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Purpose of GATE

Help developing and struggling readers improve:

- Phonemic awareness
- Phonics
- High-frequency words
- Fluency
- Comprehension
- Vocabulary



Presentation Goals

During this presentation, we will discuss:

- Research that supports GATE
- Which students should use GATE
- How to use GATE to support your students
- GATE's program steps



Research Supporting GATE



Key Components of Reading Instruction

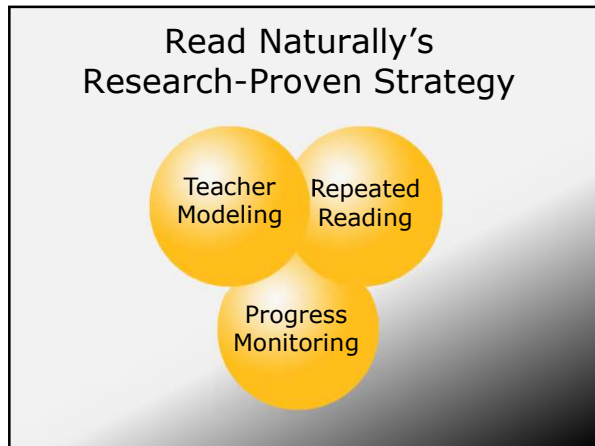
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GATE Supports

- Phonological Awareness
- Phonics & Word Recognition
- Fluency
- Vocabulary
- Comprehension










GATE Levels

GATE 0.8
Short Vowels

GATE 1.3
Long Vowels

GATE 1.8
Blends and Digraphs
Inflected Endings
Two-Syllable Words

High-Frequency Words

GATE Program Materials

24 lessons per level:

- A nonfiction story
- Specific sounds
- Letter patterns
- High-frequency words

Teacher's guide

- Instructions
- Lessons

Reproducible Masters

- 24 student story booklets
- Student record sheets
- High-frequency word assessment
- Crossword puzzles booklets
- Parent letter
- Answer Keys
- Achievement Award



Setting Up The Program

Additional Materials

- Digital timer
- Red/blue pencils

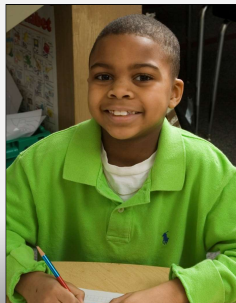
Settings

- Classroom
- Resource room
- Before or after-school programs
- Tutoring



Students Working in GATE

Developing readers who are not yet ready to work independently



GATE Levels

Choose level ...	for students who ...	and who need to develop the following decoding skills:
0.8	know the letters of the alphabet, have some knowledge of the letter sounds, and are able to recognize at least 15-20 written words	short vowel words
1.3	read at an early to mid first-grade level	long vowel words
1.8	read at a mid to late first-grade level	words with blends, digraphs, and inflected endings and two-syllable words

Time Requirements

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30 min. Lesson 1	30 min. Lesson 1	30 min. Lesson 1	30 min. Lesson 1	30 min. Lesson 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
20 min. Lesson 1	20 min. Lesson 1	20 min. Lesson 1	20 min. Lesson 1	20 min. Lesson 1

GATE Program Walk-through



Phonemic Awareness



Listen for Vowel Sounds in Words

Phonemic Awareness

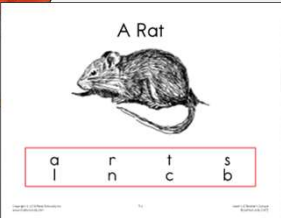


Blend Sounds into Words


Phonics



Practice
Letter Sounds



Phonics and Word Recognition



Decode
Sound-Out Words

an cat lab

some

Phonics and Word Recognition


an cat lab

some

Listen.
Do it with me.
Now you do it.


Read Spell-Out Word

Comprehension



Name *Jamie*

A Rat




Prediction

an cat lab

Rats are in some labs.

Make a Prediction

Fluency



A photograph of a female teacher with dark skin and curly hair, wearing an orange jacket, sitting at a wooden table and reading a book titled 'The Little Engine That Could' to three young students. The students, two girls and one boy, are sitting at the table, looking at the book. The background shows a classroom setting with a whiteboard, a bookshelf, and a Santa Claus decoration.

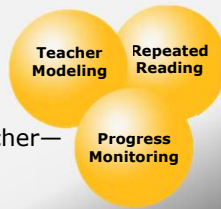
Read Along with the Teacher

Read Naturally Strategy Review

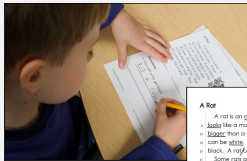
Cold Timing—
Progress Monitoring

Read Along with the Teacher—
Teacher Modeling

Practice and Pass the Story—
Repeated Reading and
Progress Monitoring



Comprehension



A Rat
A rat is an animal. It is bigger than a mouse. A rat can be grey. A rat can be black. A rat can be brown. Some rats are pets. Some rats are lab animals. Some rats can make us sick. Some rats eat rats.

Questions
1. What colors can rats be?
Rats can be white or black or tan.

2. Some rats are animals.
rat cat lab

3. A _____ is an animal.
con mo rat

4. Some rats _____ make us sick.
con cat lab

5. Some _____ eat rats.
con rats lab

Sentence About the Story
A rat is an animal like a mouse, and it can be a pet or a lab animal.

Answer the Questions

Comprehension



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Write a Sentence About the Story

Phonics



an	cat	lab	some
tan	rat	nab	some
can	sat	tab	some
ran	at	cab	some

Read Word List

Reading Word List

Reading Words Down

- Words with featured sounds
- Words rhyme
- Irregular high-frequency word(s)

Reading Words Across

- Variety of words with the featured sounds
- Words do not rhyme
- Irregular high-frequency word

Word List

an	cat	lab	some
tan	rat	nab	some
can	sat	tab	some
ran	at	cab	some

Number Correct: _____

Spell-out Word

some _____

Sound-out Words


1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

Number Correct: _____

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Phonics



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Spell-out Word

some *some* *some*

Sound-out Words

1. *lab* 2. *sat*

3. *ran* 4. *can*

Number Correct: 4

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Spelling

Crossword Puzzle



Name _____

A Rat

Across

1. Some _____ eat rats.

4. A rat can be _____.

Down

2. A rat is an _____ animal.

3. Some rats are _____ animals.

Word Bank: animal, block, cats, lab

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GATE and RTI: Student Progress



To Review

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