a cold.
9. This test is (brave / hard).
10. The baby (spills / bites) his milk.
11. Fill in the blanks. One word is extra.
12. They_ often the because have to learn about

| 12. He is sick__ he storm from the news. |
| :--- |
| 13. We ate too many hot dogs. |
| 14. Sam_ plays at the park. |

## Final <br> Test <br> Unit 11-20

D. Read and answer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell travel all the way to a big park.
They see many wild animals.
A female ranger says some of the animals have problems.
An emu has a patch over its eye.
A tiger hurt its back.
The youngest elephant has a cold.
It sneezes and coughs.
The ranger has to babysit it.
Mr. and Mrs. Bell think it sounds like an interesting job!

15. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. sick animals
b. traveling around the world
c. a male and female ranger
d. how to watch young boys
16. The ranger $\qquad$ babysit the youngest elephant.
a. have
b. has
c. having
d. has to
17. What is wrong with the tiger?
a. It has a bad back.
b. It has a bad eye.
c. It has a cold.
d. It coughs a lot.

18. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. a dangerous storm
b. a boy who wants to be a weatherman
c. making maps of the world
d. a test that Noah gives his class
19. Not $\qquad$ people pass the test.
a. much
b. most
c. many
d. any
20. When does Noah have to take the test?
a. In about three years
b. In about three months
c. In about three days
d. In about three weeks

## Reading Table 1

Term Test _Answer Key

Final Test (Units 11-20)
A.

1. True
2. False
3. True
4. True
5. False
B.
6. carton
7. team
8. patient
9. hard
10. spills
C.
11. learn about
12. because
13. have to
14. often
D.
15. a
16. d
17. a
18. b
19. c
20. b


## Scope and Sequence

Reading Table 2

| Unit | Title | Theme and Type of Reading | Vocabulary |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Andy at School | School/Fiction | bell, breakfast, desk, face, late, pajamas |
| 2 | A Garden Classroom | School/Nonfiction | chef, grains, prepare, principal, teacher, wonderful |
| 3 | Ellie's Lunchbox | School/Fiction | arrive, bus, classroom, lunchbox, remember, wait |
| 4 | School Lunch or Lunchbox? | School/Nonfiction | anything, brings, chips, cookies, have to, rules |
| 5 | Paula's Piñata | Places/Fiction | candy, ground, handkerchief, over, piñata, stick |
| 6 | Desert Runners | Places/Nonfiction | amazing, countries, desert, dry, kilometers, movie |
| 7 | New Year's Day | Places/Fiction | dress up, envelope, festival, fireworks, lion, lucky |
| 8 | Soccer Tennis | Places/Nonfiction | between, kicks, net, players, point, skills |
| 9 | Summer Camp | Learning/Fiction | camp, go sailing, last, misses, phone, stay |
| 10 | Flight Camp | Learning/Nonfiction | adventure, flight, license, plane, pilot, trains |
| 11 | A Kids' Supermarket | Learning/Fiction | beans, milk, cans, full, real, shopping cart |
| 12 | Do It to Learn It | Learning/Nonfiction | half, information, lesson, next, thinks, well |
| 13 | The Crowded Bus | Manners/Fiction | bag, carry, few, later, seats, stop |
| 14 | Should I? | Manners/Nonfiction | dish, menus, parents, ready, spaghetti, until |
| 15 | Be Polite! | Manners/Fiction | delicious, manners, meal, polite, quietly, slowly |
| 16 | The Polite Bear | Manners/Nonfiction | answers, anymore, forest, however, leave, though |
| 17 | Krista's New Kite | Hobbies/Fiction | branches, climbs, colorful, kite, stuck, suddenly |
| 18 | Josef and the Dinosaur Tooth | Hobbies/Nonfiction | beside, bone, dinosaurs, museum, picture, trip |
| 19 | A Friend in Brazil | Hobbies/Fiction | beef, December, February, letter, twice, pen pals |
| 20 | Collecting Stamps | Hobbies/Nonfiction | email, of course, past, popular, relatives, stamp |

## Suggested Lesson Plan

## Reading Table 2

## Introduction:

- Teacher greets students at the door, asking each student one question about a previous lesson before they go their seats.
- Teacher gives each student a piece of paper with one word related to the current lesson and has them read the words aloud once they are all seated. Teacher then asks what they think the unit will be about.
- Homework check: Teacher circulates around the room to ensure homework is complete and then reads answers aloud for students to check.


## Review:

- Teacher assigns students a unit, gives each student a piece of paper, and asks students to write five words related to the unit.
Ex. Teacher: Open your books to unit 2. You have one minute to review the unit. Now, please write five words related to the unit.
Teacher collects the papers and checks students' comprehension and spelling.


## Pre-Reading:

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## Warm-Up:

## Step 1:

Option 1)

- Teacher shows students the Warm-Up picture from the first page of the unit. Teacher covers the picture with the paper. Teacher asks students to write two sentences about the picture.
- Students take turns reading their sentences.

Option 2)

- Teacher has students work in pairs to brainstorm as many words as possible about the picture in two minutes. The team with the most unique words gets to move their seats!


## Step 2:

- Teacher has students open their books and look at the Warm-Up section. Teacher directs students to the questions and asks them one at a time.
- Teacher encourages students to write their own answers in the space in the Warm-Up section.


## New Words:

- Teacher says the new words aloud and has students write them in their notebooks as a pre-test.
-Teacher then writes the words on the board so students can check their own spelling.
- Teacher then has students open their books and guides students through the pictures of the new words to reinforce students' understanding.
- Teacher then asks students to fill in the blanks. Students then take turns reading their sentences aloud.


## Optional Activity

1) Teacher has students write sentences with the new words.
2) Teacher gives simple meanings of the words and has students guess the correct word. Ex. Teacher: What is the meal we eat in the morning? Students: Breakfast.
3) Teacher has students write a short story consisting of four sentences with three of the new words. Ex. I woke up late. I didn't eat breakfast. I ran to school. The bell rang before I was in my class.

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## Reading:

- Teacher plays the audio CD and has students listen to the passage.
- Teacher then has students open their books and talk about what they see in the picture.
- Teacher plays the audio CD again and has students listen to the passage and circle any words they do not know. Teacher then reviews with the students.
- Teacher asks simple comprehension questions that relate directly to the text. Questions should relate to the main idea, details, characters, and cause and effect.
- Teacher plays the audio CD a third time and has students read aloud with the CD.


## Optional Activity

1) Teacher reads the passage aloud, stopping every two to three words and having students say the next word.
2) Teacher assigns students to work in groups of two or three to read the passage aloud, with each student reading one word at a time.
Ex. Andy always wakes up late. S1 - Andy, S2 - always, S3 -wakes, S1 - up, S2 - late
3) Teacher assigns different voices to students and has them read parts of the passage aloud.
Ex. Happy voice, quiet voice, mean voice, baby voice

## Comprehension Checking:

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## Checking

choose the best answer
. What is the reading about? a. A boy in pajamas
c. A boy and his friends C. A boy and his frienos The boy gets to school a. tot quickly

Why did Andy wear pajamas to school
Why did Andy wear pjamams to school?
a. It was Pajama Oy b. He likes to be funny

Listening
Asten.Circle the words you hear. 8

1. From her face, it looks like she (got up /woke up) Iate.
2. There is a (bell on the clock / clock on the desk). 3. The girl (has on/lis wearing) her pajamas.

## Checking:

- Teacher introduces the activity by having students close their books and first asking the questions orally, with students giving their own answers.
- Teacher asks students to open their books and has them answer the questions independently while walking around the room and checking to ensure students understand the questions.
- Teacher checks the answers with the students.
- This section can be extended by having students explain why the incorrect answer choices are incorrect.


## Listening:

- Teacher asks students to write one sentence about what they see in the picture.
- Teacher selects students to read their sentences aloud.
- Teacher plays the audio track, and students solve the problems.
- Teacher plays the audio track one more time so students can make self-corrections.
- Check the answers together as a class.
- If time permits, teacher has students look at the transcripts from the back of the book and read along as they listen again. Teacher chooses some key words for additional pronunciation practice.



## Consolidation

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## Vocabulary Review:

- Teacher explains the vocabulary review to the students and gives them a short time limit (3-4 minutes) to complete the activity.
- Teacher leads students in checking the answers together. Variations on checking the activity include having students take turns writing the answers on the board, having students spell words aloud, and having students create sentences with the key vocabulary words.



## Summary

- Teacher asks students to write a short, four-sentence story about the picture.
- Teacher then asks students to complete the activity as an in-class quiz, using the main passage for reference as necessary.
- Teacher then writes the sentences on the board in scrambled order and has students put them in the correct order.


## Closure:

## Homework:

- Teacher assigns homework from the corresponding workbook pages.


## Final Activity Ideas

1) Teacher writes the vocabulary words on the board and has students work in groups to make stories on the spot.
2) Teacher asks students their opinions on the story.

## Test Overview

## Midterm Tests:

Midterm tests assess students' knowledge of vocabulary and reading structures from the first half of the book.

- Midterm tests should be assigned after students have completed units 1-10.
- Teacher circulates the room as the students are taking the test to see how easy or difficult the students are finding it.
- If students are performing well on the test, teacher can review the test together with the students.
- If students are performing poorly, teacher should assess where students need more work and re-teach and review key areas.
- For individual students who are struggling, extra homework can be assigned.
- Answers for all test questions can be found at the end of each test.

fa. Check (V) True or False.

1. A chef prepares food.
2. Piñatas are made of paper.
3. Everyone in Africa has clean water.
4. People in China think green is a lucky color.
5. In soccer tennis, players throw the ball with their hands.

B. Match the words that are the opposite.
6. better -

- a. fix

7. teach o

- b. learn

8. follow .

- c. worse

9. put up .

- d. take down

10. break .

- e. lead
C. Fill in the blanks. One word is extra.
i when says and up them I

11. She $\qquad$ she wants to go camping.
12. He picked $\qquad$ the bone.
13. $\qquad$ is your birthday?
14. We took a picture of $\qquad$ .

## Units 1-10

D. Read and answer.

Ken's class is going to the desert.
The principal gives them rules to follow.
There is a lot of sand.
The wind blows the sand.
They should bring handkerchiefs to put over their faces.
They will walk three kilometers, so they should wear boots.
They should bring a lot of water.
Last, they should stay together.
They do not want to get lost in the hot and dry desert!
15. This reading is about $\qquad$ -.
a. what to do if you get lost
b. how to make clean water
c. rules to follow in the desert
d. a principal's adventure
16. The principal tells $\qquad$ what to bring.
a. them
b. they
c. their
d. there
17. How far will Ken's class walk?
a. One kilometer
b. Two kilometers
c. Three kilometers
d. Across the desert

18. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. soccer
b. a sailing adventure
c. the girl's family
d. summer camp
19. Ella $\qquad$ she does not miss her family.
a. say
b. says
c. saying
d. to say
20. What game does she play?
a. Soccer
b. Tennis
c. Soccer tennis
d. Camping

## Reading Table 2

Term Test _Answer Key

## Mid-term Test (Units 1-10)

A.

1. True
2. True
3. False
4. False
5. False
B.
6. c
7. b
8. e
9. d
10. a
c.
11. says
12. up
13. When
14. them
D.
15. c
16. a
17. c
18. d
19. b
20. c

## Test Overview

## Final Tests:

## Final tests assess students' knowledge of vocabulary and reading structures from the entire book.

- Final tests should be assigned after students have completed units 120.
- Teacher circulates the room as the students are taking the test to see how easy or difficult the students are finding it.
- If students are struggling with the test, teacher should consider providing additional scoring options, such as a speaking test or a separate written test.
- For individual students who are struggling, extra homework can be assigned.
- Teacher should keep records of students' results to pass to the next teacher.
- Answers for all test questions can be found at the end of each test.

${ }^{\text {A A. Write the word below the picture. One word is extra. }}$

B. What is the odd word? Circle it.

| 6. stamp | letter | mail | uniform | pen pal |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 7. museum | supermarket | school | beach | restaurant |
| 8. Croatia | Brazil | Dinosaur | Canada | Korea |
| 9. relative | popular | mother | father | son |
| 10. principal | chef | waiter | pilot | kite |

圆C. Fill in the blanks. One word is extra.
| are looks for few before though |
11. The movie is long. He enjoys it, $\qquad$ .
12. They $\qquad$ not dinosaur bones.
13. He $\qquad$ his parents in the crowded store.
14. $\qquad$ people say rainbows are not beautiful.

## Units 11-20

D. Read and answer.

Stuart wants to make a meal for his relatives. He decides to make his favorite dish. He goes to the supermarket. He takes the bus. He gets off at the last stop. He puts cans of beans and vegetables in the shopping cart. He gets milk, grains, and fruit.
The shopping cart is full. He counts his money.
The food fills four bags.
How will he carry them home?

15. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. making spaghetti
b. shopping in a supermarket
c. counting money
d. being polite on the bus
16. The cans $\qquad$ beans are in the shopping cart.
a. though
b. how
c. of
d. to
17. What is Stuart's problem?
a. He has too many bags to carry.
b. He doesn't know how to cook.
c. He doesn't have enough money.
d. He took the wrong bus.

Final
Test

## Units 11-20

The classroom is crowded.
Molly is ready for the lesson.
She sits quietly in her seat.
The teacher begins.
Half of the students keep talking.
Molly thinks they have bad manners.
The teacher gives a lot of information for the test.
Molly listens carefully.


She will do well on the test.
The other students cannot hear the teacher. $\qquad$
They will not do well.
It is always good to be polite!
18. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. being funny
b. being smart
c. being polite
d. being on time
19. Some students talk. $\qquad$ Molly listens carefully.
a. However
b. Later
c. Next
d. Suddenly
20. Why does Molly think the students have bad manners?
a. They talk during the lesson.
b. They do not understand the lesson.
c. They sat in Molly's seat.
d. They listen quietly to the teacher.

## Reading Table 2

Term Test _Answer Key

Final Test (Units 11-20)
A.

1. seats
2. stuck
3. bone
4. half
5. meal
B.
6. uniform
7. beach
8. Dinosaur
9. popular
10. kite
C.
11. though
12. are
13. looks for
14. Few
D.
15. b
16. c
17. a
18. c
19. a
20. a


## Teacher's Guide

## Scope and Sequence

Reading Table 3

| Unit | Title | Theme and Type of Reading | Vocabulary |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Happy Birthday, Grandmother! | Music/Fiction | agree, gift, guitar, seventy, simple, sounds |
| 2 | Online Guitar Lessons | Music/Nonfiction | certain, course, nervous, online, reason, tutor |
| 3 | The Piano Concert | Music/Fiction | audience, concert, front, piano, stage |
| 4 | Music in the City | Music/Nonfiction | become, city, musicians, person, sign, since |
| 5 | Greg and Emily's Chores | Chores/Fiction | carpet, chores, dishes, finished, mopping, vacuum |
| 6 | Can You Do It? | Chores /Nonfiction | laundry, mows, put away, take out, trash, yard |
| 7 | The Muddy Dog | Chores/Fiction | chair, everything, mud, puddle, window, wipe |
| 8 | Elephant Car Wash | Chores/Nonfiction | extra, pays, scrub, sponge, sprays, trunk |
| 9 | Sandy the Hairdresser | Trouble/Fiction | doll, dyed, haircut, hairdresser, scissors, side |
| 10 | No Long Hair Allowed | Trouble/Nonfiction | cancer, donate, examples, plans, wig, would |
| 11 | A Big Snowball | Trouble/Fiction | shoulder, snowball, someone, sorry, throw, turn |
| 12 | The Snow Woman | Trouble/Nonfiction | art, bikinis, looks like, most of, sculpture, trouble |
| 13 | Julie's Picnic | Free Time/Fiction | basket, dessert, minutes, nap, pie, sandwich |
| 14 | A Castle on the Beach | Free Time/Nonfiction | build, exactly, meter, queen, recently, sandcastle |
| 15 | Ed's Family Camps | Free Time/Fiction | canyon, deer, huge, interesting, through, volcano |
| 16 | Going to Zoos | Free Time/Nonfiction | hotel, drive, find out, newspaper, thousand, week |
| 17 | Albert's Alien Friend | The Future/Fiction | aliens, astronaut, invite, planet, runs away, welcome |
| 18 | A Crash in Roswell | The Future/Nonfiction | army, believe, crashed, field, metal, ship |
| 19 | The Robot Scientist | The Future/Fiction | girlfriend, glass, kiss, laboratory, robot, scientist |
| 20 | A Helpful Robot | The Future/Nonfiction | cook, gentle, humans, pan, toaster, unique |

## Suggested Lesson Plan

## Reading Table 3

## Introduction:

- Teacher writes a question of the day related to a previous unit on the board. As students come in, they think about the question. Teacher then takes attendance by asking everyone the question of the day.
- Homework check: Teacher circulates around the room to ensure homework is complete and then reads answers aloud for students to check.


## Review:

- Teacher writes a prompt related to a previous unit on the board, distributes paper, and gives students two minutes to write five sentences responding to the prompt.


## Pre-Reading:



## New Words:

- Teacher says the new words aloud and has students write them in their notebooks as a pre-test.
- Teacher then writes the words on the board so students can check their own spelling.
- Teacher then has students open their books and guides students through the pictures of the new words to reinforce students' understanding.
- Teacher then asks students to fill in the blanks.
- Students then take turns reading their sentences aloud.


## Optional Activity

1) Teacher has students write sentences with the new words.
2) Teacher gives students the words and has them come up with simple definitions.
Ex. Gift Meaning: Something we get on special occasions, like a birthday.
3) Teacher has students write a short story consisting of six sentences with four of the new words. Ex. It's my grandpa's birthday. He's turning seventy. My brother and I agree to sing him a song. I will play guitar. My brother will sing. Our song will be simple.


## Reading:

- Teacher plays the audio CD and has students listen to the passage.
- Teacher then has students open their books and talk about what they see in the picture.
- Teacher extends the activity by asking students to write up to five sentences about the picture.
- Teacher plays the audio CD again and has students listen to the passage and circle any words they do not know. Teacher then reviews with the students.
- Teacher asks simple comprehension questions that relate directly to the text. Questions should relate to the main idea, details, characters, cause, and effect.
- Teacher plays the audio CD a third time and has students read aloud with the CD.


## Optional Activity

1) Teacher reads the passage aloud, stopping every two to three words and having students say the next word.
2) Teacher assigns students to work in groups of two or three to read the passage aloud, with each student reading one word at a time.
Ex. Andy always wakes up late. S1 - Andy, S2 - always, S3 -wakes, S1 - up, S2 - late
3) Teacher assigns different voices to students and has them read parts of the passage aloud. Ex. Happy voice, quiet voice, mean voice, baby voice

## Comprehension Checking:



1. What is the reading about? a. Luke's favorite s
2. Luke plays the guitar, but
a. he does not have a teacher b. he wants a new one
c. he wants to play the drums d. he does not play well
3. What does John do?
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { a. He shows Luke how to play. } & \text { b. He gives Luke a gift. } \\ \text { c. He uses Luke's guitar. }\end{array}$

Listening
Aten. Circle the words you hear.
The girl is playing a (guitar / song).
The people listening (don't like / hate)
The people liste
how it sounds.
They both (agree / think) the music is not good.

## Checking:

- Teacher introduces the activity by having students close their books and first asking the questions orally, with students giving their own answers.
- Teacher asks students to open their books and has them answer the questions independently, while walking around the room and checking to ensure students understand the questions.
- Teacher checks the answers with the students.
- This section can be extended by having students explain why the incorrect answer choices are incorrect.


## Listening:

- Teacher asks students to write one sentence about what they see in the picture. Teacher selects students to read their sentences aloud.
- Teacher plays the audio track, and students solve the problems.
- Teacher plays the audio track one more time so students can make self-corrections.
- Check the answers together as a class.
- If time permits, teacher has students look at the transcripts from the back of the book and read along as they listen again. Teacher chooses some key words for additional pronunciation practice.



## Mapping:

- Teacher introduces the activity and has students work in pairs or individually to complete it.
- Class checks the answers together.
- Teacher reads the main passage aloud and has students underline sentences related to the mapping activity.


## Consolidation

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## Summary

- Teacher asks students to write a five-sentence story about the picture.
- Teacher then asks students to complete the activity as an in-class quiz, using the main passage for reference as necessary.
- Teacher then writes the sentences on the board in scrambled order and has students put them in the correct order.


## Closure:

## Homework:

- Teacher assigns homework from the corresponding workbook pages.


## Final Activity Ideas

1) Teacher has students create their own summaries.
2) Teacher has students create chants based on the stories.

## Test Overview

## Midterm Tests:

Midterm tests assess students' knowledge of vocabulary and reading structures from the first half of the book.

- Midterm tests should be assigned after students have completed units 1-10.
- Teacher circulates the room as the students are taking the test to see how easy or difficult the students are finding it.
- If students are performing well on the tests, teacher can review the test together with the students.
- If students are performing poorly, teacher should assess where students need more work and re-teach and review key areas.
- For individual students who are struggling, extra homework can be assigned.
- Answers for all test questions can be found at the end of each test.

A. Write the word below the picture. One word is extra.
trash nervous sponge chores tutor whisper
B. Check ( $V$ ) True or False.

6. Some people with cancer lose their hair.
7. Hairdressers cut and dye hair.
8. Sponges are used to vacuum carpets.
9. There are pianos on streets in some cities.
10. Young kids cannot do chores.


象c. Fill in the blanks. One word is extra.
well any but keep out
11. You can play the piano $\qquad$ time.
12. Please take $\qquad$ the trash before you go to school.
13. He draws pictures very $\qquad$ -
14.1 $\qquad$ forgetting your name.

## Units 1-10

D. Read and answer.

Ben wanted to be a musician.
He thought taking a piano course would be good for him.
His mom agreed.
On the first day of class, there were seventy students.
The teacher said they would play at a concert on the last day of class.
They would play in front of an audience.
Many students were very nervous about that.
They did not want to be alone on a stage.
Some students quit the class
Ben was nervous, but he got a tutor to help him.
On the day of the concert, Ben played very well.
He was proud of himself for finishing the course.

15. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. playing the guitar
b. a piano course
c. meeting a famous musician
d. going to a concert
16. Ben was nervous, $\qquad$ he did not quit.
a. so
b. because
c. since
d. but
17. Why did some students quit?
a. They were lazy.
b. They were too busy.
c. They were scared.
d. They did not like the teacher.

18. This reading is about $\qquad$ -.
a. making a car dirty
b. cleaning a car
c. doing a boring chore
d. falling in mud
19. Dave $\qquad$ want to wash his car by himself.
a. did
b. did not
c. does
d. doing
20. How much money did Dave donate?
a. Five dollars
b. Ten dollars
c. Twenty dollars
d. Thirty dollars

## Reading Table 3

Term Test _Answer Key

## Mid-term Test (Units 1-10)

A.

1. tutor
2. sponge
3. chores
4. nervous
5. trash
B.
6. True
7. True
8. False
9. True
10. False
c.
11. any
12. out
13. well
14. keep
D.
15. b
16. d
17. c
18. b
19. b
20. c

## Test Overview

## Final Tests:

## Final tests assess students' knowledge of vocabulary and reading structures from the entire book.

- Final tests should be assigned after students have completed units 120.
- Teacher circulates the room as the students are taking the test to see how easy or difficult the students are finding it.
- If students are struggling with the test, teacher should consider providing additional scoring options, such as a speaking test or a separate written test.
- For individual students who are struggling, extra homework can be assigned.
- Teacher should keep records of students' results to pass to the next teacher.
- Answers for all test questions can be found at the end of each test.

A. Choose the right word.

1. She wanted to be the (alien / queen) of the castle.
2. We put bread in the (field / toaster) to make it hot.
3. The scientist worked in the (laboratory / meter) all night.
4. My dad reads the (newspaper / shoulder) every morning at breakfast.
5. The (army / art) works hard to keep people safe.
B. What is the odd word? Circle it.

| 6. | pan | toaster | pot | dish |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | deer

晑 C. Fill in the blanks. One word is extra.
if plans hurt saw could be
11. The baseball player $\qquad$ his shoulder.
12. Jane $\qquad$ be the fastest girl in her school.
13. She $\qquad$ to have a party for her sixteenth birthday.
14. Don't $\qquad$ angry if you lose the game.

## Units 11-20

D. Read and answer.

One winter day, Bill and Phil went outside to play.
They made a snow fort in the yard.
Then they made huge snowballs.
They hid inside the fort and threw the snowballs at people walking by.
When their dad saw them, they got in trouble.
He said someone could get hurt.
They did not believe him.
They kept throwing the snowballs.
They hit a kid on his shoulder, and he ran away.
The boy returned with five friends.
It was their turn to throw snowballs at Bill and Phil.
The boys chased Bill and Phil through a field.
Bill and Phil were sorry they did not listen to their dad!
15. This reading is about $\qquad$ .
a. kids who cause trouble
b. how to make a snow fort
c. a winter sport
d. how to throw a ball
16. After Bill and Phil $\qquad$ one boy, that boy went to get his friends.
a. hits
b. hitting
c. to hit
d. hit
17. Why did Bill and Phil get in trouble?
a. Because it is not nice to throw snowballs at strangers
b. Because it was too cold to play outside
c. Because they were fighting
d. Because they did not tell their dad where they were

## Final

Test

## Units 11-20

Early one morning, Anne was in the kitchen.
She was making breakfast for her family.
She put eggs in a pan and bread in the toaster.
Suddenly, she heard a loud sound outside.
She looked out the window and saw a metal object in the yard.
She thought it fell out of a tree or off a truck.
She went to see if anyone was hurt.
When she got to the object, she found out it was a UFO.
She looked around the ship for aliens, but she did not see any
She went back to the house to tell her family.
They did not believe her.
To make things worse, the breakfast was burnt!

18. This reading is about $\qquad$ -.
a. finding a UFO
b. visiting an alien
c. making a robot
d. crashing a truck
19. No one believed that Anne $\qquad$ a UFO.
a. see
b. seeing
c. seen
d. saw
20. What was Anne doing when she heard the crash?
a. Talking on the phone
b. Making breakfast
c. Washing the dishes
d. Reading the newspaper

## Reading Table 3

Term Test _Answer Key

Final Test (Units 11-20)
A.

1. queen
2. toaster
3. laboratory
4. newspaper
5. army
B.
6. deer
7. sculpture
8. cancer
9. robot
10. sandcastle
c.
11. hurt
12. could
13. plans
14. be
D.
15. a
16. d
17. a
18. a
19. d
20. b

## Optional Activities

## Vocabulary:

- Teacher has students create their own dictionary in a notebook. They create definitions as a group, and students write their own example sentences.
- Students create their own running story every two to three units featuring key vocabulary.
- Students create their own study cards with the word on one side of the card, and their own example sentence on the other side.

Reading Fluency:

- Teacher records students as they read the story aloud. An audio portfolio can be provided to the students at the end of the semester.
- Advanced students can be encouraged to create chants or songs based on the reading passages and present their chants or songs after several classes of practice.
- Students create their own "Reader's Theater" based on the passages.


## Comprehension Plus:

- Teacher has students create their own questions based on the reading. Teacher then takes some of these questions and creates a class quiz based on them.
- Teacher assigns graphic organizers to the students. Students fill them in based on the reading.
- Teacher has students create "next chapters" based on the fiction passages.


## Extension:

- Each week, several students read the passage aloud and are assessed on pronunciation and fluency. Repeat throughout the semester so students have a record of improvement.
- Students create poems based on the passages.


## Pacing Suggestion

The following is a pacing suggestion for a 28-week program:

| Week | Class 1 | Class 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unit 1, pages 7-8 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 1, pages 9-10 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 2 | Unit 2, pages 11-12 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 2, pages 13-14 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 3 | Unit 3, pages 15-16 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 3, pages 17-18 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 4 | Unit 4, pages 19-20 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 4, pages 21-22 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 5 | Review using additional activities, optional activities, song creation, chant <br> creation, vocabulary quizzes, etc. |  |
| 6 | Unit 5, pages 23-24 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 5, pages 25-26 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 7 | Unit 6, pages 27-28 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 6, pages 29-30 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 8 | Unit 7, pages 31-32 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 7, pages 33-34 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 9 | Unit 8, pages 35-36 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 8, pages 37-38 <br> (1 page WB homework) |
| 10 | Review using additional activities, optional activities, song creation, chant <br> creation, vocabulary quizzes, etc. |  |
| 11 | Unit 9, pages 41-42 <br> (1 page WB homework) |  |
| Unit 9, pages 39-40 |  |  |
| 12 page WB homework) | Unit 10, pages 45-46 <br> (1 page WB homework) |  |
| (1 page WB homework) | Midterm Test | Midterm test review and related |
| practice |  |  |$|$


| 14 | Unit 11, pages 47-48 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 11, pages 49-50 (1 page WB homework) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 15 | Unit 12, pages 51-52 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 12, pages 53-54 (1 page WB homework) |
| 16 | Unit 13, pages 55-56 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 13, pages 57-58 (1 page WB homework) |
| 17 | Unit 14, pages 59-60 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 14, pages 61-62 (1 page WB homework) |
| 18 | Review using additional activities, optional activities, song creation, chant creation, vocabulary quizzes, etc. |  |
| 19 | Unit 15, pages 63,-64 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 15, pages 65-66 (1 page WB homework) |
| 20 | Unit 16, pages 67-68 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 116, pages 69-70 (1 page WB homework) |
| 21 | Unit 17, pages 71,-72 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 7, pages 73-74 (1 page WB homework) |
| 22 | Unit 18, pages 75-76 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 18, pages 77-78 (1 page WB homework) |
| 23 | Review using additional activities, optional activities, song creation, chant creation, vocabulary quizzes, etc. |  |
| 24 | Unit 19, pages 79-80 <br> (1 page WB homework) | Unit 19, pages 81-82 (1page WB homework) |
| 25 | Unit 20 pages 83-84 (1 page WB homework) | Unit 20, pages 83-84 (1 page WB homework) |
| 26 | Review using additional activities, optional activities, song creation, chant creation, vocabulary quizzes, etc. focusing on Units 1-10 <br> **Complete reading fluency assessments |  |
| 27 | Review using additional activities, optional activities, song creation, chant creation, vocabulary quizzes, etc. focusing on Units 11-20 <br> **Complete reading fluency assessments |  |
| 28 | Final Test | al test review and wrap-up |

