

***Phonics First*[®] Materials Preparation**

Classroom Instruction (K-3)

The non-consumable materials are used for whole class and small group instruction. Consumable materials need to be copied during the year based on changing skill needs as lessons progress.

- *Italicized document titles* are in our Members Area.
- Additional supplies to have on hand when preparing materials: paper cutter, scissors, glue, glue sticks.

GRADE K

Non-Consumables; all color copies unless specified

Laminated

Reusable items used by individual students

- 1 per student *Key Word Alphabet Chart One Page (Layer One)*

Reusable items used for group instruction

- 1 Set *Vowel Pictures Posters* (5 short vowels)
- 1 copy *Picture This Sentence Reminder Poster*
- 1 copy each *B-Bat Poster, D-Drum Poster; C-Cat Poster*

Unlaminated

Reusable items used by individual students (and one extra for the teacher)

- 1 set/student *Vowel Pictures* (to make vowel intensive sticks)
 - Each of 5 vowels is folded over a large popsicle stick

These are most effectively used in small groups (up to 6) but may be used whole group if desired.

- 7 sets The following items will be placed together in a page protector:
 - *Tap Mat* (use with wipe-off marker.)
 - Three manipulatives (pennies, chips, etc.) for the G, Y, R circles
 - *Tap Mat Letter Tiles* (7 sets per page – print two copies; cut tiles sets)*
 - *Mini Mats* (8 mats per page – print one copy; cut into individual mats)*
 - *Place one tile set, three manipulatives and one mini mat in small Ziplock behind the Tap Mat
- 7 pages *Fingertapping Paper Right Handers*
 - Place in page protectors and use with wipe-off marker
- 4 pages *Fingertapping Paper Left Handers*
 - Place in page protectors and use with wipe-off marker

Optional

- 1 set Laminated: *Key Word Pictures Posters Layer One* (display in classroom; 31 pages)
- 7 copies Unlaminated: *House Paper* (Beginning letter formation practice page/sm. group)
 - Place in page protectors and use with wipe-off marker)

Additional Materials Needed

- Popsicle sticks (5 per student)
- 18 Clear Page Protectors*

* Does not include the optional items.

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GRADES 1-3

Non-Consumables; all color copies unless specified

Additional Materials Needed*

- Popsicle sticks (5 per student)
- * Does not include page protectors for the optional items.

Laminated

Reusable items used by individual students (and one extra for the teacher)

- 12 copies *Fingertapping Hand for Right Handers* (There are two per page for 24 hands)*
 - 6 copies *Fingertapping Hand for Left Handers* (There are two per page for 12 hands)*
- *Optional for Grade 3 students

Reusable items used for group instruction

- 1 Set *Vowel Pictures Posters* (5 short vowels)
- 1 copy *Picture This Sentence Reminder Poster*
- 1 copy each *B-Bat Poster, D-Drum Poster; C-Cat Poster, K-Kite Poster*

Unlaminated

Reusable items used by individual students (and one extra for the teacher)

- 25 sets *Vowel Pictures* (to make vowel intensive sticks)
 - Each of 5 vowels is folded over a large popsicle stick

Optional

- 1 set Laminated: *Key Word Pictures Posters Layer One* (display in classroom; 31 pages)
- As needed *Key Word Alphabet Chart One Page (Layer One)*
- As needed *Fingertapping Paper Right Handers*
 - Place in page protectors and use with wipe-off marker
- As needed *Fingertapping Paper Left Handers*
 - Place in page protectors and use with wipe-off marker
- As needed Unlaminated: *House Paper* (Beginning letter formation practice page)
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CONSUMABLES BASED ON LESSON VARIABLES

These items are used based on where a group or student's skills and needs are at various times during the year. All copies are black and white. Print these items when needed throughout the year.

Lesson Plans (Layer One, Layer Two, Layer Three, Layer Four)

- Teachers typically use these as they are learning to teach the lesson plans. The *Curriculum Guide* is an abbreviated version of the Lesson Plan form and once teachers are familiar with it, they do not need Lesson Plan forms unless they prefer to have them.

Phoneme-Grapheme Chart by Layer (Layer One, Layer Two, Layer Three, Layer Four)

- 1 per group based on specific Layer of instruction. As the group moves to the next layer, print the new chart.

Red Word Worksheets (Layer One, Layer Two, Layer Three, Layer Four)

- Pre-printed Red Words (with gray words for tracing)
- Used for Grades K-1 (Grade 1 teachers may opt to change to Red Words strips once students become familiar with the Red Word steps and process)
- Teachers only print Red Words they will teach based on Red Word Assessment (part of the *Phonics First® Diagnostic Assessment*)

Red Word Strips (Layer One, Layer Two, Layer Three, Layer Four)

- Pre-printed Red Words (with gray words for tracing)
- Used for Grades 2+
- Teachers only print Red Words they will teach based on Red Word Assessment (part of the *Phonics First® Diagnostic Assessment*)

The following two items are not in the Members Area.

Each are included in the implementation kit if purchased for the course. Each may also be purchased in the Brainspring store at Brainspring.com.

Oral Reading Stories: Stories correlate with each lesson in Layers 1-4

- Layer One comes in two formats: multipage mini books and one-page paragraph format
- Layers 2-4 all come as single page stories only
- Tier III K students typically are not ready to read Layer One stories

Syllabication Activity Sheets

These activities are for students in Grades 2+ in Layers 2-4 (Optional for some Grade 1 students).

- Students must work from these pre-printed copies rather than copying each word as they work. (Errors in student copying of these unfamiliar multisyllabic words will negate the activity.)

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Small Group Lessons (K-5)

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GRADES K-1

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Reusable items used by individual students (and one extra for the teacher)

- 4 copies *Fingertapping Hand for Right Handers* (There are two per page for 8 hands)
- 2 copies *Fingertapping Hand for Left Handers* (There are two per page for 4 hands)
- 7 copies *Key Word Alphabet Chart One Page (Layer One)*

Reusable items used for group instruction

- 1 Set *Vowel Pictures Posters* (5 short vowels)
- 1 copy *Picture This Sentence Reminder Poster*
- 1 copy each *B-Bat Poster, D-Drum Poster; C-Cat Poster, K-Kite Poster*

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Additional Materials Needed

- 35 popsicle sticks
- 18 Clear Page Protectors*

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Small Group Lessons

GRADES 2-5

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Additional Materials Needed*

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