

# LevelUp Interactive Phonics Scope and Sequence

The LevelUp interactive phonics program provides a systematic phonics practice that builds students' skills in phonemic awareness. Students progress through a fun, effective series of interactive ebooks designed to teach phonics skills following this scope and sequence.

## Scope and Sequence

### Unit 1

### Uppercase and Lowercase Letters

Students are introduced to the lowercase and uppercase letters of the alphabet and their phoneme sounds. In addition, students practice writing the letters and focus on identifying words that begin with these phoneme sounds.

#### Level 1

#### Kindergarten

- The Letter Cc
- The Letter Mm
- The Letter Tt
- The Letter Aa

#### Level 2

#### Kindergarten

- The Letter Rr
- The Letter Ss
- The Letter Pp
- The Letter Ii

#### Level 3

#### Kindergarten

- The Letter Bb
- The Letter Ff
- The Letter Gg
- The Letter Oo

Level 4

Kindergarten

- The Letter Hh
- The Letter Jj
- The Letter Ll
- The Letter Ee

Level 5

Kindergarten

- The Letter Dd
- The Letter Ww
- The Letter Qq
- The Letter Uu

Level 6

Kindergarten

- The Letter Kk
- The Letter Nn
- The Letter Vv
- The Letter Xx
- The Letter Yy
- The Letter Zz

## Unit 2

## CVC Words

Students are introduced to short vowel phonemes, mainly in CVC words. In addition, students will learn about building short vowel words, letter sounds at the beginning and ending of words, and word families.

Level 1

Kindergarten/First Grade

The Short Vowel /a/ with word families:  
**-at, -am, -an, -ap, and -ad**

Level 2

Kindergarten/First Grade

The Short Vowel /i/ with word families:  
**-ig, -in, -ip, -ill, and -id**

Level 3

Kindergarten/First Grade

The Short Vowel /o/ with word families:  
**-op, -ob, -ox, -ot, and -og**

Level 4

Kindergarten/First Grade

The Short Vowel /e/ with word families:  
**-ed, -ell, -en, -et, and -em**

Level 5

Kindergarten/First Grade

The Short Vowel /u/ with word families:  
-up, -ut, -un, -ub, and -ug

Level 6

Kindergarten/First Grade

The Short Vowels:  
Review of Levels 1 - 5

## Unit 3

## Consonant Blends and Consonant Digraphs

Students are introduced to initial consonant blends in CCVC words, final consonant blends in CVCC words, and final consonant digraphs. Students learn how to sound out, blend, pronounce, and create words with consonant blends.

Level 1

First Grade

### Initial Consonant Blends

- The /bl/ Blend
- The /cl/ Blend
- The /fl/ Blend
- The /gl/ Blend
- The /pl/ Blend
- The /sl/ Blend

Level 2

First Grade

### Initial Consonant Blends

- The /br/ Blend
- The /cr/ Blend
- The /dr/ Blend
- The /gr/ Blend
- The /fr/ Blend
- The /pr/ Blend
- The /tr/ Blend

Level 3

First Grade

### Initial Consonant Blends

- The /sk/ Blend
- The /sm/ Blend
- The /sn/ Blend
- The /sp/ Blend
- The /st/ Blend
- The /sw/ Blend
- The /tw/ Blend

Level 4

First Grade

### Initial Consonant Blends

- The /scr/ Blend
- The /spl/ Blend
- The /str/ Blend
- The /thr/ Blend

Level 5

First Grade

#### Final Consonant Blends

- The Final Blend /nd/
- The Final Blend /nt/
- The Final Blend /st/
- The Final Blend /sk/
- The Final Blend /mp/
- The Final Blend /lk/
- The Final Blend /lt/
- The Final Blend /ft/
- The Final Blend /ck/
- The Final Blend /dge/

Level 6

First Grade

#### Final Consonant Blends

- The Final Blend /ng/
- The Final Blend /nk/

Level 7

First Grade

#### Consonant Digraphs

- The /ch/ Digraph
- The /sh/ Digraph
- The /th/ Digraph
- The /wh/ Digraph
- The /tch/ Digraph
- The /ph/ Digraph

## Unit 4

## CVCe Words

Students are introduced to long vowel phonemes in silent final e (CVCe) words. In addition, students will learn about building and pronouncing long vowel words with the silent final e, and word families using long vowel/silent e combinations.

Level 1

First Grade

The Long Vowel /a\_e/ and word families:  
**-ate, -ake, -ane, -ale, and -ame**

Level 2

First Grade

The Long Vowel /i\_e/ and word families:  
**-ime, -ine, -ive, -ire, and -ide**

Level 3

First Grade

The Long Vowel /o\_e/ and word families:  
**-ose, -one, -obe, -ope, and -ole**

Level **4**

**First Grade**

The Long Vowel /u\_e/ and word families:  
**-ube, -ute, -ume, -une, and -uge**

Level **5**

**First Grade**

The Long Vowel /e\_e/ and word families:  
**-ete and -eme**

## Unit 5

## Long Vowels and Vowel Digraphs

Students are introduced to long vowels and vowel digraphs. Students will learn about pronouncing and building words with the spelling-sound correspondences for common vowel team conventions representing long vowel sounds.

Level **1**

**First Grade**

The Long Vowel /a/:  
**AI and AY**

Level **2**

**First Grade**

The Long Vowel /e/:  
**EE, EA, and EY**

Level **3**

**First Grade**

The Long Vowel /o/:  
**OA, OW, and OE**

Level **4**

**First Grade**

The Long Vowel /i/:  
**IE and IGH**

Level **5**

First Grade

The Long Vowel /u/:  
**UE**

Level **6**

First Grade

The Long Y Sound

Level **7**

First Grade

The Long Vowel /e/:  
**IE**

## Unit 6

### r-Controlled Vowels

Students are introduced to r-controlled vowels. Students learn how to sound out, pronounce, and identify words with r-controlled vowels in them.

Level **1**

First Grade

The r-Controlled Vowel:  
**/ar/**

Level **2**

First Grade

The r-Controlled Vowels:  
**/er/, /ir/, and /ur/**

Level **3**

First Grade

The r-Controlled Vowel:  
**/or/**

Level **4**

First Grade

The r-Controlled Vowels:  
**Review of Levels 1 - 3**

## Unit 7

## Vowel Diphthongs

Students are introduced to vowel diphthongs. Students will learn about pronouncing and identifying words with vowel diphthongs.

Level **1**

First Grade

The /aw/ Sound:  
**AU and AW**

Level **2**

First Grade

The /ow/ Sound:  
**OU and OW**

Level **3**

First Grade

The /oi/ Sound:  
**OI and OY**

Level **4**

First Grade

The Long /oo/ Sound  
The Short /oo/ Sound  
The Long /oo/ and Short /oo/ Sounds

Level **5**

First Grade

The /ew/ Sound:  
**UI and EW**

## Unit 8

## Multisyllabic Words

Students are introduced to a progressive list of phonemic awareness and skills including identifying a variety of multisyllabic words. Students will learn about adding affixes to root words, syllables, secondary sounds for consonant letters, how to build compound words, the use of apostrophes, and homophones.

Level **1**

First Grade

Prefixes:  
**un-, re-, mis-, and dis-**

Level **2**

**First Grade**

Inflectional Endings:  
**-s, -es, -ing, and -ed**

Level **3**

**First Grade**

Multisyllabic words ending with -le

Level **4**

**First Grade**

Closed Syllables

Level **5**

**First Grade**

Open Syllables

Level **6**

**Second Grade**

The Soft Letter C  
The Soft Letter G

Level **7**

**Second Grade**

Suffixes:  
**-ful, -less, -able, and -ish**

Level **8**

**Second Grade**

Compound Words

Level **9**

**Second Grade**

Contractions

Level **10**

**Second Grade**

Possessives

Level **11**

**Second Grade**

Homophones