



GRADES K-3

LITERACY

ACHIEVEMENT ACADEMIES

GRADE 2

Overview

Grade 2 Literacy Achievement Academy

- Enhance your knowledge of effective instructional practices
- Examine research-based practices for teaching all students

Participant Materials



- Participant notes
- Handouts, which include resources, activities, lesson ideas, and references
- Agenda
- Grade 2 Literacy Block handout
- English Language Learner Scaffolding Planning Guide
- Supply pouch
- *ELPS Academy Linguistic Instructional Alignment Guide*
- Glossary
- Cardstock for name tent




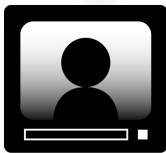
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Guiding Questions



- How would this instruction benefit your English language learners (ELLs)?
- How would this instruction benefit your struggling students?
- How would this instruction benefit your gifted students?

Slide Icons Key

Icon	What It Means
	Additional resource
	Handout
	Group activity
	Video

Agenda

Grade 2 Literacy Achievement Academy

DAY 1	DAY 2	DAY 3
MORNING		
Academy Overview Supporting All Learners	Fluency Vocabulary	Writing
AFTERNOON		
Word Study and Recognition	Comprehension	Using Assessment Data Putting It All Together

Latest Scores for Grade 4 Reading



- 2015 National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP):
69 percent below or at basic
- 2016 State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR):
25 percent unsatisfactory (Level 1)

We can do better!

Learning to Read



LANGUAGE COMPREHENSION

BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE
(facts, concepts, etc.)

VOCABULARY
(breadth, precision, links, etc.)

LANGUAGE STRUCTURES
(syntax, semantics, etc.)

VERBAL REASONING
(inference, metaphor, etc.)

LITERACY KNOWLEDGE
(print concepts, genres, etc.)

SKILLED READING:

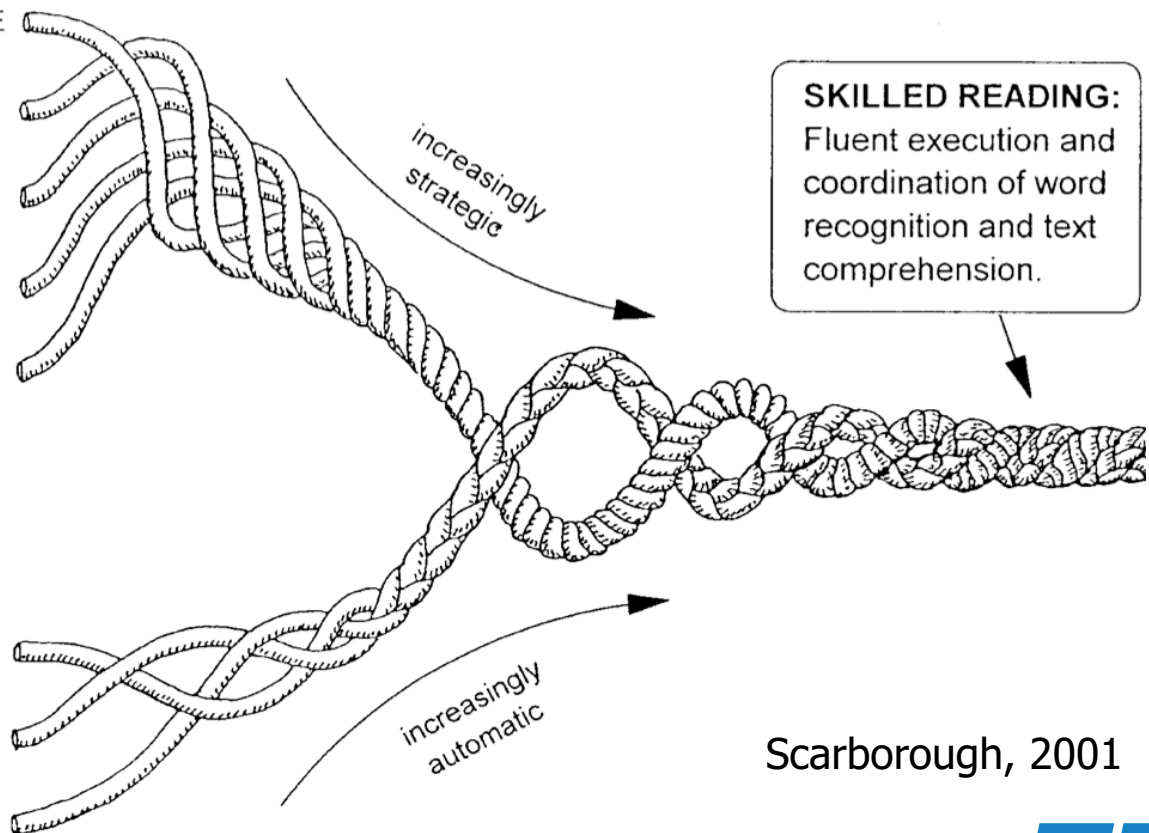
Fluent execution and
coordination of word
recognition and text
comprehension.

WORD RECOGNITION

PHONOLOGICAL AWARENESS
(syllables, phonemes, etc.)

DECODING (alphabetic principle,
spelling-sound correspondences)

SIGHT RECOGNITION
(of familiar words)



Scarborough, 2001

Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills



Organization:

- Strands
- Subcategories
- Student expectations
- Comprehension Skills (Figure 19)

Components of Literacy and the TEKS



- Using Handouts 2 and 3, match the threads of the reading rope with the TEKS.
- Write your answers on Handout 4.



English Language Proficiency Standards

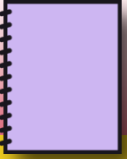
- The ELPS are language development standards that must be implemented as an integral part of instruction in the TEKS.
- Student expectations are grouped under the four domains of language development: listening, speaking, reading, and writing.
- Planning linguistically accommodated instruction that addresses the ELPS allows English language learners to develop English while meeting the TEKS.

Components of Literacy and the ELPS

- Using the *ELPS Academy Linguistic Instructional Alignment Guide*, match the threads of the reading rope with the ELPS expectations.
- Write your answers on Handout 4.



The Challenge



“Teaching reading really is rocket science.”

— Moats, 1999