

Lexia® PowerUp® Literacy Scope and Sequence

Lexia® PowerUp® Literacy accelerates literacy gains for secondary aged students in who are at risk of not meeting their full potential. Designed for today's adolescent learner, students receive personalised placement and instruction in **Word Study**, **Grammar**, and **Comprehension** skills.



Word Study

Zor & Le		Syllables, Letter Patterns & Sounds 1	Spelling 1	Fluency & Comprehension 1	Syllables, Letter Patterns & Sounds 2	Spelling 2	Fluency & Comprehension 2
	1	Syllable Segmentation Blending Syllables Beginning & Ending Sounds Consonants (p/b, f/v, t/d, k/g, s/z) Short Vowels (a, i, o) Word Completion (a, i, o) Sound Segmentation	Word Chains (CVC) Spelling Syllables	Listening Comprehension Blending Sounds Phrase Comprehension Sentence Division	Consonants (m/n, 1/r, y/w, k/g, h/w) Short Vowels (e, u) Short Vowel Automaticity Consonant Digraphs Word Completion (all vowels)	Two Letter Blends Word Chains (CVC, CCVC) Spelling Syllables	Listening Comprehension Phrase Comprehension Sentence Division
	2	Closed Syllables Blending Syllables & Schwa Short Vowel Automaticity Consonants (j. qu, x) Sound Segmentation Two Letter Blends	Word Chains (CCVC, CVCC) Ordering (Three Syllables) Spelling Syllables	Listening Comprehension Phrase Comprehension Prosody & Punctuation	Short Vowel Automaticity Three Letter Blends Nasals Ordering (Three Syllables)	Word Chains (CCVC, CVCC, CCVCC) Ordering (Three Syllables) Spelling Syllables	Listening Comprehension Phrase Comprehension Prosody & Punctuation
	3	Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning	Fluency Challenge 1	Spelling Patterns	Fluency Challenge 2	Sentence Completion	Fluency Challenge 3
FOUNDATIONAL (YI-Y3)		Closed Syllable Words (a, i) Short Vowel Automaticity (a, i) Syllable Division (VCCV) Counting Syllables $(i, 2, 3)$ Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 1) Sentence Comprehension High-Frequency Word Spelling	Consonant Blends FLSZ Rule Short Vowel Words (a, i)	High-Frequency Words (Set 2) Sentence Comprehension High-Frequency Word Spelling	Two Syllable Words (a, i) Closed Syllables	High-Frequency Words (Set 3) Passage Comprehension High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	4	Closed Syllable Words (o, u) Short Vowel Automaticity (o, u) Consonant Digraphs Suffixes (-s, -es, -ing, -ed) Syllable Division (VCCV) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 4) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Consonant Digraphs FLSZ Rule Final tch, ck, dge Short Vowel Words (o, u)	High-Frequency Words (Set 5) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Two Syllable Words (a, i, o, u) Closed Syllables	High-Frequency Words (Set 6) Phrase Identification Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling
	5	Closed Syllable Words (e) Short Vowel Automaticity (e) Consonant & Vowel Suffixes Syllable Division (VCCV) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 7) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Doubling Rule	High-Frequency Words (Set 8) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Two Syllable Words (all vowels) Closed Syllables	High-Frequency Words (Set 9) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	6	Silent-e Syllable Division (VCCCV) Short Vowel Automacity (e, i) Hard and Soft C Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 10) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Silent-e Doubling Rule Drop e Rule	High-Frequency Words (Set 11) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Two Syllable Words (all vowels) Closed Syllables	High-Frequency Words (Set 12) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling

	one .evel	Letter Patterns, Sounds & Meaning	Fluency Challenge 1	Spelling Patterns	Fluency Challenge 2	Sentence Completion	Fluency Challenge 3
INTERMEDIATE (Y4-Y6)	7	Consonant-le Vowel Teams (ai, ay, oa, ee) Accented Syllables Syllable Division (VCCIe) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 13) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Consonant-le Spelling Rule Review	High-Frequency Words (Set 14) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Two Syllable Words (Consonant-le)	High-Frequency Words (Set 15) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	8	Open Syllables Syllable Division (Three Syllables) Hard & Soft C or G Suffixes (-y, -ly) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 16) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Change Y to I Rule Spelling Rule Review ck & dge Rule	High-Frequency Words (Set 17) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Two Syllable Words (-y, -ly)	High-Frequency Words (Set 18) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	9	Consonant Suffixes Vowel Suffixes Syllable Division (Three Syllables) Three Sounds of -ed Short & Long e (e, ee) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 19) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Change Y to I Rule Three sounds of -ed (/t/, /d/, /ed/)	High-Frequency Words (Set 20) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Multi-Syllable Words (Prefixes & Suffixes)	High-Frequency Words (Set 21) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	10	Vowel Combinations (oi, oy, ou, ow, oo, au, aw) Syllable Division (VC) Suffixes (-tion, -sion) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 22) Passage Comprehension High-Frequency Word Spelling Reading Fluency	Vowel Teams (ee, ai, oa) Vowel Combinations (ou, ow, oi, oy) Suffixes (-tion, -sion)	High-Frequency Words (Set 23) Passage Comprehension High-Frequency Word Spelling Reading Fluency	Multi-Syllable Words (oi, oy, ou, ow, aw, au, -tion, -sion)	High-Frequency Words (Set 24) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	n	Vowel-r (er, ir, ur, ar, or) Syllable Division (Flex Rule) Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 25) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Vowel-r Suffixes (-ing, -ed, -ness, -ful, -er, -est, -less, -ly)	High-Frequency Words (Set 26) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Multi-Syllable Words (Vowel-r)	High-Frequency Words (Set 27) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification
	12	Suffixes (-ture, -age, -ible, -able) Silent Letters Schwa Syllable Division Word Meaning	High-Frequency Words (Set 28) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Schwa Suffixes (-ture, -age, -ible, -able)	High-Frequency Words (Set 29) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling	Multi-Syllable Words (-ture, -age, -ible, -able)	High-Frequency Words (Set 30) Passage Comprehension Reading Fluency High-Frequency Word Spelling Phrase Identification

ADVANCED (Y7-Y9+)	13	Latin Roots 1	Latin Roots 2	Prefixes	Suffixes	Word Completion & Spelling Patterns	Word Construction & Sentence Completion
		Root Identification Word Meaning Passage Comprehension	Root Identification Word Meaning Passage Comprehension	Prefix Meaning & Categorisation Passage Comprehension	Suffix Meaning Identification & Categorisation	Chameleon Prefixes Latin Roots, Prefixes & Suffixes	Latin Roots Prefixes & Suffixes Passage Comprehension
VANC		Greek Combining Forms 1	Greek Combining Forms 2	Greek Combining Forms 3	Greek Combining Forms 4	Greek Spelling Patterns	Word Construction & Sentence Completion

Body

Grammar

Ordiffication							
Zor & Le			Parts of Speech	Parts of Sentences	Capitalisation & Punctuation	Text Structure	
NAL (YI-Y3)	1	Simple Sentences	Nouns Verbs Articles Adjectives Direct Objects Plural Nouns Subject & Predicate	Simple & Complete Subjects Subject & Predicate Direct Objects Predicate Adjectives Simple Sentences	Capitalisation Ordering Sentences Punctuation (exclamation mark, full stop, question mark, comma)	Reading & Mapping (Informational Text) Reading & Mapping (Narrative Text)	
FOUNDATIONAL (YI-Y3)	2	Expanding Simple Sentences	Common & Proper Nouns Possessive Nouns Subject Nouns & Pronouns Subject & Object Pronouns Antecedents Plural Nouns	Subject & Predicate Simple Sentences & Phrases Prepositional Phrases Predicate Nominative Interrogative Questions	Capitalisation Ordering Sentences Combining Simple Sentences Punctuation (exclamation mark, full stop, question mark, comma) Comma Series Possessive Noun	Reading & Mapping (Informational Text) Reading & Mapping (Opinion Text)	
INTERMEDIATE (Y4-Y6)	3	Compound	Prepositional Phrases Irregular Plural Nouns Subject-Verb Agreement Present, Past & Future Verb Tense Adverbs Coordinating Conjunctions	Compound Subjects Compound Predicates Phrases, Clauses & Sentences Ordering Sentences Combining Sentences Compound Sentences Coordinating Conjunctions	Use of Commas Ordering Simple Sentences Sentence Building	Reading & Mapping (Informational Text) Reading & Mapping (Opinion Text)	
	4	Complex Sentences	Possessive Pronouns Paired & Non-Paired Conjunctions Demonstrative Pronouns Interrogative Pronouns Subordinating Conjunctions	Main & Subordinate Clauses Complex Sentences Subordinating Conjunctions Sentence Building	Use of Commas Run-on Sentences Ordering Simple Sentences Combining Sentences Capitalization	Reading & Mapping (Informational Text) Reading & Mapping (Narrative Text)	
	5	Clauses	Subordinating Conjunctions Clauses: Cause & Effect Clauses: Event & Condition Collective Nouns Collective Nouns & Verb Agreement Relative Pronouns & Clauses Main & Subordinate Clauses	Identifying Sentences: Simple, Compound & Complex Object of the Preposition Sentence Building	Colons Combining Sentences Word Functions	Reading & Mapping (Informational Text)	

Zor & Le			Parts of Speech	Parts of Sentences	Capitalisation & Punctuation	Text Structure
SED (Y7-Y9+)	6	Compound-Complex Sentences	Indefinite Pronouns Verb Agreement Antecedents Coordinating & Subordinating Conjunctions: Cause & Effect Present Perfect, Past Perfect & Future Perfect Verb Tense Conjunctive Adjectives & Adverbs Adjectival & Adverbial Phrases	Subordinating Conjunctions Run-on Sentences Compound-Complex Sentences Main & Subordinate Clauses Sentence Building	Commas in Compound Sentences & Dependent Clauses Commas in a Series Colons Sentence Building Word Functions	Reading & Mapping (Opinion Text)
ADVANCED	7	Expanding Compound- Complex Sentences	Interjections Participles Gerunds Infinitives Reflexive Pronouns Present, Past & Future Progressive Verb Tense	Adjectival & Adverbial Clauses Declarative, Interrogative & Imperative Sentences Restrictive, Nonrestrictive & Main Clauses Sentence Building Word Function in Clauses Expanding Compound- Complex Sentences	Commas Colons Exclamation Points Sentence Building	Reading & Mapping (Informational Text) Reading & Mapping (Narrative Text)

Comprehension

Zor & Le		Activity 1	Activity 2	Activity 3	Activity 4
		Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge
	1	The Trans-Alaska Pipeline (I) Camping and Fishing in Alaska (I)	Sliding Ice (I) Speeding (I)	Swimming Upstream (1) Where the Buffalo Roam (1)	A Hero (I) A Thinker Who Couldn't Talk or Walk (I)
		Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge
(YI-Y3)	2	Animal Dances (1) Animal Tricksters (1)	Plane Wings That Flap (1) Velcro From a Plant (1)	A Forest Adventure (1) Bicycles in Bogota (1)	Glaciers in Greenland (1) A Path Through the Clouds (1)
Σ		Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge
FOUNDATIONAL	3	Change Champions (1) Reed High Eco Warriors (1)	A Smart Sprinkler (1) Clean Rivers, Clean Oceans (1)	Disappearing Birds (1) Bring the Plants Back (1)	A Human-Powered Phone Charger (1) Many People, One Goal (1)
AT		Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge	Building Knowledge
OUND	4	Believe in Yourself! (1) Keep Believing! (1)	At Your Service (1) Managing Expectations (1)	Sports Talk (I) Reaching People (I)	Twists and Turns (1) Thrilling Rides (1)
포		Informational Text Elements	Narrative Text Elements	Informational Text Elements	Narrative Text Elements
	5	A Common Food (I) Money (I)	Babysitting (I) The Boy and the Almonds (I)	Building with Plastic Bottles (1) Rabbits (1)	The Statue (1) The Wolf and the Shepherd (1)
		Narrative Text Elements	Informational Text Elements	Narrative Text Elements	Informational Text Elements
	6	Two Sisters (1) Can You Believe It? (1)	Birds-of-Paradise (1) Kangaroos (1)	Anansi and Common Sense (I) Fortune Telling (I)	The Eiffel Tower (1) Slippers are Stupendous (1)

Activity 4

Scope and Sequence

Activity 2

Activity 3

& Le	vei	, .	, -	, -	
		Informational Text & Summary	Narrative Text	Drama	Narrative Text
	7	Eight-Eyed Hunter (I) They're Alive (I)	Back in Time (N) Nobody's Fool (N)	Pandora's Box (D) The SIBS Robots (D)	Althea Gibson (I) Dolores Huerta (I)
		Compare & Contrast	Cause & Effect	Making Inferences	Characterisation
	8	Mastodons & Mammoths (I) Two Little Mermaids (I)	The Titanic Tragedy (1) Disease at Sea (1)	Take a Hint, Please! (D) Thirty Seconds (D)	The Legend of William Tell (N) The Choice (N)
9/-		Theme	Sensory Language	Figurative Language	Tone & Mood
INTERMEDIATE (Y4-Y6)	9	The Thief and the King (N) Think or Sink (N)	Churros and Hot Chocolate (N) Heat Wave (P)	On the Platform (P) Fireflies (P)	Ocean View (N) The Rose That Grew From Concrete (P)
ă		Conflict	Irony & Narrative Structure	Persuasive Techniques	Argument
TERME	10	Decision (N) Avalanche (N)	The Shepherd and the Ogre (N) A Man, a Boy, and a Donkey (N)	The Way Ahead (1) Support Peasley Animal Shelter (1)	Lights Out! (1) A Carless City Center (1)
Z		Informational Text & Summary	Making Inferences	Sensory Language	Biography
	11	What Was the Space Shuttle? (1) Biologists Discover Skydiving Spiders (1)	Eleven 1 (N) Eleven 2 (N)	Hatchet 1 (N) Hatchet 2 (N)	Beyond Baseball (1) Octavia Butler (1)
		Figurative Language	Theme	Cause & Effect	Drama
	12	Basketball Forecast (P) Percussion Blues (P)	Wonder 1 (N) Wonder 2 (N)	The Man Who Couldn't Remember (i) Day of Terror (i)	The Diary of Anne Frank 1 (D) The Diary of Anne Frank 2 (D)
		Persuasive Techniques	Characterisation	Irony & Narrative Structure	Compare & Contrast
	13	Malala Yousafzai's Speech to the UN 1 (1)	After Twenty Years 1 (N)	The Dinner Party (N)	From Feet to Wheels to the Future (1)
		Malala Yousafzai's Speech to the UN 2 (i)	After Twenty Years 2 (N)	The Last Leaf (N)	What is the Cost of Freedom? (1)
(+6,		Argument	Tone & Mood	Conflict	Theme
-	14	No Limits to Screen Time (1)	Oranges (P)	Key of Nira Ghani 1 (N)	The Outsiders 3 (N)
<u>></u>		Yes to a Later Start Time (I)	"Hope" is the thing with feathers (P)	Key of Nira Ghani 2 (N)	Weird Rules to Follow (N)
끨		Compare & Contrast	Argument	Tone & Mood	Informational Text & Summary
ADVANCED (Y7-Y9+)	15	Making Games More Accessible (i) Good Gaming (l)	Losing Is Good for You (I) Make the School Day Longer (I)	Harlem (P) Dreams (P)	Civic Responsibility (1) Marvels of Construction (1)

Genre Legend

Zone

Activity 1

/ Information Text

Narrative Text

Analysis & Evaluation

A Dog's Purpose (N)

Hatchet 3 (N)

D Drama

Analysis & Evaluation

John F. Kennedy's Moon Speech (M)

Apollo Anniversary (1)

P Poetry

Analysis & Evaluation

All Summer in a Day 1 (N)

Fine Art (M)

M

Maple Street (D)

Media

Analysis & Evaluation

All Summer in a Day 2 (N)

The Monsters Are Due on



For more information, please visit

lexiauk.co.uk/literacy-programs/powerup

About LexiaUK

LexiaUK has been dedicated to providing personalised, engaging, effective, and relevant literacy solutions to schools across the UK & Ireland for over 25 years. Here at LexiaUK, we pride ourselves on being the leading research-proven reading skills software supplier.

©2025 LexiaUK in partnership with Lexia Learning®, a Cambium Learning® Group company, Lexia®, Lexia® Core5® Reading, and other trademarks, names, and logos used herein are the property of Lexia Learning®, LexiaUK, and/or subsidiaries, and are registered and/or used in the United Kingdom, United States, and other countries. Additional trademarks included herein are the property of their respected owners

Tel: 0191 482 1939

info@lexiauk.co.uk

www.lexiauk.co.uk