



CURRICULAR · ENGLISH

Grade 3 English

A 10-month Grade 3 English program across eight belts, progressing from phonics and spelling patterns through vocabulary and sentence-level grammar to inference, literary genres and structured writing.

8 belts

34 topics

Grade 3

Completes in 10 Months

○ White Belt 1

Level 1 · 5 Weeks

1. Phonics R Controlled Vowels oo Vowel Sound
2. Vowel Diphthongs Vowel Digraphs Consonant Blends
3. Words with Initial Blends Beginning Digraphs Ending Digraphs
4. Review/Assessment

○ White Belt 2

Level 1 · 5 Weeks

1. Syllables/Spelling Patterns Sight Words Spelling words
2. Frequently Misspelled Words High-Frequency Words
3. Compound Words Contractions Vocabulary
4. Review/Assessment

● Yellow Belt 1

Level 2 · 5 Weeks

1. Content Vocabulary Double Negatives & Homophones Abbreviations
2. Synonyms Antonyms Multiple Meaning Words
3. Word Families Capitalization/Punctuation Grammar
4. Review/Assessment

● Yellow Belt 2

Level 2 · 5 Weeks

1. Prefixes Suffixes Root Words
2. Word Meaning with Prefixes/Suffixes Nouns Proper Nouns
3. Plurals Plural Ending -es Verb Endings
4. Review/Assessment

● Green Belt 1

Level 3 · 5 Weeks

1. Subject Verb Agreement Past Tense (-ed) Adjectives/Adverbs/Particles
2. Complete - Incomplete Sentences, Combining Sentences Coherent Paragraphs
3. Vivid language in writing, Topic Sentences Subject & Predicate, Grammar Skills
4. Review/Assessment

Green Belt 2

Level 3 · 5 Weeks

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| 1. Decoding Strategies Main Idea/Supporting Details Context Clues | 3. Theme of a story, Theme of Writing Sequential Order Predicting Endings |
| 2. Finding Information Interpret Information Author/Title of well known Literature, Author's Purpose | 4. Predictions, Conclusions & Inferences Literal/Inferential/Evaluative |
| | 5. Review/Assessment |

Blue Belt 1

Level 4 · 5 Weeks

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| 1. Literary Elements Story Elements Elements of Fiction Problem/Solution | 3. Literary Elements Story Elements Elements of Fiction Problem/Solution |
| 2. Predictions, Conclusions & Inferences Literal/Inferential/Evaluative | 4. Review/Assessment |

Blue Belt 2

Level 4 · 5 Weeks

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| 1. Genre Poetic Devices Literary Genres | 3. Charts/Maps/Graphic Organizers/Diagrams Writing Process Rules for writing |
| 2. Fact/Fiction/Opinion/Cause/Effect Text Features Dictionary/Thesaurus/Parts of a Book | 4. Written Directions Summarizing Friendly Letter |
| | 5. Review/Assessment |