Foundations of Reading (Level 3)

Level 3 of our reading program is filled with opportunities to *practice* newly acquired reading ability.

Level 3 has a strong emphasis on *syllables*. You will be amazed at the complex words your student will be able to read with ease by the end of this course. Phonics concepts from Level 1 are reviewed in a logical, sequential way. Each lesson builds upon the previous lesson, but Mom remains in charge — helping her student move as quickly or slowly as needed. We believe in teaching "phonograms" rather than sight words, so that no guessing is involved. Order and the beauty of language will be emphasized, with lots of opportunity for review and practice each day.

Our "practicing to read with syllables" program contains selections from Noah Webster's 1824 *American Spelling Book,* the 1650 Scottish Psalter, and selections from Scripture.

Is your student ready for Level 3?

- Be sure he knows all the sounds listed in Levels 1 and 2.
- Student should also be able to write in cursive. If cursive is a new skill for him, download the 26lesson *Shortcut to Cursive* to use before starting Level 3.

Topics Covered

Each lesson includes the following activities:

- 1. **Spelling** Student will spell with magnets as well as orally.
- 2. **Copying** Student will copy words in cursive on a whiteboard as well as on paper.
- 3. Reading Words Student will practice reading words by syllable from his "reader."
- 4. Dictation Student will write words and sentences that Mom reads aloud.
- 5. **Reading Paragraphs** Student will read sentences and paragraphs aloud to Mom.

How to Use This Curriculum

WEEKLY FORMAT

The curriculum is set up with daily lesson plans. However, we strongly recommend that you **pace the instruction to the needs of the student** rather than simply trying to complete the next lesson as rapidly as possible. Children mature at a variety of rates. Take as much time as your child needs!

LESSON ATMOSPHERE

Try to have your daily reading, writing, and spelling lessons at the **same time and place each day**. The room should be orderly, uncluttered, and without too many distractions. A predictable daily routine has been shown to create a state of mind that is conducive to learning.

(Maybe this would be a good time to have babies and toddlers spend a few minutes playing safely by themselves in a playpen or gated room. Older siblings could take turns supervising other younger children. Try to make it possible to have 15-20 minutes of uninterrupted time with your practicing reader.)

Have the student face in the **same direction each day**, working at a comfortable table. This will help orient the student in space and in the awareness of left-right directionality.

LESSON PLAN FORMAT

The lessons include

- A "Teacher's Manual" that is designed to be printed and inserted into a 3-ring binder.
- A "Student Workbook" that is designed to be printed and inserted into a 3-ring binder.

In addition, **we include two "Readers"** that should also be printed and inserted into the student's 3-ring binder. Since *not every page of the readers will be used*, we recommend saving ink and only printing the pages that are used in our lesson plans. Each week's plan will tell you which pages will be used that week. (Another option would be to read on a mobile device.)

- Download Noah Webster's 1824 American Spelling Book.
- Download the 1650 Scottish Psalter.

Your student will also need **his own Bible**, since he will be reading extensively from Scripture. Our curriculum uses the King James Version, but you should feel free to use the translation your family prefers.

Finally, we include "writing paper" that you can print. We recommend that at this age, your student should begin transitioning from the smallest size of ruled lines on our paper (p. 5) to regular, wide-ruled notebook paper available at any school-supply store.

SUPPLIES NEEDED

- The student will need a pencil with an attached eraser.
- Small dry-erase board for student. We prefer one that is lined on one side and blank on the other.
- Dry-erase markers.
- Magnetic letters. Since many of the words in Level 2 are multi-syllable words, you may wish to invest in several sets of inexpensive ABC magnets from a dollar store. It's nice to keep your letters organized (in alphabetical order) on a metal cookie sheet or on a magnetic white board.

If money is tight, be creative with what you have on hand!

AGES

This curriculum is intended primarily for children ages 6-12 who are practicing their reading abilities. You may easily use it with older children (or adults) to practice reading skills. It is *not* a childish curriculum in any way.

Need Help Teaching Phonics?

If this is your first time teaching someone to read, don't be nervous. Contact us if you're having trouble understanding or explaining a topic. We'll make a video and show you how we teach it at our house. That's what community is for!

About Foundations of Reading (Level 3)

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Scripture taken from the King James Version of the Bible, unless otherwise noted.

"Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them" (Matthew 7:12).

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Practicing to Read - Week 1

Mom's Notes

Print the following pages:

Webster, pp. 39, 41-42

Student should also be able to write in cursive. If cursive is a new skill for him, download the 26-lesson "**Shortcut to Cursive**" to use before starting Level 2:

http://homeschoolingtorah.com/introduction-to-foundations-of-reading-level-2

<u>Day 1</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 41, Table 14, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
 - Note: Does your student remember the rules learned from Webster, pp. 15-17, Tables 1-2? If not, review these pages first. See the video on "How to Use Webster's Spelling Book" at <u>http://homeschoolingtorah.com/phonics-2-</u>

<u>week-1</u>.

□ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

TABLE 14.

Words of two syllables accented on the first.

1	fea ture	ni ter	tail lor
a cre	fe male	oat meal	trait or
a pron	fro ward	past ry	trea ty
bare foot	grate ful	pi ous	wea ry
beast ly	griev ous	peo ple	wo ful
brew er	gno mon	plu mage	wri ter
beau ty	hein ous	pa rent	wain scot
brok en	hind most	pro logue	yeo man

Spelling

Ask student to spell the following words with magnets.

a-cre, a-pron, bare-foot, beast-ly, brew-er

> Procedure:



- 1. Look at the word together in Webster's Spelling Book.
- Try to put the letter magnets on the board without looking, but if unsure, it's okay to sneak a peek. Accuracy is more important than knowing how to spell. (Keep in mind that you are practicing *reading* skills, not spelling skills. However, your student will probably start seeing patterns that also help his spelling skills.)
- 3. Leave a space between syllables.
- 4. *Compare* the student's spelling to *Webster's Spelling Book*.

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 1



- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - beau-ty, brok-en, fea-ture, fe-male, fro-ward
 - > Procedure:
 - 1. Look at the word together in Webster's Spelling Book.
 - 2. *Try* to spell the word orally without looking, but if unsure, it's okay to sneak a peek.

Note: Use the following method when spelling orally: Say the word, spell the word, say the word. For example: "decisive, d-e-c-i-s-i-v-e, decisive"

3. Leave a space between syllables.

For example, the student should pause between syllables: d-e (pause) c-i (pause) s-i-v-e

4. *Compare* the student's spelling to *Webster's Spelling Book*.

Dictation

- □ From *Webster*, p. 39, Lesson 1, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.
 - The goal is not total accuracy. Expect your student to make errors. However, try to help your student learn to listen attentively.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 1, Psalm 1 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 41, Table 14, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

			2
boat swain	hoar y	quo ta	ab sence
bow sprit	hu mor	rhu barb	ab bey
brave ry	jew el	ri fle	am ple
ca ble	ju i cy	rogu ish	asth ma
cheap en	knave ry	re gion	an cle
dai ly	knight hood	sea son	bal ance
dai sy	li ver	spright ly	bel fry
dea con	la bor	sti fle	bash ful
dia mond	le gion	stee ple	bish op
do tage	may or	bol ster	blem ish
eve ning	me ter	coul ter	blus ter
fa vor	mi ter	slave ry	brim stone

Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - hu-mor, rhu-barb, jew-el, dai-sy, le-gion
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - eve-ning, fa-vor, ca-ble, ri-fle, am-ple

Note: Use the following method when spelling orally:

Say the word, spell the word, say the word.

For example:

"decisive, d-e-c-i-s-i-v-e, decisive"

If possible, the student should pause between syllables, like this:

d-e (pause) c-i (pause) s-i-v-e

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 39, Lesson 2, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

Description Psalms Reader, p. 2, Psalm 2 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



<u>Day 3</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 42, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

fla vor blud geon bel lows bis cuit	mea sles dam son dan gle dac tyl	shoul der grav el grum ble guin ea	brick kiln mel on mer it min gle
brit tle	debt or	gud ge <i>o</i> n	mis tress
buck ram	dim ple	hand ful	mis chief
bus tle	dis tance	hab it	musk et
cam el	doub le	has soc	mu <i>s</i> lin
cap rice	driv en	ha voc	mus ter
cap t <i>a</i> in	dud ge <i>o</i> n	heif er	mar ri <i>a</i> ge

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - fl-avor, shoul-der, grav-el, mel-on, grum-ble
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - > mea-sles, bis-cuit, debt-or, dim-ple, hand-ful

Note: Use the following method when spelling orally:

Say the word, spell the word, say the word.

If possible, the student should pause between syllables.

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 39, Lesson 3, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 3, Psalm 4 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



<u>Day 4</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 42, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

cen sure	dun geon	heav y	nev er
chap el	drunk ard	hin drance	nim ble
chas ten	dust y	hus band	pad lock
cher ish	ec logue	hum ble	pamph let
chim ney	en gine	husk y	pen nance
car ry	en si <i>g</i> n	im age	pes ter
car ri <i>a</i> ge	en trails	<pre>in stance</pre>	phren zy
cis tern	er ror	in ward	pis mire
cit y	fash ion	isth mus	plan et
clam or	fam ish	jeal ous	pleas ant

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - dun-geon, heav-y, nev-er, drunk-ard, nim-ble
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - dust-y, hus-band, cher-ish, hum-ble, pamph-let

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 39, Lesson 4, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 4, Psalm 8 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 41, Table 14, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

clean ly	fas set	j <i>o</i> ur nal	pe as ant
cred it	fat ten	judge ment	pinch ers
crev ice	fes ter	knap sack	pun ish
crust y	fid dle	lan guage	puz zle
crys tal	flag on	lan guor	pic ture
cup board	frec kle	land lord	pur chase
cus tom	frus trate	lev el	prac tice
crib bage	fur lough	lim it	phthis ic
cul ture	fran chise	lus ter	punch eon
cous in	ges ture	lunch eon	quick en

Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - jour-nal, peas-ant, cred-it, fat-ten, judg-ment*
 - *Note: The word judgment is spelled judgement in Webster, p. 42. Why do you think this is?
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - > pun-ish, crust-y, fid-dle, lan-guage, puz-zle

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 39, Lesson 5, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ Romans 1 – Have student read it aloud to you from his own Bible.

Copying

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

<u>Day 5</u>

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Practicing to Read - Week 2

Mom's Notes

Print the following page:

U Webster, p. 43

<u>Day 1</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 42, Table 14, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

		_		_
\mathtt{cut}	lass	gant let	mad am	ram ble
dam	age	gin gle	mal ice	rap id
dam	ask	grand eur	man gle	rat tle
dam	sel	grand eur	mas tiff	reb el
rel	ish	tav ern	da<i>ugh</i> ter	mark et
rig	or	tempt er	au tum <i>n</i>	mus ter
ri <i>s</i>	en	ten ant	fault y	mar quis
riv	er	till age	for tress	par cel
riv	et	tip ple	for tune	par don
ruf	fle	tress pass	gau dy	par lor
re <i>s</i>	in	troub le	geor gic	part ner

Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - ruffle, trouble, faulty, muster, parlor
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - tav-ern, for-tress, tress-pass, par-don, part-ner

Note: Use the following method when spelling orally: Say the word, spell the word, say the word.

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 40, Lesson 6, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 5, Psalm 11 – Have student read it aloud to you.



Copying

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

<u>Day 2</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 43, Table 14, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

sam ple salm on	twink ling trans port	gorge <i>o</i> us lau rel	pas ture psalm ist
satch el	trun che <i>o</i> n	lord ship	scar let
scab bard	ven om	ha <i>ugh</i> ty	slan der 5
scis sors	ven ture	morn ing	al so
seven night	vint age	mor tal	al way
scep ter	vis it	mort gage	bon fire
spec ter	vis age	na<i>ugh</i> ty	cob ler
scrib ble	vict uals	saw yer	clos et
scuf fle	venge ance	tor ment	col le <i>a</i> g <i>ue</i>

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - Iordship, haughty, scarlet, slander, closet
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - salm-on, ven-ture, scep-ter, scuf-fle, naught-ty

Note: Some of these words include silent letters.

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 40, Lesson 7, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 6, Psalm 12 – Have student read it aloud to you.



Copying

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

<u>Day 3</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 43, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

sin ew	veni son	wa ter	com et
sim ple	vine yard	sau cy	com rade
sin gle	wel come	sau cer	con quer
scep tic	wed lock	an swer	cock swain
smug gle	wick ed	barb er	con duit
span gle	wran gle	brace let	сор у
spig ot	wrap per	cart er	con trite
spit tle	wres tle	cham ber	cof fin
spin dle	wrist band	craft y	doc trine

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - wedlock, saucy, copy, coffin, doctrine
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - scep-tic, spin-dle, wrist-band, craft-y, con-quer

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 40, Lesson 9, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 7, Psalm 14 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 43, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

<pre>sup ple subt le stur geon sur geon tal lent</pre>	<pre>weap on wid geon zeal ot zeal ous zeph yr</pre>	<pre>char coal flask et gar land ghast ly gar ment</pre>	flor id fon dle fore head frol ic fal chion
<pre>tal on tan gle tat tle hom age hon est</pre>	slaugh ter bor der cor ner spon dee wan der	<pre>har lot har vest jaum dice coop er cuck oo</pre>	grog ram gos lin hogs head shov el squir rel

Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - > zealous, corner, frolic, shovel, squirrel
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - subt-tle, stur-geon, hon-est, wan-der, coop-er

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 40, Lesson 10, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 8, Psalm 15 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



<u>Day 5</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 43, Table 14, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

		2	
hon or	wan ton	ver min	vir gin
knowl edg <i>e</i>	war rant	ver dict	wor ship
hal loe	squan der	ver juice	won der
lodg er	yon der	vir tue	neigh bor
	6		
mod est	gloom y	kern el	ou
		8	
mod ern	wo man	con jure	coun cil
mon str <i>o</i> us	boo by	cov er	coun ter
	7		
nov el	wool len	cir cuit	coun ty

Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - yonder, virtue, novel, woolen, circuit
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - squan-der, ver-min, coun-cil, coun-ter, coun-ty

Dictation

□ From *Webster*, p. 40, Lesson 11, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ Romans 2 – Have student read it aloud to you from his own Bible.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

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Practicing to Read - Week 3

Mom's Notes

Print the following pages:

- **Webster**, p. 45-46.
- Description Psalms Reader, pp. 9-11, 15-17.

<u>Day 1</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 45, Table 16, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

ac quire	af fair	ap proach	a s tray
a base	af fri<i>gh</i>t	ar rai<i>g</i>n	a vail
a bu<i>s</i>e	a gainst	a ri<i>s</i>e	a wake
a dieu	a mu <i>s</i> e	as sign	a way
al ly	en croach	un tie	a far
aw ry	en dear	un true	a larm
be lieve	en treat	up ri<i>gh</i>t	g <i>u</i> it ar

Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - abase, abuse, arise, believe, endear
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - a-stray, a-wake, a-way, a-far, a-larm

Note: Use the following method when spelling orally: Say the word, spell the word, say the word.

Dictation

□ From Proverbs 10:1-2, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 9-10, Psalm 19 – Have student read it aloud to you.



Copying

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

<u>Day 2</u>

Reading Words

- Using *Webster*, p. 46, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

be lief	ex ci <i>s</i> e	ad journ	in graft
be nign	ex po <i>s</i> e	a byss	re mark
be siege	in crease	at tack	sur pass
be low	in dict	at tempt	ca tarrh
be stow	in pair	a venge	re gard 6
bo hea	in fuse	ad ept	ap prove
con sign	in scribe	be head	a mour
com plain	ma lign	be twixt	bab oon
cam paign	ob tain	bur lesque	bas soon

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - belief, increase, infuse, below, approve
- Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - com-plain, ob-tain, at-tack, in-graft, re-mark

Dictation

□ From Proverbs 10:3-4, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 11, Psalm 20 – Have student read it aloud to you.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.



<u>Day 3</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 46, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- □ After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

com pose	o pake	con temn	be hoove
con di<i>g</i>n	ob lige	con tempt	buf foon
con cise	per tain	co quet	ca noe
con ceit	pre vail	e n <i>o</i> ugh	car touch
con fu<i>s</i>e	pre scribe	fi nesse	dis prove
con strain	pro po<i>s</i>e	ga zette	a do
de ceive	pur suit	gro tesque	a loof
de ceit de crease	pro rogue re ceive	har ang<i>ue</i> im mense	e merge im merse

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - decrease, confuse, immense, canoe, immerse
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - > con-cise, con-ceit, de-ceive, re-ceive, pur-suit

Dictation

□ From Proverbs 10:5-6, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 15, Psalm 23 – Have student read it aloud to you.

Copying

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

<u>Day 4</u>

Reading Words

- □ Using *Webster*, p. 46, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.



de li<i>gh</i>t	re cept	qua drille	af firm
de po<i>s</i>e	re course	so journ	de sert
de scribe	re pair	be cause	de <i>s</i> erve
de sire	re pose	a dorn	a bove
de vise	re strain	de fraud	be come
dis claim	re sume	de bauch	be love
dis course	re tain	per form	con vey
dis may	re sign	re ward	sur vey
dis own	sup pose	sub orn	in veigh
dis play	tran scribe	trans form	oi

Spelling

- Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - delight, describe, desire, devise, dismay
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - re-pair, re-strain, dis-play, be-cause, trans-form

Dictation

□ From Proverbs 10:7-8, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ *Psalms Reader*, p. 16-17, Psalm 24 – Have student read it aloud to you.

Copying

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

<u>Day 5</u>

Reading Words

- Using *Webster*, p. 46, have student read across the rows of words in the following set.
- After reading across, have the student read the same words going down each column.

dis pose	tran <i>s</i> pose	e cla t	ap point
in clo<i>s</i>e	un clo<i>s</i>e	ad vance	a noint
a void	re joice	com pound	pro pound
em broil	sub join	con found	sur mount
en joy	dis join	de voir	al low
de stroy	ou	ac count	a bound
de coy	a mount	pro nounce	an nounce
pur loin	a bout	re nounce	ca rou<i>se</i>
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Spelling

- □ Ask student to spell the following words with magnets:
 - avoid, destroy, transpose, rejoice, amount
- □ Ask student to spell the following words orally:
 - > ad-vance, com-pound, con-found, ac-count, pro-nounce

Dictation

□ From Proverbs 10:9-10, read *one line at a time* to your student. He should repeat the words back to you, then he will try to write *(in cursive)* the words from memory.

Reading Paragraphs

□ Romans 3 – Have student read it aloud to you from his own Bible.

- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set A *in cursive* onto the whiteboard.
- □ Looking at the examples in his "Student Workbook," have the student copy the words from Set B *in cursive*. Space is provided in the workbook.

Practicing to Read - Week 1

Student Workbook

Day 1

Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

grateful heinous

grievous gnomon hindmost niter

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

oatmeal people

pastry plumage

pious parent



<u>Day 2</u>

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

quota meter

season bravery

balance blemish

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

absence cheapen

juicy region

asthma liver



<u>Day 3</u>

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

bustle camel

distance double

habit guinea

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

caprice heifer

drinrem marriage

captain mischief

Dictation:

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 1 – Student Workbook



Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

chimney carry husky pester engine image

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

instance city

error fashion

inurard planet



<u>Day 5</u>

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

crystal freckle

picture landlord

cupboard purchase

Set B - Copy the following words *in cursive* below:

custom culture

practice franchise

furlough luncheon

Dictation:

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 1 – Student Workbook

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Practicing to Read - Week 2

Student Workbook

<u>Day 1</u>

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

ramble malice damage rapid rebel rattle

Set B - Copy the following words *in cursive* below:

relish daughter risen river market autumn



Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

sample twinkling gorgeous pasture transport psalmist

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

scissors also

visit bonfire

morning scribble

Dictation:

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 2 – Student Workbook



<u>Day 3</u>

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

smuggle ansurer

wicked barber

urapper bracelet

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

simple single rineyard urelcome

venison water

Dictation:

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 2 – Student Workbook



Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

slaughter border tattle harvest

harvest

tangle jaundice

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

surgeon garland

ureapon forehead

charcoal garment

Dictation:

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 2 – Student Workbook



Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

modest woman

gloomy modern monstrous cover

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

honor knowledge verdict worship wonder neighbor

Practicing to Read - Week 3

Student Workbook

Day 1

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

acquire against

affair assign

approach arail

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

amuse untie

entreat untrue

guitar upright

Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

benign behead

besiege bassoon

bestou-surpass

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

adjourn attempt campaign inscribe

consign malign

Dictation:

Foundations of Reading (Level 2) Week 3 – Student Workbook

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

enough finesse disprove aloof gazette emerge

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

compose constrain grotesque deceit

propose buffoon

<u>k</u>

Day 4

Set A - Copy the following words *in cursive* onto the whiteboard:

desert deserve convey become

above survey

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

sojourn resume

affirm reward

adorn transcribe



Set A - Copy the following words in cursive onto the whiteboard:

anoint allow appoint abound renounce announce

Set B - Copy the following words in cursive below:

honor worship

knowledge verdict wonder neighbor

PSALMS READER

Metrical Version of the Psalms

Selections from 1650 Scottish Psalter

For Teaching Twenty-First Century Children to Read Fluently and Worship Their Creator

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Book I: Psalms 1 - 41

Psalm 1

That man hath per-fect bless-ed-ness, 1 who walk-eth not a-stray In coun-sel of un-god-ly men, nor stands in sin-ners' way, Nor sit-teth in the scor-ner's chair: But pla-ceth his de-light 2 Up-on God's law, and med-i-tates on his law day and night. 3 He shall be like a tree that grows near plant-ed by a riv-er, Which in his sea-son yields his fruit, and his leaf fad-eth nev-er: And all he doth shall pros-per well The wick-ed are not so; 4 But like they are un-to the chaff, which wind drives to and fro. 5 In judg-ment there-fore shall not stand such as un-qod-ly are; Nor in th' as-sem-bly of the just shall wick-ed men ap-pear. For why? the way of god-ly men 6 un-to the Lord is known: Where-as the way of wick-ed men shall quite be o-ver-thrown.

1	Why rage the hea-then? and vain things why do the peo-ple mind?
2	Kings of the earth do set them-selves, and prin-ces are com-bined,
	To plot a-gainst the Lord, and his A-noin-ted, say-ing thus,
3	Let us a-sund-er break their bands, and cast their cords from us.
4	He that in hea-ven sits shall laugh; the Lord shall scorn them all.
5	Then shall he speak to them in wrath, in rage he vex them shall.
6	Yet, not-with-stand-ing, I have him to be my King ap-point-ed;
	And o-ver Zi-on, my ho-ly hill, I have him King a-noin-ted.
7	The sure de-cree I will de-clare: The Lord hath said to me,
	Thou art mine on-ly Son; this day I have be-got-ten thee.
8	Ask of me, and for he-ri-tage the hea-then I'll make thine;
	And, for pos-ses-sion, I to thee will give earth's ut-most line.
9	Thou shalt, as with a weight-y rod
5	of i-ron, break them all;
	And, as a pot-ter's sherd, thou shalt them dash in pie-ces small.
10	Now there-fore, kings, be wise; be taught, ye judg-es of the earth:
11	Serve God in fear, and see that ye join tremb-ling with your mirth.
12	Kiss ye the Son, lest in his ire ye per-ish from the way,
	If once his wrath be-gin to burn: bles-sed all that on him stay.

- 1 Give ear un-to me when I call, God of my right-eous-ness: Have mer-cy, hear my pray'r; thou hast en-larg'd me in dis-tress.
- 2 O ye the sons of men! how long will ye love van-i-ties? How long my glor-y turn to shame, and will ye fol-low lies?
- 3 But know, that for him-self the Lord the god-ly man doth choose: The Lord, when I on him do call, to hear will not re-fuse.
- 4 Fear, and sin not; talk with your heart on bed, and si-lent be.
- 5 Off 'rings pre-sent of right-eous-ness, and in the Lord trust ye.
- 6 O who will shew us an-y good? is that which man-y say: But of thy coun-tena-nce the light, Lord, lift on us al-way.
- 7 Up-on my heart, be-stow'd by thee, more glad-ness I have found Than they, ev'n then, when corn and wine did most with them a-bound.
- 8 I will both lay me down in peace, and qui-et sleep will take; Be-cause thou on-ly me to dwell in safe-ty, Lord, dost make.

- How ex-cel-lent in all the earth, Lord, our Lord, is thy name! Who hast thy glor-y far ad-vanc'd a-bove the star-ry frame.
- 2 From in-fants' and from suck-lings' mouth thou did-est strength or-dain, For thy foes' cause, that so thou might'st th' aveng-ing foe re-strain.
- 3 When I look up un-to the heav'ns, which thine own fin-gers fram'd, Un-to the moon, and to the stars, which were by thee or-dain'd;
- 4 Then say I, What is man, that he re-member'd is by thee? Or what the son of man, that thou so kind to him should'st be?
- 5 For thou a lit-tle low-er hast him than the an-gels made; With glor-y and with dig-ni-ty thou crown-ed hast his head.
- 6 Of thy hands' works thou mad'st him lord, all un-der's feet didst lay;
 7 All sheep and ox-en, yea, and beasts
- that in the field do stray;
 8 Fowls of the air, fish of the sea,
- all that pass through the same. 9 How ex-cel-lent in all the earth, Lord, our Lord, is thy name!

1 I in the Lord do put my trust: how is it then that ye Say to my soul, Flee, as a bird, un-to your moun-tain high? 2 For, lo, the wick-ed bend their bow, their shafts on string they fit, That those who up-right are in heart they priv-i-ly may hit. 3 If the foun-da-tions be de-stroy'd, what hath the right-eous done? 4 God in his ho-ly tem-ple is, in heav-en is his throne: His eyes do see, his eye-lids try

5 men's sons. The just he proves: But his soul hates the wick-ed man, and him that vi'lence loves.

- 6 Snares, fire and brim-stone, fur-ious storms, on sin-ners he shall rain: This, as the por-tion of their cup, doth un-to them per-tain.
- 7 Be-cause the Lord most right-eous doth in right-eous-ness de-light; And with a plea-sant coun-tena-nce be-hold-eth the up-right.

- Help, Lord, be-cause the god-ly man doth dai-ly fade a-way; And from a-mong the sons of men the faith-ful do de-cay.
- 2 Un-to his neigh-bour ev'ry one doth ut-ter van-i-ty: They with a doub-le heart do speak, and lips of flat-ter-y.
- 3 God shall cut off all flat-t'ring lips, tongues that speak proud-ly thus, 4 We'll with our tongue pre-vail, our lips
 - are ours: who's lord o'er us?
- 5 For poor op-press'd, and for the sighs of need-y, rise will I, Saith God, and him in safe-ty set from such as him de-fy.
- 6 The words of God are words most pure; they be like sil-ver try'd In ear-then fur-nace, sev-en times that hath been pur-i-fy'd.
- Lord, thou shalt them pre-serve and keep for ev-er from this race.
 On each side walk the wick-ed, when vile men are high in place

- 1 That there is not a God, the fool doth in his heart con-clude: They are cor-rupt, their works are vile; not one of them doth good.
- 2 Up-on men's sons the Lord from heav'n did cast his eyes a-broad, To see if an-y under-stood, and did seek af-ter God.
- 3 They al-to-ge-ther filth-y are, they all a-side are gone; And there is none that do-eth good, yea, sure there is not one.
- 4 These wor-kers of in-i-qui-ty do they not know at all, That they my peo-ple eat as bread, and on God do not call?
- 5 There fear'd they much; for God is with the whole race of the just.
 6 You shame the coun-sel of the poor,
- be-cause God is his trust.
- 7 Let Isr'el's help from Si-on come: when back the Lord shall bring His cap-tives, Ja-cob shall re-joice, and Is-ra-el shall sing.

- 1 With-in thy tab-er-na-cle, Lord, who shall a-bide with thee? And in thy high and ho-ly hill who shall a dwel-ler be?
- 2 The man that walk-eth up-right-ly, and work-eth right-eous-ness, And as he think-eth in his heart, so doth he truth ex-press.
- 3 Who doth not slan-der with his tongue, nor to his friend doth hurt; Nor yet ag-ainst his neigh-bour doth take up an ill re-port.
- 4 In whose eyes vile men are des-pis'd; but those that God do fear He hon-our-eth; and chang-eth not, though to his hurt he swear.
- 5 His coin puts not to u-sur-y, nor take re-ward will he A-gainst the guilt-less. Who doth thus shall nev-er mov-ed be.

1 2	The hea-v'ns God's glor-y do de-clare, the skies his hand-works preach: Day ut-ters speech to day, and night
_	to night doth know-ledge teach.
3	There is no speech nor tongue to which their voice doth not ex-tend:
4	Their line is gone through all the earth, their words to the world's end.
5	<pre>In them he set the sun a tent; Who, bride-groom-like, forth goes From's cham-ber, as a strong man doth to run his race re-joice.</pre>
6	<pre>From hea-v'n's end is his going forth, cir-cling to th' end a-gain; And there is noth-ing from his heat that hid-en doth re-main.</pre>
7	God's law is per-fect, and con-verts the soul in sin that lies: God's test-i-mony is most sure, and makes the sim-ple wise.
8	The sta-tutes of the Lord are right, and do re-joice the heart: The Lord's com-mand is pure, and doth light to the eyes im-part.
9	Un-spotted is the fear of God, and doth en-dure for ev-er: The judg-ments of the Lord are true and right-eous al-toge-ther.
10	They more than gold, yea, much fine gold, to be de-sired are: Than hon-ey, hon-ey from the comb that drop-peth, sweet-er far.

11 More-o-ver, they thy ser-vant warn how he his life should frame: A great rew-ard pro-vi-ded is for them that keep the same.

- 12 Who can his er-rors under-stand? O cleanse thou me with-in
- 13 From se-cret faults. Thy ser-vant keep from all pre-sumpt-uous sin:

And do not suf-fer them to have do-min-ion o-ver me: Then, right-eous and in-no-cent, I from much sin shall be.

14 The words which from my mouth pro-ceed, the thoughts sent from my heart, Ac-cept, O Lord, for thou my strength and my Re-deem-er art.

- 1 Je-ho-vah hear thee in the day when trou-ble he doth send: And let the name of Ja-cob's God thee from all ill de-fend.
- 2 O let him help send from a-bove, out of his sanc-tu-ar-y: From Si-on, his own ho-ly hill, let him give strength to thee.
- 3 Let him re-mem-ber all thy gifts, ac-cept thy sac-ri-fice: 4 Grant thee thine heart's wish, and ful-fil
 - thy thoughts and coun-sel wise.
- 5 In thy sal-va-tion we will joy; in our God's name we will Dis-play our ban-ners: and the Lord thy pray-ers all ful-fil.
- 6 Now know I God his king doth save: he from his ho-ly heav'n Will hear him, with the sa-ving strength by his own right hand giv'n.
- 7 In char-iots some put con-fi-dence, some horses trust up-on: But we re-mem-ber will the name of our Lord God al-one.
- 8 We rise, and up-right stand, when they are bow-ed down, and fall.
 9 De-liver, Lord; and let the King us hear, when we do call.

A Psalm about David and Christ

- My God, my God, why hast thou me for-saken? why so far Art thou from help-ing me, and from my words that roar-ing are?
- 2 All day, my God, to thee I cry, yet am not heard by thee; And in the sea-son of the night I can-not si-lent be.
- 3 But thou art ho-ly, thou that dost in-hab-it Isr'el's praise.
- 4 Our fa-thers hop'd in thee, they hop'd and thou didst them re-lease.
- 5 When un-to thee they sent their cry, to them de-liv'rance came: Be-cause they put their trust in thee, they were not put to shame.
- 6 But as for me, a worm I am, and as no man am priz'd: Re-proach of men I am, and by the peo-ple am des-pis'd.
- 7 All that me see laugh me to scorn; shoot out the lip do they; They nod and shake their heads at me, and, mock-ing, thus do say,
- 8 This man did trust in God, that he would free him by his might: Let him de-liver him, sith he had in him such de-light.
- 9 But thou art he out of the womb that didst me safe-ly take; When I was on my mo-ther's breasts thou me to hope didst make.
- 10 And I was cast up-on thy care, ev'n from the womb till now; And from my mo-ther's bel-ly, Lord, my God and guide art thou.

- 11 Be not far off, for grief is near, and none to help is found. Bulls man-y com-pass me, strong bulls 12 of Ba-shan me sur-round. 13 Their mouths they o-pen'd wide on me, up-on me gape did they, Like to a li-on rav-en-ing and roar-ing for his prey. 14 Like wa-ter I'm pour'd out, my bones all out of joint do part: A-midst my bow-els, as the wax, so mel-ted is my heart. 15 My strength is like a pot-sherd dry'd; my tongue it cleave-th fast Un-to my jaws; and to the dust of death thou brought me hast. 16 For dogs have com-pass'd me a-bout: the wick-ed, that did meet In their as-sem-bly, me in-clos'd; they pierc'd my hands and feet. I all my bones may tell; they do 17 up-on me look and stare. 18 Up-on my ves-ture lots they cast, and clothes among them share. 19 But be not far, O Lord, my strength; haste to give help to me. 20 From sword my soul, from pow'r of dogs my dar-ling set thou free. 21 Out of the roar-ing li-on's mouth do thou me shield and save: For from the horns of u-ni-corns an ear to me thou gave. 22 I will shew forth thy name un-to those that my bre-thren are; A-midst the con-gre-ga-tion thy praise I will de-clare. 23 Praise ye the Lord, who do him fear; him glo-ri-fy all ye The seed of Ja-cob: fear him all
 - that Isr'el's chil-dren be.

- 24 For he des-pis'd not nor ab-horr'd th' af-flic-ted's mis-er-y; Nor from him hid his face, but heard when he to him did cry.
- 25 With-in the con-gre-ga-tion great my praise shall be of thee; My vows be-fore them that him fear shall be per-form'd by me.
- 26 The meek shall eat, and shall be fill'd; they al-so praise shall give Un-to the Lord that do him seek: your heart shall ev-er live.
- 27 All ends of th' earth rem-em-ber shall, and turn the Lord un-to; All kin-dreds of the na-tions to him shall hom-age do:
- 28 Be-cause the king-dom to the Lord doth ap-per-tain as his; Like-wise a-mong the na-tions the Gov-er-nor he is.
- 29 Earth's fat ones eat, and wor-ship shall: all who to dust de-scend Shall bow to him; none of them can his soul from death de-fend.
- 30 A seed shall ser-vice do to him; un-to the Lord it shall Be for a gen-er-a-tion reck-on'd in a-ges all.
- 31 They shall come, and they shall de-clare his truth and right-eous-ness Un-to a peo-ple yet un-born, and that he hath done this.

- The Lord's my shep-herd, I'll not want. 1 2 He makes me down to lie In past-ures green: he lead-eth me the qui-et wat-ers by. 3 My soul he doth re-store a-gain; and me to walk doth make With-in the paths of right-eous-ness, ev'n for his own name's sake. 4 Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale, yet will I fear none ill: For thou art with me; and thy rod and staff me com-fort still. 5 My ta-ble thou hast fur-nish-ed in pres-ence of my foes; My head thou dost with oil a-noint, and my cup ov-er-flows. 6 Good-ness and mer-cy all my life shall sure-ly fol-low me:
 - And in God's house for ev-er-more my dwell-ing-place shall be.

1	The earth be-longs un-to the Lord, and all that it con-tains; The world that is in-habit-ed, and all that there re-mains.
2	For the foun-da-tions there-of he on the seas did lay, And he hath it es-tab-lish-ed up-on the floods to stay.
3	Who is the man that shall a-scend in-to the hill of God? Or who with-in his holy place shall have a firm a-bode?
4	<pre>Whose hands are clean, whose heart is pure, and un-to van-i-ty Who hath not lift-ed up his soul, nor sworn de-ceit-ful-ly.</pre>
5	He from th' Eternal shall re-ceive the bless-ing him up-on, And right-eous-ness, ev'n from the God of his sal-va-tion.
6	This is the gen-er-a-tion that after him en-quire, O Jacob, who do seek thy face with their whole heart's de-sire.
7	Ye gates, lift up your heads on high; ye doors that last for aye, Be lift-ed up, that so the King of glor-y en-ter may.
8	But who of glor-y is the King? The migh-ty Lord is this; Ev'n that same Lord, that great in might and strong in bat-tle is.

- 9 Ye gates, lift up your heads; ye doors, doors that do last for aye, Be lif-ted up, that so the King of glor-y en-ter may.
- 10 But who is he that is the King of glor-y? who is this? The Lord of hosts, and none but he, the King of glor-y is.