



Placement Test Overview: *What does your student's placement level mean?*

The Reading Eggspress Placement Test assesses what students already know. This ensures that each student begins at the right level.

Grade 1 Lessons • Map 1 to 4

If the student was placed at Lesson 1, Map 1 – they have been placed in the Grade 1 level of the program.

Placement	What do they know?	Next map	What will they study next?	What levels?
Map 1, Lesson 1 Students engage with a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts, both imaginative and informative, including narratives, procedures and information texts.	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 180L – reading level 7.	Map 1	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> think marks, main idea & details, literal questions, answer questions <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative <u>Genres:</u> fantasy, humor, realistic fiction	<u>Reading levels:</u> 8–10 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 200L–270L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 230L – reading level 9.	Map 2	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> literal questions, think marks, main idea & details, word study, visualization <u>Text types:</u> procedure, information <u>Genres:</u> art, society & culture, history	<u>Reading levels:</u> 10–12 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 250L–340L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 280L – reading level 10.	Map 3	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> word study, main idea & details, visualization, think marks <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative <u>Genres:</u> fantasy, realistic fiction	<u>Reading levels:</u> 11–14 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 300L–380L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 300L – reading level 11.	Map 4	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> literal questions, main idea & details, think marks, visualization <u>Text types:</u> procedure, information <u>Genres:</u> cooking, society, biology, space	<u>Reading levels:</u> 12–15 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 250L–430L



If you would like to change the level that a student is working on, you can do this in the **Manage Lessons** section of the **Teacher Dashboard**.





Grade 2 Lessons • Map 5 to 12

If the student was placed at Lesson 21, Map 5 – they have been placed in the Grade 2 level of the program.

Placement	What do they know?	Next map	What will they study next?	What levels?
Map 5, Lesson 21 Students engage with a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts, both imaginative and informative, including narratives, poetry, scripts, recounts, procedures, reports, diagrams and explanations.	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 420L – reading level 15.	Map 5	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> think marks, literal questions, make inferences, main idea & details <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative <u>Genres:</u> humor, realistic fiction, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 16–17 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 440L–480L
		Map 6	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> literal questions, main idea & details, compare & contrast, sequence events <u>Text types:</u> procedure, information, report, flowchart <u>Genres:</u> society & culture, earth science, cooking	<u>Reading levels:</u> 16–18 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 460L–520L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 450L – reading level 16.	Map 7	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make inferences, visualization, sequence events, think marks <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, ballad <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, humor, poetry, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 17–18 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 480L–520L
		Map 8	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> sequence events, word study, compare & contrast, make connections, make inferences <u>Text types:</u> explanation, flowchart, report, factual recount, directions <u>Genres:</u> society & culture, earth science, history	<u>Reading levels:</u> 18–20 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 520L–560L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 500L – reading level 17.	Map 9	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> think marks, main idea & details, visualization, make inferences <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, script <u>Genres:</u> humor, realistic fiction, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 18–20 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 520L–580L
		Map 10	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> sequence events, compare & contrast, visualization, make inferences <u>Text types:</u> report, flowchart, explanation <u>Genres:</u> earth science, biology, design & technology, society & culture	<u>Reading levels:</u> 20–21 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 560L–600L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 580L – reading level 20.	Map 11	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make inferences, draw conclusions, make predictions, main idea & details, visualization <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, structured poetry <u>Genres:</u> fantasy, realistic fiction, poetry, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 21 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 600L–620L
		Map 12	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> visualization, compare & contrast, sequence events, make inferences <u>Text types:</u> report, explanation <u>Genres:</u> society & health, biology, physical science, culture, history	<u>Reading levels:</u> 21 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 620L–640L



Grade 3 Lessons • Map 13 to 20

If the student was placed at Lesson 61, Map 13 – they have been placed in the Grade 3 level of the program.

Placement	What do they know?	Next map	What will they study next?	What levels?
Map 13, Lesson 61 Students engage with a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts: imaginative, informative and persuasive, including narratives, poetry, scripts, recounts, procedures, reports, diagrams, reviews and explanations.	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 540L – reading level 19.	Map 13	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> draw conclusions, point of view, think marks, make predictions <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, drama script <u>Genres:</u> humor, realistic fiction, fable, adventure	<u>Reading levels:</u> 20–22 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 560L–640L
		Map 14	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, cause & effect, sequence events, word study <u>Text types:</u> explanation, flowchart, diagrams, procedure, factual recount <u>Genres:</u> biology, cooking, history	<u>Reading levels:</u> 21–23 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 630L–710L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 600L – reading level 20.	Map 15	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> visualization, make connections, main idea & details, make inferences, sequence events <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, structured poetry <u>Genres:</u> poetry, realistic fiction, fable, fantasy, humor	<u>Reading levels:</u> 21–22 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 620L–660L
		Map 16	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, point of view, draw conclusions, main idea & details, cause & effect <u>Text types:</u> information, timetable, review, persuasive, report <u>Genres:</u> forensics, society & culture, health, geography, biology	<u>Reading levels:</u> 23 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 680L–720L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 620L – reading level 21	Map 17	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> analyze characters, literal questions, sequence events, point of view, make connections <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, drama script <u>Genres:</u> humor, fantasy, literary description, realistic fiction, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 22–23 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 640L–700L
		Map 18	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> literal questions, make connections, cause & effect, visualization, main idea & details <u>Text types:</u> factual recount, procedure, report, explanation, flowchart <u>Genres:</u> history, biology, physical science, society & culture	<u>Reading levels:</u> 23–24 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 700L–740L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 660L – reading level 22.	Map 19	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> cause & effect, make inferences, make connections, sequence events, visualization <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, structured poetry <u>Genres:</u> humor, mystery, fable, poetry	<u>Reading levels:</u> 23–25 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 690L–780L
		Map 20	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> point of view, main idea & details, sequence events, make inferences <u>Text types:</u> factual recount, report, procedure <u>Genres:</u> diary, biology, art, earth science, design & technology	<u>Reading levels:</u> 23–25 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 680L–790L



Grade 4 Lessons • Map 21 to 28

If the student was placed at Lesson 101, Map 21 – they have been placed in the Grade 4 level of the program.

Placement	What do they know?	Next map	What will they study next?	What levels?
Map 21, Lesson 101 Students engage with a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts: imaginative, informative and persuasive, including narratives, poetry, scripts, recounts, procedures, reports, diagrams, reviews, discussions and explanations.	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 760L – reading level 24.	Map 21	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make predictions, figurative language, make connections, main idea & details <u>Text types:</u> narrative, drama script <u>Genres:</u> humor, adventure, Dreaming story, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 25–26 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 780L–810L
		Map 22	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> main idea & details, compare & contrast, sequence events, point of view, draw conclusions <u>Text types:</u> report, explanation, flowchart, persuasive letter <u>Genres:</u> society & culture, biology, citizenship, physical science	<u>Reading levels:</u> 25–26 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 790L–820L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 780L – reading level 24.	Map 23	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> point of view, cause & effect, visualization, sequence events, analyze characters <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, rhyming nonsense poem <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, mystery, humor, poetry, world tales	<u>Reading levels:</u> 25–26 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 800L–840L
		Map 24	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> word study, main idea & details, audience & purpose, visualization, important information <u>Text types:</u> report, procedure, flowchart, discussion, opinion, persuasive, explanation <u>Genres:</u> earth science, physical science, society, health & culture	<u>Reading levels:</u> 26 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 810L–840L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 800L – reading level 26.	Map 25	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> figurative language, analyze characters, audience & purpose, make inferences, important information <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, description, drama script <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, science fiction, mystery, legend, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 27 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 840L–860L
		Map 26	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, make inferences, cause & effect, word study <u>Text types:</u> report, explanation, discussion, opinion, editorial, exposition <u>Genres:</u> physical science, earth science, society & culture, biology	<u>Reading levels:</u> 27 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 820L–850L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 820L – reading level 26.	Map 27	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make connections, make inferences, word study, cause & effect, compare & contrast <u>Text types:</u> narrative, first person narrative, rhyming free verse <u>Genres:</u> science fiction, mystery, realistic fiction, poetry, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 27–28 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 840L–870L
		Map 28	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make connections, fact & opinion, compare & contrast, draw conclusions <u>Text types:</u> procedural recount, report, information, factual recount <u>Genres:</u> environment, earth science, society & health, biology	<u>Reading levels:</u> 27–28 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 850L–870L



Grade 5 Lessons • Map 29 to 36

If the student was placed at Lesson 141, Map 29 – they have been placed in the Grade 5 level of the program.

Placement	What do they know?	Next map	What will they study next?	What levels?
Map 29, Lesson 141 Students engage with a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts: imaginative, informative and persuasive, including narratives, poetry, scripts, recounts, procedures, reports, diagrams, reviews, discussions and explanations.	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 850L – reading level 27.	Map 29	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, analyze character, sequence events <u>Text types:</u> narrative, persuasive <u>Genres:</u> fantasy, realistic fiction, opinion, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 28 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 870L–890L
		Map 30	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> visualization, make inferences, word study <u>Text types:</u> factual recount, discussion, procedure, statement, report <u>Genres:</u> history, biology, society & culture	<u>Reading levels:</u> 28 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 880L–910L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 860L – reading level 27.	Map 31	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> word study, point of view, character, figurative language, draw conclusions <u>Text types:</u> narrative, rhyming poem <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, historical adventure, poetry, fairytale	<u>Reading levels:</u> 28–29 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 880L–920L
		Map 32	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> cause & effect, draw conclusions, main idea & details, summarize, point of view <u>Text types:</u> factual recount, chart, explanation report, discussion, flowchart, persuasive, opinion <u>Genres:</u> earth science, physical science, science fiction	<u>Reading levels:</u> 28–29 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 900L–930L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 900L – reading level 28.	Map 33	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> cause & effect, make connections, make predictions, sequence events, figurative language <u>Text types:</u> narrative, drama script <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, historical adventure, mystery, fairytale	<u>Reading levels:</u> 29 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 920L–940L
		Map 34	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> read diagrams, fact & opinion, audience & purpose <u>Text types:</u> report, factual recount, explanation, procedure, diagrams <u>Genres:</u> biology, earth science, physical science	<u>Reading levels:</u> 29–30 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 930L–960L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 920L – reading level 28.	Map 35	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> main ideas & details, cause & effect, figurative language, make connections, make inferences <u>Text types:</u> narrative, free verse <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, mystery, historical adventure, poetry, fairytale	<u>Reading levels:</u> 29–30 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 940L–960L
		Map 36	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, fact & opinion, audience & purpose, make connections, word study <u>Text types:</u> factual recount, report, description, opinion letter, explanation, diagrams <u>Genres:</u> history, geography, biology, society & culture	<u>Reading levels:</u> 30–31 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 960L–980L



Grade 6 Lessons • Map 37 to 44

If the student was placed at Lesson 161, Map 37 – they have been placed in the Grade 6 level of the program.

Placement	What do they know?	Next map	What will they study next?	What levels?
Map 37, Lesson 161 Students engage with a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts: imaginative, informative and persuasive, including narratives, poetry, scripts, recounts, procedures, reports, diagrams, reviews, discussions and explanations.	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 960L – reading level 30.	Map 37	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> analyze characters, draw conclusions, make inferences, audience & purpose, summarize <u>Text types:</u> narrative, script, recount <u>Genres:</u> historical adventure, realistic fiction, comedy, Dreaming story	<u>Reading levels:</u> 31 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 980L–1010L
		Map 38	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> word study, main idea & details, point of view, make connections, fact & opinion <u>Text types:</u> persuasive exposition, information, procedure, explanation, persuasive discussion <u>Genres:</u> society & culture, cooking, biology, space, environment	<u>Reading levels:</u> 31–32 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 990L–1020L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 990L – reading level 30.	Map 39	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> summarize, audience & purpose, figurative language, word study <u>Text types:</u> narrative, song lyrics, free verse <u>Genres:</u> realistic fiction, humor, poetry, fable	<u>Reading levels:</u> 31–32 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 1010L–1050L
		Map 40	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, cause & effect, main idea & details, audience & purpose, read diagrams <u>Text types:</u> persuasive exposition, report, instructions, flowchart, explanation <u>Genres:</u> space, environment, biology, society & culture	<u>Reading levels:</u> 32–33 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 1020L–1080L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 1030L – reading level 31.	Map 41	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make predictions, summarize, cause & effect, visualization <u>Text types:</u> narrative, speech, script <u>Genres:</u> science fiction, historical adventure, humor, legend	<u>Reading levels:</u> 32–34 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 1050L–1100L
		Map 42	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> make inferences, word study, sequence events, fact & opinion, cause & effect <u>Text types:</u> factual recount, diary, explanation, chart, form, diagrams <u>Genres:</u> space, history, society & health, culture, earth science	<u>Reading levels:</u> 33–34 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 1080L–1150L
	Students can read and comprehend at Lexile level 1080L – reading level 33.	Map 43	Fiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> point of view, make connections, draw conclusions, cause & effect <u>Text types:</u> narrative, rhyming hexameter verse <u>Genres:</u> realistic, legend, poetry, myth	<u>Reading levels:</u> 34 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 1100L–1150L
		Map 44	Nonfiction <u>Comprehension strategies:</u> compare & contrast, sequence events, read diagrams, make connections, draw conclusions <u>Text types:</u> information, procedure, report, diary, factual recount <u>Genres:</u> society & culture, geography, history, careers	<u>Reading levels:</u> 34 <u>Lexile levels:</u> 1150L–1200L