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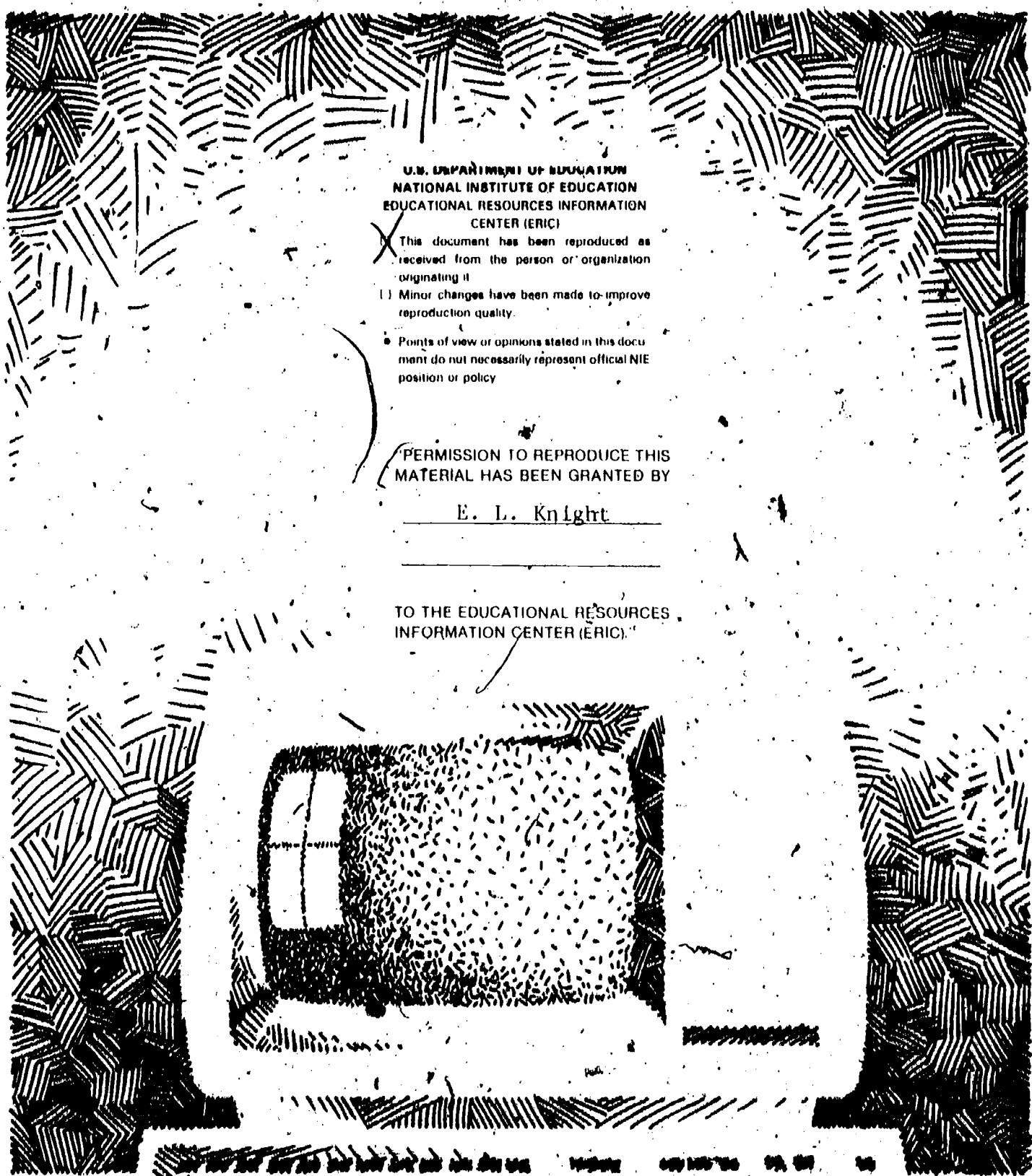
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Designed for use by South Carolina school districts planning to include microcomputer language arts software for grades one through eight in teaching the Basic Skills Assessment Program. (BSAP) objectives in grades one through eight, this booklet presents titles of software programs given a favorable review by review services, and correlates them with the BSAP reading and writing objectives. Following an introductory section that describes the correlation system and lists the BSAP objectives, the sections of the booklet are divided as follows: (1) reading software BSAP correlation, (2) writing software selection, (3) word processing software selection, (4) Cognitive Skills Assessment Battery (CSAB) selection, (5) South Carolina Department of Education BSAP objectives, (6) software evaluation checklist, (7) software evaluation checklist explanation, and (8) name and address of curriculum systems containing microcomputer software in reading and writing. (HTH)

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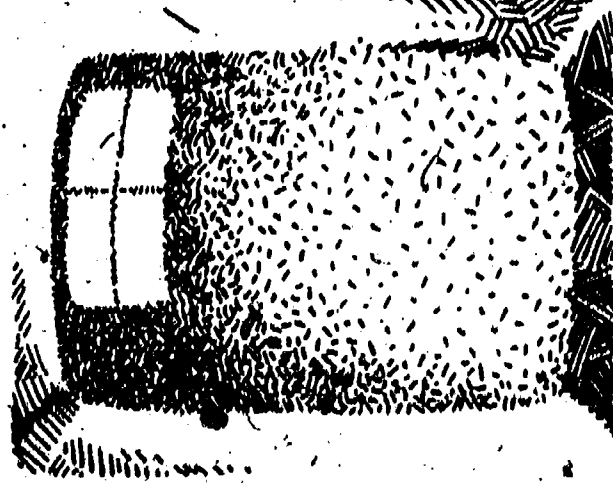
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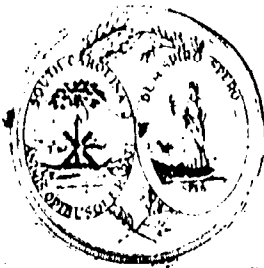
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ADVISORY LISTING OF MICROCOMPUTER LANGUAGE ARTS PROGRAMS  
CORRELATED TO GRADES 1-8 BASIC SKILLS ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (BSAP) OBJECTIVES



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## INTRODUCTION.

A Microcomputer Language Arts Advisory Committee composed of South Carolina public school Language Arts consultants and teachers and Department of Education personnel developed this publication. It is designed for use by school districts which plan to include microcomputer language arts software grades 1-8 in teaching BSAP objectives in Reading and Writing.

The committee examined grades 1-8 Language Arts software reviews that had been collected from the major microcomputer review services in the U.S. Those language arts software programs that had been given favorable reviews were chosen for inclusion in this publication. Committee members also used their own knowledge of many of the programs in deciding whether or not to include them.

The selected software programs were then correlated to the Reading and Writing BSAP Objectives by the numbering system below.

### READING

#### \*Correlation Key

Grades . . . . .	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1-Decoding and Word Meaning	1-1	2-1	3-1	4-1	5-1	6-1	7-1	8-1
a. Sight Recognition	a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
b. Phonetic Decoding	b	b	b	b	b	b	b	b
c. Contextual Word Meaning	c	c	c	c	c	c	c	c
d. Structural Word Meaning	d	d	d	d	d	d	d	d
2-Details	1-2	2-2	3-2	4-2	5-2	6-2	7-2	8-2
3-Main Idea	1-3	2-3	3-3	4-3	5-3	6-3	7-3	8-3
4-Reference Usage	1-4	2-4	3-4	4-4	5-4	6-4	7-4	8-4
5-Inference	1-5	2-5	3-5	4-5	5-5	6-5	7-5	8-5
6-Analysis of Literature	1-6	2-6	3-6	4-6	5-6	6-6	7-6	8-6

### WRITING

#### \*Correlation Key

Grades . . . . .	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1-Handwriting	1-1	2-1	3-1	4-1	5-1	6-1	7-1	8-1
2-Mechanics	1-2	2-2	3-2	4-2	5-2	6-2	7-2	8-2
3-Word Usage	1-3	2-3	3-3	4-3	5-3	6-3	7-3	8-3
4-Sentence Formation	1-4	2-4	3-4	4-4	5-4	6-4	7-4	8-4
5-Composition	1-5	2-5	3-5	4-5	5-5	6-5	7-5	8-5

\* In this Correlation Key the left-hand number denotes the grade and the right-hand number the BSAP Objective.



This correlation of selected software to BSAP Reading and Writing Objectives should be used only as a beginning point in the selection, purchase, and use of any of this software. Before buying any of these programs, each should be previewed and selected on the basis of one's individual instructional needs and objectives. Software may receive good reviews and work well for others but not meet your needs. Ultimately one must individually select software for identified needs.

The committee's chief objective was the selection of software in reading and writing that had been favorably reviewed. As they worked through this process, however, several pieces of software were identified in the area of CSAB for kindergarten or first grade. A decision was made to devote a section in the publication to listing this selected CSAB software as an additional service to schools.

In examining software it was found that a few publishers had developed complete curriculum packages or systems with only a part of them being computer software. These are listed separately without any correlation on page 55.

Also included in this publication is other pertinent information such as cost, publisher, computer required for using each program, etc.

If you have questions concerning the software in this publication, please contact the Office of Instructional Technology, State Department of Education, Room 205, Rutledge Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

Appreciation is expressed to all committee members who developed these materials.

Clyde H. Green, Director  
Office of Instructional Technology



SOFTWARE PROGRAMS CORRELATED TO EACH BSAP OBJECTIVE\*

READING

(GRADE S)

	1	2	3
1. Decoding and Word Meaning			
a. Sight Recognition	16, 34	16	5
b. Phonetic Decoding			
c. Contextual Word Meaning		4	4, 10, 25, 30
d. Structural Word Meaning		6	6, 24
2. Details	28	28	28
3. Main Idea			
4. Reference Usage	1	1	1, 13
5. Inference			
6. Analysis of Literature	8, 9, 20	8, 9, 20	7, 8, 9, 15, 19, 20

WRITING

(GRADE S)

	1	2	3
1. Handwriting			
2. Mechanics	6, 13, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 32, 33, 34	6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 32, 33, 34	2, 6, 7, 12, 13, 17, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34
3. Word Usage	9, 19	9, 11, 19, 30	8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 17, 19, 30
4. Sentence Formation	9	9, 11	9, 11
5. Composition		11, 27	5, 11, 17, 27

\* In developing this publication, each piece of software is listed in alphabetical order and in numerical order. A particular piece of software may be correlated to more than one BSAP objective. Also, only a part of most pieces of software is appropriate for the achievement of the BSAP objective to which it is correlated.

SOFTWARE PROGRAMS CORRELATED TO EACH BSAP OBJECTIVE\*

READING

(GRADE S)

4	5	6	7	8
5, 26, 29	5, 26, 29	5, 26, 29	5, 26, 29	5, 26, 29
4, 10, 22, 21, 25, 30, 33	4, 10, 11, 12, 21, 25, 30, 33	10, 11, 12, 21, 25, 27, 30, 31, 32, 33	10, 12, 21, 25, 27, 31	10, 12, 25, 27, 31, 32
6, 24	6, 14, 24, 35	14, 24, 31, 32, 35	14, 24, 31, 32, 35	14, 24, 31, 32, 35
2, 23, 28	2, 23, 28	2, 23, 28	2, 23	2, 23
2, 23	2, 23	2, 17, 23	2, 17, 23	2, 17, 23
1, 3, 13	1, 3, 13	1, 3, 13	1, 3, 13	1, 3, 13
	22	22	22	22
7, 8, 15, 18, 19	7, 15, 18, 19	7, 15, 18	7, 15	7, 15

WRITING

(GRADE S)

4	5	6	7	8
2, 6, 7, 12, 13, 17, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34	2, 3, 6, 7, 12, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34	2, 3, 6, 7, 12, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34	2, 3, 6, 7, 13, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 26, 32, 33, 34	2, 3, 6, 7, 12, 16, 17, 20, 23, 24, 26, 32, 33, 34
4, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 17, 19, 30	1, 4, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 30	1, 4, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 30	1, 4, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 30	1, 4, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 30
9, 11, 14, 21	1, 9, 14, 21	1, 9, 14, 18, 21	1, 9, 14, 18, 21, 22	1, 9, 14, 18, 21, 22
4, 5, 11, 17, 21, 27, 28	4, 5, 17, 21, 27, 28, 29	4, 5, 17, 21, 27, 28, 29, 36	4, 5, 17, 21, 27, 28, 29, 35, 36	4, 5, 17, 21, 27, 28, 29, 35, 36

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LANGUAGE ARTS SOFTWARE BSAP CORRELATION  
GRADES 1-8

-- R E A D I N G --

1. Title: ALPHABETIZATION SEQUENCES, GRADES 1-8  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice with classroom management  
BSAP Objective: 1-4; 2-4; 3-4; 4-4; 5-4; 6-4; 7-4; 8-4  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC  
  
Producer: Milliken Publishing Company  
1100 Research Boulevard  
St. Louis, MO 63132  
  
Copyright: 1980  
Price: \$75
  
2. Title: ALPINE SKIER  
Grade Level: 4-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 4-2,3; 5-2,3; 6-2,3; 7-2,3; 8-2,3  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
TRS-80 Model I, III, 32K, disk drive, BASIC. Color  
monitor optional  
  
Producer: Data Command  
P. O. Box 548  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
  
Copyright: 1981  
Price: \$113.75 set; or \$29.95 for each of the 4 diskettes
  
3. Title: BOOKSHELF  
Grade Level: 4-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 4-4; 5-4; 6-4; 7-4; 8-4  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
Atari 400 or 800, 16K, disk drive or cassette recorder,  
BASIC; PET, 16K, disk drive or cassette recorder,  
BASIC  
  
Producer: Microcomputers in Education (Apple & PET version)  
4148 Winnetka Avenue, North  
Minneapolis, MN 55427  
  
JMH Software (Atari version)  
4850 Wellington Lane  
Minneapolis, MN 55442  
  
Copyright: 1981  
Price: \$7.50 diskette, \$9.95 cassette

4. Title: CONTEXT CLUES  
 Grade Level: 2-5  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 2-1c; 3-1c; 4-1c; 5-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II, 48K, Applesoft, disk  
 Producer: Learning Well  
 200 South Service Road  
 Roslyn Heights, NY 11577  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$49.95
5. Title: \*CRYPTOCUBE  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: One or two players  
 Instructional Mode: Educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 3-1a; 4-1a; 5-1a; 6-1a; 7-1a; 8-1a  
 System Requirement: Apple II+ or IIe, 48K, disk drive, FORTH; Atari 400, 800, or XL series, 48K, disk drive, FORTH; Commodore 64, disk drive, FORTH; IBM PC, 64K, disk drive, FORTH  
 Producer: DesignWare, Incorporated  
 185 Berry Street  
 San Francisco, CA 94107  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$39.95
6. Title: ELEMENTARY - VOLUME 5  
 Grade Level: 2-5  
 Group Size: Individual or small group  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 2-1d; 3-1d; 4-1d; 5-1d  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 32K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
 2520 Broadway Drive  
 St. Paul, MN 55113  
 Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$45

\*Reading and Writing

7. Title: FACT OR OPINION  
Grade Level: 3-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Educational game  
BSAP Objective: 3-6; 4-6; 5-6; 6-6; 7-6; 8-6  
System Requirement: Apple II, 48K, Applesoft, disk

Producer: Learning Well  
200 South Service Road  
Roslyn Heights, NY 11577  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$49.95

8. Title: GERTRUDE'S PUZZLES  
Grade Level: 1-4  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 1-6; 2-6; 3-6; 4-6  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: The Learning Company  
4370 Alpine Road  
Portola Valley, CA 94025  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$44.95

9. Title: GERTRUDE'S SECRETS  
Grade Level: 1-3  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Educational game  
BSAP Objective: 1-6; 2-6; 3-6  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: The Learning Company  
4370 Alpine Road  
Portola Valley, CA 94025  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$44.95

10. Title: \*HOMONYMS  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
 BSAP Objective: 3-1c; 4-1c; 5-1c; 6-1c; 7-1c; 8-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3
- Producer: Hartley Courseware, Incorporated  
 P. O. Box 431  
 Diamondale, MI 48821
- Copyright: 1981, 1982  
 Price: \$32.95
11. Title: HOMONYMS IN CONTEXT  
 Grade Level: 4-6  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice  
 BSAP Objective: 4-1c; 5-1c; 6-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, color monitor, Applesoft BASIC; TRS-80 Model I/III, 48K, disk drive or 16K cassette recorder, BASIC
- Producer: Random House School Division  
 Department 9017  
 400 Hahn Road  
 Westminster, MD 21157
- Copyright: 1981  
 Price: \$60 diskette; \$39 cassette
12. Title: HORRIBLE HOMONYMS  
 Grade Level: 6-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice  
 BSAP Objective: 6-1c; 7-1c; 8-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC and machine language; TRS-80, 16K, cassette recorder, BASIC
- Producer: George Earl  
 1302 South General McMullen  
 San Antonio, TX 78237
- Copyright: 1981, 1982  
 Price: \$29.95 diskette; \$19.95 cassette

\*Reading and Writing

13. Title: LIBRARY SKILLS  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
 BSAP Objective: 3-4; 4-4; 5-4; 6-4; 7-4; 8-4  
 System Requirement: Apple II, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC
- Producer: Intel-Tutor Software  
 172 Broadway  
 Woodcliff Lake, NJ 07675
- Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$42
14. Title: \*PIK-PEK-PUT  
 Grade Level: 5-8  
 Group Size: Individual or small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 5-1d; 6-1d; 7-1d; 8-1d  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, one disk drive, color monitor, Applesoft, DOS 3.3
- Producer: Data Command  
 (Division of Imperial International Education  
 P. O. Box 548  
 Kankakee, IL 60901)
- Copyright: 1981  
 Price: \$227.50
15. Title: \*PLATO, READING AND WRITING TITLES  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 3-6; 4-6; 5-6; 6-6; 7-6; 8-6  
 System Requirement: TI 99/4A  
 Apple  
 Atari
- Producer: Control Data Corporation  
 8100 34th Avenue, South  
 Minneapolis, MN 55540
- Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$49.95

\*Reading and Writing



16. Title: READER RABBIT AND THE FABULOUS WORD FACTORY  
Grade Level: 1-2  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skill practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 1-1a; 2-1a  
System Requirement: Apple IIe, II+, 48K, disk drive, TV or monitor

Producer: The Learning Company  
4370 Alpine Road  
Portola Valley, CA 94025  
Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$39.95

17. Title: \*READING FLIGHT  
Grade Level: 6-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 6-3; 7-3; 8-3  
System Requirement: TI 99/4 and TI 99/4A, color video (headset and adapter optional)

Producer: Scott, Foresman and Company  
1900 E. Lake Avenue  
Glenview, IL 60025  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$54.95

18. Title: READING RALLY  
Grade Level: 4-6  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 4-6; 5-6; 6-6  
System Requirement: TI 99/4A, monitor, headset and adapter (optional)

Producer: Scott, Foresman and Company  
1900 E. Lake Avenue  
Glenview, IL 60025  
Copyright: 1982, 1983  
Price: \$54.95

\*Reading and Writing

19. Title: READING ROUNDUP  
Grade Level: 3-5  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 3-6; 4-6; 5-6  
System Requirement: Apple II, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3;  
Atari 400, 600XL, 800, 800XL, 1200XL, 1400XL, 1450XL,  
16K, cartridge; TI 99/4 or 4A, cartridge  
Producer: Scott, Foresman and Company  
1900 East Lake Avenue  
Glenview, IL 60025  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$54.95

20. Title: \*RHYMES AND RIDDLES  
Grade Level: 1-4  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 1-6; 2-6; 3-6; 4-6  
System Requirement: Apple II, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3;  
Atari 400/800/1200, 48K, disk drive, DOS;  
IBM PC, 64K, disk drive, color monitor, MS-DOS  
Producer: Spinnaker Software  
215 First Street  
Cambridge, MA 02142  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$29.95

21. Title: RIDDLE ME THIS  
Grade Level: 4-7  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 4-1c; 5-1c; 6-1c; 7-1c  
System Requirement: Apple II or II+, 48K, disk drive, monitor, Applesoft,  
DOS 3.3  
Producer: Data Command  
Division of Imperial International Education  
P. O. Box 548  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$85.25

\*Reading and Writing

22. Title: SNOOPER TROOPER  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 5-5; 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
System Requirement: Apple IIe, 64K, DOS 3.3; II+, 48K, DOS 3.3;  
Atari 400 or 800, 48K; Commodore 64, disk; IBM-PC  
  
Producer: Spinnaker Software Corporation  
215 First Street  
Cambridge, MA 02142  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$44.95; (Commodore - \$39.95)

23. Title: TALES OF ADVENTURE; TALES OF DISCOVERY; TALES OF MYSTERY  
Grade Level: 4-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 4-2,3; 5-2,3; 6-2,3; 7-2,3; 8-2,3  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, IIc, 48K, disk drive;  
IBM-PC, PCjr, 64K, disk drive;  
Commodore 64, 64K, disk drive  
  
Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
902 Sylvan Avenue  
Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632  
Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$29.95 each program (3 programs)

24. Title: TANK TACTICS  
Grade Level: 3-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 3-1d; 4-1d; 5-1d; 6-1d; 7-1d; 8-1d  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, one disk drive, color monitor,  
Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
  
Producer: Data Command  
Division of Imperial International Education  
P. O. Box 548  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
Copyright: 1981  
Price: \$197.50

25. Title: TRICKSTER COYOTE  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 3-1c; 4-1c; 5-1c; 6-1c; 7-1c; 8-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II, Applesoft, 48K, disk  
 Producer: Reader's Digest Services, Inc.  
 Microcomputer Software Division  
 Pleasantville, NY 10570  
 Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$48.95
26. Title: VOCABULARY QUIZ  
 Grade Level: 4-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Rote drill, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 4-1a; 5-1a; 6-1a; 7-1a; 8-1a  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 32K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Edutek Corporation  
 P. O. Box 11354  
 Palo Alto, CA 94306  
 Copyright: 1980  
 Price: \$25
27. Title: VOCABULARY SKILLS: CONTEXT CLUES  
 Grade Level: 6-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 6-1c; 7-1c; 8-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, 48K, disk drive, monitor, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Milton Bradley  
 Educational Division  
 443 Shaker Road  
 E. Longmeadow, MA 01028  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$44.95

28. Title: WHO, WHAT, WHERE, WHEN, WHY  
 Grade Level: 1-6  
 Group Size: Individual or small group  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
 BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3
- Producer: Hartley Courseware, Incorporated  
 P. O. Box 431  
 Diamondale, MI 48821
- Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$35.95
29. Title: WORD ATTACK  
 Grade Level: 4-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 4-1a; 5-1a; 6-1a; 7-1a; 8-1a  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
 Commodore 64, disk drive, BASIC;  
 IBM-PC 64K, disk drive, BASIC;  
 Joysticks optional for Apple and Commodore
- Producer: Davidson and Associates  
 6069 Groveoak Place #12  
 Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90274
- Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$49.95 (\$10.00 back-up diskette)
30. Title: \*WORD BLASTER  
 Grade Level: 3-6  
 Group Size: Individual or small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 3-1c; 4-1c; 5-1c; 6-1c  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
 Atari 400/800, 48K, disk drive, BASIC; TRS-80 Model I, 16K, cassette recorder, BASIC; TRS-80 Model III or IV, 16K, cassette recorder or 48K disk drive, BASIC
- Producer: Random House School Division  
 201 East 50th Street  
 New York, NY 10022
- Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$150
- \*Reading and Writing

31. Title: WORD HERD - LOOK ALIKE  
Grade Level: 6-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 6-1cd; 7-1cd; 8-1cd  
System Requirement: Apple, 48K, diskette and backup with 21 page Support Manual  
  
Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
2520 Broadway Drive  
St. Paul, MN 55113  
  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$41

32. Title: WORD HERD - SOUND ALIKE  
Grade Level: 6-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 6-1cd; 7-1cd; 8-1cd  
System Requirement: Apple, 48K, diskette and backup with 23 page Support Manual  
  
Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
2520 Broadway Drive  
St. Paul, MN 55113  
  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$41

33. Title: WORD MASTER  
Grade Level: 4-6  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Rote drill, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 4-1c; 5-1c; 6-1c  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, color monitor, Applesoft, DOS 3.3;  
TI-99/4A, disk drive, color monitor, BASIC;  
IBM-PC, disk drive, color monitor, BASIC;  
Atari 800, 48K, disk drive, color monitor, BASIC;  
Commodore 64K, disk drive, color monitor, BASIC  
  
Producer: DLM, Incorporated  
P. O. Box 4000  
Allen, TX 75002  
  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$44

34. Title: WORD MEMORY PROGRAM  
Grade Level: 1  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Rote drill, skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 1-1a  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
Producer: Instructional Communications Technology, Inc.  
10 Stepar Place  
Huntington Station, New York 11746  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$65

35. Title: WORD STRUCTURE  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial with classroom management  
BSAP Objective: 5-1d; 6-1d; 7-1d; 8-1d  
System Requirement: Apple II+ or IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
JRS-80 Model III or IV, 48K, disk drive, TRS DOS  
Level II BASIC; Printer and color monitor optional  
Producer: Borg-Warner Educational Systems  
600 W. University Drive  
Arlington Heights, IL 60004  
Copyright: 1981  
Price: \$320 (Lease option also available)



LANGUAGE ARTS SOFTWARE BSAP CORRELATION  
GRADES 1-8

-- WRITING --

1. Title: BASIC ENGLISH SKILLS: SENTENCES  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 5-3,4; 6-3,4; 7-3,4; 8-3,4  
System Requirement: Apple II Family, 48K, disk drive, monitor, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Encyclopedia Britannica Educational Corporation  
425 N. Michigan Avenue  
Chicago, IL 60611

Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$349

2. Title: CAPITALIZATION  
Grade Level: 3-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Hartley Courseware, Incorporated  
P. O. Box 431  
Diamondale, MI 48821

Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$49.95

3. Title: CAPITALIZATION PLUS  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual, small group, class  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Microcomputer Workshops Corporation  
225 Westchester Avenue  
Portchester, NY 10573

Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$44.95

4. Title: COMPUPOEM  
 Grade Level: 4-8  
 Group Size: Individual, small group, class  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
 BSAP Objective: 4-3,5; 5-3,5; 6-3,5; 7-3,5; 8-3,5  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, DOS 3.3 disk drive, Applesoft  
 Producer: Stephen Marcus  
 South Coast Writing Project  
 Graduate School of Education  
 University of California  
 Santa Barbara, CA 93106  
 Copyright: 1980, 1983  
 Price: \$16.95
5. Title: CREATE YOUR OWN GREETING CARDS  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 3-5; 4-5; 5-5; 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
 System Requirement: Apple II Family, 64K, disk drive, printer; Applesoft, DOS 3.3; IBM-PC, disk drive, MS-DOS  
 Producer: Computer Skill Builders  
 3130 North Dodge Boulevard  
 P. O. Box 42050, Department 30  
 Tucson, AZ 85733  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$39.95
6. Title: CROSSWORD MAGIC  
 Grade Level: 1-8  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, floppy disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Atari 400/800, 48K, disk drive, DOS  
 Producer: L & S Computerware  
 1589 Fraser Drive  
 Sunnyvale, CA 94088  
 Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$49.95

7. Title: \*CRYPTOCUBE  
Grade Level: 3-8  
Group Size: One or two players  
Instructional Mode: Educational game  
BSAP Objective: 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II+ or IIe, 48K, disk drive, FORTH;  
Atari 400, 800 or XL Series, 48K, disk drive,  
FORTH;  
Commodore 64, disk drive, FORTH;  
IBM-PC, 64K, disk drive, FORTH

Producer: Designware  
185 Berry Street  
San Francisco, CA 94107  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$39.95

8. Title: DRAGON GAMES  
Grade Level: 3-6  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 3-3; 4-3; 5-3; 6-3  
System Requirement: PET, 32K or 16K disk drive or cassette recorder,  
BASIC; TRS-80 Model I or III, 22K or 16K, disk  
drive or cassette recorder, BASIC;  
Apple II+, 48K, DOS 3.2 or 3.3 disk drive, Apple-  
soft BASIC;  
Atari 800, 48K, disk drive, DOS

Producer: Educational Activities, Incorporated  
Box 392  
Freeport, NY 11520  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$49

9. Title: ELECTRIC ENGLISH LESSONS  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 1-3,4; 2-3,4; 3-3,4; 4-3,4; 5-3,4; 6-3,4; 7-3,4;  
8-3,4  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Total Information Education System (T.I.E.S.)  
Minnesota School District Data Processing Joint Board  
1925 West County Road B2  
St. Paul, MN 55113  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$74.95

\*Reading & Writing

10. Title: \*HOMONYMS  
Grade Level: 3-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 3-3; 4-3; 5-3; 6-3; 7-3; 8-3  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Hartley Courseware  
123 Bridge  
Diamondale, MI 48821

Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$32.95

11. Title: \*\*KIDWRITER  
Grade Level: 2-4  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 2-3,4,5; 3-3,4,5; 4-3,4,5  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, Applesoft BASIC, DOS 3.3; Commodore 64, 64K, disk drive; Atari 400, 800, 1200, 48K, Joystick; IBM-PC, 64K, MS-DOS

Producer: Spinnaker Software  
215 First Street  
Cambridge, MA 92142

Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$34.95

12. Title: MAGIC SPELLS  
Grade Level: 2-6  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48K, DOS 3.3, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC

Producer: Advanced Learning Technology, Incorporated  
4370 Alpine Road  
Portola Valley, CA 94025

Copyright: 1981  
Price: \$45

\*Reading and Writing  
\*\*Writing and Word Processing

13. Title: MASTER SPELL  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Management  
BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple 48K, diskette and backup with 29 page Support Manual
- Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
2620 Broadway Drive  
St. Paul, MN 55113
- Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$43
14. Title: MYSTERY SENTENCES  
Grade Level: 4-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 4-4; 5-4; 6-4; 7-4; 8-4  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, IIc, 48K, disk drive
- Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
902 Sylvan Avenue  
Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632
- Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$59.95
15. Title: NOUNS/PRONOUNS  
Grade Level: 3-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 3-3; 4-3; 5-3; 6-3; 7-3; 8-3  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, DOS 3.3 or 3.2
- Producer: Hartley Courseware, Inc.  
P. O. Box 431  
Diamondale, MI 48821
- Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$32.95

16. Title: \*PIK-PEK-PUT  
 Grade Level: 5-8  
 Group Size: Individual; small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, tutorial, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 5-2,3; 6-2,3; 7-2,3; 8-2,3  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, one disk drive, color monitor, Applesoft, DOS 3.3
- Producer: Data Command  
 Division of Imperial International Education  
 P. O. Box 548  
 Kankakee, IL 60901
- Copyright: 1981  
 Price: \$227.50
17. Title: \*PLATO, READING AND WRITING TITLES  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 3-2,3,5; 4-2,3,5; 5-2,3,5; 6-2,3,5; 7-2,3,5; 8-2,3,5  
 System Requirement: TI 99/4A  
 Apple  
 Atari
- Producer: Control Data Corporation  
 8100 34th Avenue South  
 Minneapolis, MN 55540
- Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$49.95
18. Title: \*READING FLIGHT  
 Grade Level: 6-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
 BSAP Objective: 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
 System Requirement: TI 99/4 and TI 99/4A, color video (headset and adapter optional)
- Producer: Scott, Foresman and Company  
 1900 E. Lake Avenue  
 Glenview, IL 60025
- Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$54.95

\*Reading and Writing

19. Title: \*RHYMES AND RIDDLES  
 Grade Level: 1-4  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 1-2,3; 2-2,3; 3-2,3; 4-2,3  
 System Requirement: Apple II, Iie, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3; Atari 400, 800, 1200, 48K, disk drive, DOS; IBM-PC, 64K, disk drive, color monitor, MS-DOS

Producer: Spinnaker Software  
 215 First Street  
 Cambridge, MA 02142

Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$29.95

20. Title: ~~SCRAMBLE~~  
 Grade Level: 1-8  
 Group Size: Individual or small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice  
 BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
 System Requirement: Apple II+ or Iie, 48K, disk drive, BASIC, color monitor optional

Producer: Ahead Designs  
 699 North Vulcan #88  
 Encinitas, CA 92024

Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$15.95

21. Title: SENTENCE COMBINING  
 Grade Level: 4-8  
 Group Size: Individual or small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice with classroom management  
 BSAP Objective: 4-4,5; 5-4,5; 6-4,5; 7-4,5; 8-4,5  
 System Requirement: Apple II+ or Iie, 48K, disk drive or 16K cassette recorder, Applesoft BASIC, printer and color monitor optional

Producer: Milliken Publishing Company  
 1100 Research Boulevard  
 St. Louis MO 63132

Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$95

\*Reading and Writing



22. Title: SENTENCE STRUCTURE - SKILL BUILDING ADVENTURES  
Grade Level: 7-8  
Group Size: Individual, small group  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 7-4; 8-4  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
Producer: Society for Visual Education, Incorporated (SVE)  
1345 Diversey Parkway  
Chicago, IL 60614  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$195

23. Title: SPELLICOPTER  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Educational game  
BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II, 48K; Atari 48K; IBM-PC and PCjr, 64K;  
Commodore 64K  
Producer: Design Ware  
185 Berry Street  
San Francisco, CA 94107  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$39.95

24. Title: SPELLING PACKAGE  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice  
BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II or II+, 32K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
PET 8K or 16K, cassette recorder or disk drive,  
BASIC. All packages include the required computer to  
tape recorder interface. Printer optional.  
Producer: Teaching Tools; Microcomputer  
Box 50065  
Palo Alto, CA 94303  
Copyright: 1981  
Price: \$99.95

25. Title: SPELLING, VOLUME 1  
Grade Level: 1-6  
Group Size: Individual, small group  
Instructional Mode: Rote drill, skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 32K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
2520 Broadway Drive  
St. Paul, MN 55113  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$44

26. Title: SPELLING, VOLUME 2  
Grade Level: 7-8  
Group Size: Individual, small group, class  
Instructional Mode: Rote drill, skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 32K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3

Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
2520 Broadway Drive  
St. Paul, MN 55113  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$44

27. Title: STORY MAKER  
Grade Level: 2-8  
Group Size: Individual, small group  
Instructional Mode: Educational game  
BSAP Objective: 2-5; 3-5; 4-5; 5-5; 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, IIc, 64K-128K, disk drive, Mouse, joystick or printer optional.

Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
902 Sylvan Avenue  
Englewood Cliff, NJ 07632  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$95

28. Title: STORY TREE  
Grade Level: 4-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 4-5; 5-5; 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, IIc, 64K, disk drive, printer optional; IBM-PC, PCjr, 64K, disk drive, printer optional; Commodore 64, 64K, disk drive

Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
902 Sylvan Avenue  
Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632

Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$59.95

29. Title: THAT'S MY STORY  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Writing skills, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 5-5; 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
System Requirement: Apple IIe, II+, 48K, disk drive, TV or monitor, printer optional.

Producer: Learning Well  
200 South Service Road  
Roslyn Heights, NY 11577

Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$59.95

30. Title: VERBS  
Grade Level: 2-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice, tutorial  
BSAP Objective: 2-3; 3-3; 4-3; 5-3; 6-3; 7-3; 8-3  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, DOS 3.3

Producer: Hartley Courseware, Incorporated  
P. O. Box 431  
Diamondale, MI 48821

Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$32.95

31. Title: \*WORD BLASTER  
Grade Level: 3-6  
Group Size: Individual or small group  
Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, educational game  
BSAP Objective: 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC;  
Atari 400/800, 48K, disk drive, BASIC;  
TRS-80 Model I, 16K, cassette recorder, BASIC;  
TRS-80 Model III or IV, 16K cassette recorder or  
48K, disk drive BASIC

Producer: Random House School Division  
201 East 50th Street  
New York, NY 10022

Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$150

32. Title: WORD FILE  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual or small groups  
Instructional Mode: Drill practice  
BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 32K, IIe, DOS 3.3

Producer: Hopkins Schools  
Evaluation Center  
1001 Highway 7  
Hopkins, MN 55343

Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$24.95

33. Title: WORD SCRAMBLER AND SUPER SPELLER  
Grade Level: 1-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2; 7-2; 8-2  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 32K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3;  
Atari 400, 800, 1200, 16K, cassette recorder, BASIC

Producer: Avant-Garde Creations  
P. O. Box 30160  
Eugene, OR 97403

Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$19.95

\*Reading and Writing

34. Title: WORD WIZARDS  
 Grade Level: 1-6  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill practice, educational game  
 BSAP Objective: 1-2; 2-2; 3-2; 4-2; 5-2; 6-2  
 System Requirement: Apple 48K, diskette and backup with 38 page Support Manual
- Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
 2520 Broadway Drive  
 St. Paul, MN 55113
- Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$44
35. Title: WRITING A CHARACTER SKETCH  
 Grade Level: 7-8  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 7-5; 8-5  
 System Requirement: Apple 48K, diskette and backup with 30 page Support Manual
- Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
 2520 Broadway Drive  
 St. Paul, MN 55113
- Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$43
36. Title: WRITING A NARRATIVE  
 Grade Level: 6-8  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 BSAP Objective: 6-5; 7-5; 8-5  
 System Requirement: Apple 48K, diskette and backup, with 34 page Support Manual
- Producer: Minnesota Educational Computing Consortium (MECC)  
 2520 Broadway Drive  
 St. Paul, MN 55113
- Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$43

WORDPROCESSING SECTION  
GRADES 1-8

1. Title: APPLE WRITER  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, III, single writer/edit mode,  
48K, 64K, 128K, BASIC  
Producer: Apple Computers, Incorporated  
20525 Mariani Avenue  
Cupertino, CA 95014  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: Apple II+ - \$150  
Apple IIe - \$195  
Apple III - \$225
  
2. Title: BANK STREET FILER  
Grade Level: 2-8  
Group Size: Individual, small group  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe; Atari 400, 800, 1200XL, BASIC;  
Commodore 64, (48-64K)  
Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
730 Broadway  
New York, NY 10003  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$95
  
3. Title: BANK STREET SPELLER  
Grade Level: 2-8  
Group Size: Individual, small group  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe; Atari 400, 800, 1200XL, BASIC;  
Commodore 64, (48-64K)  
Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
730 Broadway  
New York, NY 10003  
Copyright: 1983  
Price: \$95

4. Title: BANK STREET WRITER  
 Grade Level: 2-8  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Wordprocessing  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe; Atari Family; Commodore 64 (48-64K)  
 Producer: Scholastic, Incorporated  
 730 Broadway  
 New York, NY 10003  
 Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$30 - single diskette  
 \$95 - three program diskettes, 62 page User's Handbook
5. Title: ELECTRIC PENCIL  
 Grade Level: 6-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Wordprocessing  
 System Requirement: TRS-80 Model III, IV, Color Computer (16-48K); IBM-PC (48-512K)  
 Producer: I.J.G.  
 1953 West 11th Street  
 Upland, CA 91786  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$79.95 - Tape  
 \$89.95 - Disk
6. Title: IBM WRITING ASSISTANT  
 Grade Level: 5-8  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Word processing  
 System Requirement: IBM-PC, XT  
 Producer: IBM Product  
 (Any IBM Retail Vendor)  
 Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$149
7. Title: KIDWRITER  
 Grade Level: 2-4  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, Applesoft BASIC, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Spinnaker Software  
 215 First Street  
 Cambridge, MA 92142  
 Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$34.95



8. Title: PFS: WRITE  
 Grade Level: 5-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice  
 System Requirement: Apple IIe, 64K; IBM-PC, 64K, RAM, BASIC, monitor, disk drive, printer.  
 Producer: Software Publishing Corporation  
 1901 Landings Drive  
 Mt. View, CA 94043  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: Apple IIe - \$125  
 IBM-PC - \$140
9. Title: QUILL  
 Grade Level: 3-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, management  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, 64K, IIe, or IIc, 2 disk drives, 80 column card, printer, non-color monitor;  
 TRS 80 Model III/IV  
 Producer: DCH Educational Software  
 D C Heath and Company  
 125 Spring Street  
 Lexington, MA 02173  
 Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$150
10. Title: THINK TANK  
 Grade Level: 6-8  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe or III, 64K, 2 disk drives, PASCAL; IBM-PC, 256K, 2 disk drives, PASCAL, printer recommended. Optional for Apple II: Videx 80-column card or Viewmaster 80-column card  
 Producer: Living Videotext, Incorporated  
 1000 Elwood Court, Suite 232  
 Palo Alto, CA 94303  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$150 - Apple  
 \$195 - IBM

11. Title: VOLKSWRITER  
Grade Level: 7,8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
System Requirement: IBM-PC, 64K, disk drive, printer, PASCAL  
Producer: Lifetree Software, Incorporated  
177 Webster Street, Suite 342  
Monterey, CA 93940  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$195

12. Title: WORD HANDLER  
Grade Level: 5-8  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Tutorial  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48KB, RAM, DOS, Applesoft BASIC  
Producer: Silicon Valley Systems, Incorporated  
1625 El Camino Real #44  
Belmont, CA 94002  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$60

COGNITIVE SKILLS ASSESSMENT BATTERY (CSAB) SECTION

1. Title: ALPHABET BEASTS AND COMPANY  
Grade Level: Pre-K - 1  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Rote drill, educational game  
  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
  
Producer: Readers Digest Services  
Microcomputer Software Division  
Pleasantville, NY 10570  
  
Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$34.95
  
2. Title: ALPHABET CIRCUS  
Grade Level: K - 2  
Group Size: Individual  
Instructional Mode: Educational game  
  
System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC, DOS 3.3  
  
✓ Producer: Developmental Learning Materials  
1 DLM Park  
Allen, TX 75002  
  
Copyright: 1984  
Price: \$29.95
  
3. Title: BETTER VIEW A ZOO  
Grade Level: Preschool - 2  
Group Size: Individual, small group or class  
Instructional Mode: Educational activity  
  
System Requirement: TRS-80, Model III, 32K, disk drive, BASIC (Hybrid)  
  
Producer: Sunburst Communications  
39 Washington Avenue  
Pleasantville, NY 10507  
  
Copyright: 1982  
Price: \$35

4. Title: EARLY GAMES FOR YOUNG CHILDREN  
 Grade Level: (Ages - 2 1/2 to 6)  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Drill and practice, educational game  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft BASIC and Machine Language; Atari (all models) 24K, disk drive or 16K cassette recorder, BASIC and Machine Language; Commodore 64, disk drive, cassette recorder, BASIC and Machine Language; IBM-PC, 64K, disk drive; BASIC and Machine Language; TRS-80 Model I/III, 32K, disk drive or 16K cassette recorder, BASIC and Machine Language; TRS-80 Color Computer, 16K, disk drive or cassette recorder, BASIC and Machine Language; VIC-20 4K, cassette recorder, BASIC and Machine Language. Color monitor optional.
- Producer: Counterpoint Software, Incorporated  
 4005 West 65th Street, Suite 218  
 Minneapolis, MN 55435  
 Copyright: 1982  
 Price: \$29.95 (\$5.00 for back-up diskettes)
5. Title: FACEMAKER  
 Grade Level: Pre-K - 6  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Educational game  
 System Requirement: Apple II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3; Atari 400, 800, 1200, 48K, disk drive, DOS; IBM-PC, 64K, disk drive, color option, MS-DOS; Commodore 64K, disk drive, color option.
- Producer: Spinnaker Software  
 215 First Street  
 Cambridge, MA 02142  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$34.95
6. Title: FLOPPY TEACHES SAME AND DIFFERENT  
 Grade Level: Preschool - grade 6  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Educational game, simulation  
 System Requirement: Apple II Family, disk drive, monitor, Applesoft, DOS 3.3; TI 99/4A
- Producer: Floppy Enterprises  
 716 East Fillmore Avenue  
 Eau Claire, WI 54601  
 Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$29.95

7. Title: FLOPPY TEACHES WHAT IS MISSING  
 Grade Level: Preschool - grade 6  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Educational game, simulation  
 System Requirement: Apple II Family, disk drive, monitor, Applesoft  
 DOS 3.3; TI 99/4A  
 Producer: Floppy Enterprises  
 716 East Fillmore Avenue  
 Eau Claire, WI 54701  
 Copyright: 1984  
 Price: \$29.95
8. Title: JUGGLES' RAINBOW  
 Grade Level: Pre K - 1  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Skills practice, educational game  
 System Requirement: Atari 400, 800, 48K, disk drive, DOS; Apple II,  
 II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3;  
 Radio Shack Color Computer, 16K, disk drive, TRS-DOS  
 Producer: The Learning Company  
 4370 Alpine Road  
 Portola Valley, CA 94025  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$29.95
9. Title: LETTER RECOGNITION  
 Grade Level: K - 1  
 Group Size: Individual  
 Instructional Mode: Rote drill, tutorial  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, IIe, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft,  
 DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Hartley Courseware, Incorporated  
 123 Bridge  
 Diamondale, MI 48821  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$29.95

10. Title: STICKYBEAR ABC  
 Grade Level: Pre K - 1  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Rote drill, skills practice  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Xerox Education Publications  
 245 Long Hill Road  
 Middletown, CT 06457  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$39.95
11. Title: STICKYBEAR OPPOSITES  
 Grade Level: 3 - 6  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Rote drill, educational game  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Xerox Education Publications  
 245 Long Hill Road  
 Middletown, CT 06457  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$39.95
12. Title: STICKYBEAR SHAPES  
 Grade Level: 3-6  
 Group Size: Individual, small group  
 Instructional Mode: Rote drill, educational game  
 System Requirement: Apple II, II+, 48K, disk drive, Applesoft, DOS 3.3  
 Producer: Xerox Education Publications  
 245 Long Hill Road  
 Middletown, CT 06457  
 Copyright: 1983  
 Price: \$39.95

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
BASIC SKILLS ASSESSMENT PROGRAM (BSAP) LANGUAGE ARTS OBJECTIVES

READING: GRADE ONE

DECODING AND WORD MEANING

Objective: The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying the meanings and/or pronunciations of given words. These may be words selected from a basic sight vocabulary list; words selected to exemplify phonetic rules; root words with prefixes or suffixes added; words used in context; inflected nouns or verbs; compound words; or contractions.

DETAILS

Objective: The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in oral, pictorial, or written communications. These communications may be pictures, sentences, sets of directions, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

MAIN IDEA

Objective: The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of oral, pictorial, or written communications. These communications may be pictures, paragraphs, or stories.

REFERENCE USAGE

Objective: The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Locating and utilizing requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, picture dictionaries, and calendars.

INFERENCE

Objective: The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.



Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in oral, pictorial, or written communications. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes; making comparisons, deducing causes or effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in communications to different situations. The communications may be pictures, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

#### ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

Objective: The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of oral or written communications. The questions may require identifying a communication's genre (e.g., fairy tale, nursery rhyme, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., plot, setting, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., rhyme, exaggeration, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., realism, fantasy, etc.). The communications to be analyzed may be pictures, sentences, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

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#### READING: GRADE TWO

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#### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

Objective: The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying the meanings and/or pronunciations of given words. These words may be words selected from a basic sight vocabulary list; words selected to exemplify phonetic rules; root words with prefixes or suffixes added; words used in context; inflected nouns or verbs; compound words; contractions; or words with a synonym, antonym, or homonym.

#### DETAILS

Objective: The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in oral, pictorial, or written communications. The communications may be pictures, sentences, sets of directions, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

#### MAIN IDEA

Objective: The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of oral or written communications. These communications may be paragraphs or stories.

#### REFERENCE USAGE

**Objective:** The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Locating and utilizing requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, glossaries, picture dictionaries, calendars, and maps.

#### INFERENCE

**Objective:** The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in oral or written communications. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes or effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in communications to different situations. The communications may be pictures, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

#### ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

**Objective:** The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of oral or written communications. The questions may require identifying a communication's genre (e.g., fairy tale, nursery rhyme, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., plot, setting, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., rhyme, exaggeration, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., realism, fantasy, etc.). The communications to be analyzed may be pictures, sentences, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

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### READING: GRADE THREE

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#### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

**Objective:** The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying the meanings and/or pronunciations of given words selected from a basic sight vocabulary list; words selected to exemplify one or more phonetic rules; root words with one or more affixes added; words used in context; inflected nouns or verbs; compound words; contractions; or words with a synonym, antonym, or homonym.

## DETAILS

**Objective:** The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in reading selections. These selections may be sentences, sets of directions, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

## MAIN IDEA

**Objective:** The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of reading selections. These selections may be paragraphs or stories.

## REFERENCE USAGE

**Objective:** The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Locating and utilizing requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, glossaries, dictionaries, encyclopedias, the library card catalog, maps, graphs, tables, and charts.

## INFERENCE

**Objective:** The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in reading selections. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes or effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in selections to different situations. The selections may be paragraphs, stories, or poems.

## ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

**Objective:** The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of reading selections. The questions may require identifying a selection's genre (e.g., fairy tale); identifying structural elements (e.g., plot, setting, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., rhyme, exaggeration, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., realism, fantasy, etc.). The selections to be analyzed may be sentences, paragraphs, stories, or poems.

### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

Objective: The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying the meanings of given words. These words may be words selected from a content field such as social studies or the sciences; words with one or more affixes; compound words; words with a synonym, antonym, homonym, or multiple meaning; words used connotatively; words used figuratively; or words defined by their context.

### DETAILS

Objective: The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in reading selections. These selections may be sentences, sets of directions, articles from newspapers or magazines, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

### MAIN IDEA

Objective: The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of reading selections. These selections may be paragraphs, articles from newspapers or magazines, stories, or excerpts from books.

### REFERENCE USAGE

Objective: The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Locating requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, indexes, and glossaries; dictionaries; encyclopedias; the library card catalog; graphs; tables; charts; maps; and telephone directories.

### INFERENCE

Objective: The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in reading selections. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes and effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in selections to different situations. The selections may be paragraphs, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

## ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

Objective: The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of reading selections. The questions may require identifying a selection's genre (e.g., myth, fable, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., narrator, climax, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., simile, personification, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., fact, opinion, etc.). The selections to be analyzed may be sentences, paragraphs, articles, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

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## READING: GRADE FIVE

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### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

Objective: The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meaning of words.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying the meanings of given words. These words may be selected from a content field such as social studies or the sciences; words with one or more affixes; compound words; words with a synonym, antonym, homonym, or multiple meaning; words used connotatively; words used figuratively; or words defined by their context.

### DETAILS

Objective: The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in reading selections. These selections may be sentences, sets of directions, articles from newspapers or magazines, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

### MAIN IDEA

Objective: The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of reading selections. These selections may be paragraphs, articles from newspapers or magazines, stories, or excerpts from books.

### REFERENCE USAGE

Objective: The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.



**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Locating requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, indexes, and glossaries; dictionaries; encyclopedias; the library card catalog; graphs; tables; charts; maps; and telephone directories.

#### INFERENCE

**Objective:** The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in reading selections. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes and effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in selections to different situations. The selections may be paragraphs, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

#### ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

**Objective:** The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of reading selections. The questions may require identifying a selection's genre (e.g., myth, fable, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., narrator, climax, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., simile, personification, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., fact, opinion, etc.). The selections to be analyzed may be sentences, paragraphs, articles, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

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### READING: GRADE SIX

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#### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

**Objective:** The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying the meanings of given words. These words may be words selected from a content field such as social studies or the sciences; words with one or more affixes; compound words; words with a synonym, antonym, homonym, or multiple meaning; words used connotatively; words used figuratively; or words defined by their context.

#### DETAILS

**Objective:** The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in reading selections. These selections may be sentences, sets of directions, articles from newspapers or magazines, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

#### MAIN IDEA

**Objective:** The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of reading selections. The selections may be paragraphs, articles from newspapers or magazines, stories, or excerpts from books.

#### REFERENCE USAGE

**Objective:** The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Locating requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, indexes, and glossaries; dictionaries; encyclopedias; the library card catalog; graphs; tables; charts; maps; and telephone directories.

#### INFERENCE

**Objective:** The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in reading selections. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes and effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in selections to different situations. The selections may be paragraphs, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

#### ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

**Objective:** The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of reading selections. The questions may require identifying a selection's genre (e.g., myth, fable, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., narrator, climax, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., simile, personification, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., fact, opinion, etc.). The selections to be analyzed may be sentences, paragraphs, articles, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.



### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

Objective: The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying the meaning of given words or terms. These may be words selected from a content field such as social studies or the sciences; terminology associated with product labels, application forms, consumer and governmental publications, and legal documents; words with one or more affixes; compound words; words with a synonym, antonym, homonym, or multiple meaning; words used connotatively; words used figuratively; or words defined by their context.

### DETAILS

Objective: The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in reading selections. These selections may be sets of directions; product labels; consumer, governmental, or legal documents; editorials, feature articles, or news stories; business letters; stories; poems; or excerpts from books or plays.

### MAIN IDEA

Objective: The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of reading selections. These selections may be paragraphs; editorials, feature articles, or news stories; business letters; essays; stories; or excerpts from books.

### REFERENCE USAGE

Objective: The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Locating and utilizing requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, indexes, glossaries, appendixes, and bibliographies; dictionaries; encyclopedias; the library card catalog; the READER'S GUIDE; graphs; tables; charts; maps; telephone directories; and newspapers.

### INFERENCE

Objective: The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in reading selections. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes and effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in selections to different situations. The selections may be paragraphs, essays, editorials, feature articles, news stories, letters, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

#### ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

**Objective:** The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Making critical judgments or answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of reading selections. The questions may require identifying a selection's genre (e.g., editorial, essay, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., plot, point of view, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., poetic language, propaganda techniques, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., fact, opinion, etc.). The selections to be analyzed may be paragraphs, essays, editorials, feature articles, news stories, letters, advertisements, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

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#### READING: GRADE EIGHT

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#### DECODING AND WORD MEANING

**Objective:** The student can use word recognition skills and can determine the meanings of words.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Identifying the meaning of given words or terms. These may be words selected from a content field such as social studies or the sciences; terminology associated with product labels, application forms, consumer and governmental publications, and legal documents; words with one or more affixes; compound words; words with a synonym, antonym, homonym, or multiple meaning; words used connotatively; words used figuratively; or words defined by their context.

#### DETAILS

**Objective:** The student can accurately comprehend the details in a reading selection.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Answering questions that ask "who," "what," "where," "when," "why," "how," "how many," or "in what sequence" about information that has been directly stated in reading selections. These selections may be sets of directions; product labels; consumer, governmental, or legal documents; editorials, feature articles, or news stories; business letters; stories; poems; or excerpts from books or plays.

## MAIN IDEA

Objective: The student can determine the main idea of a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating statements that most accurately and comprehensively summarize the contents of reading selections. These selections may be paragraphs; editorials, feature articles, or news stories; business letters; essays; stories; or excerpts from books.

## REFERENCE USAGE

Objective: The student can locate and utilize desired information in reference sources.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Locating and utilizing requested information in reference sources such as books' tables of contents, indexes, glossaries, appendixes, and bibliographies; dictionaries; encyclopedias; the library card catalog; the READER'S GUIDE; graphs; tables; charts; maps; telephone directories; and newspapers.

## INFERENCE

Objective: The student can make valid inferences about a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Identifying or generating reasonable answers to questions about information not directly stated in reading selections. The questions asked may require determining themes or authors' purposes, making comparisons, deducing causes and effects, drawing conclusions, predicting outcomes, or applying information presented in selections to different situations. The selections may be paragraphs, essays, editorials, feature articles, news stories, letters, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

## ANALYSIS OF LITERATURE

Objective: The student can critically analyze a reading selection.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Making critical judgments or answering questions that ask for analyses of the structure or content of reading selections. The questions may require identifying a selection's genre (e.g., editorial, essay, etc.); identifying structural elements (e.g., plot, point of view, etc.); identifying rhetorical devices (e.g., poetic language, propaganda techniques, etc.); or identifying the nature of the information presented (e.g., fact, opinion, etc.). The selections to be analyzed may be paragraphs, essays, editorials, feature articles, news stories, letters, advertisements, stories, poems, or excerpts from books or plays.

#### HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Printing legible letters or words following the model in the district's adopted handwriting program.

#### MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating simple sentences given as dictation. Words in these sentences may be words selected from a basic vocabulary list and words selected to exemplify phonetic rules. These words may require capital letters. The sentences will require end punctuation only.

#### WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns and verbs.

#### SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting simple sentences. These sentences may be declarative, interrogative, imperative, or exclamatory.

#### COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing simple stories, explanations, or letters. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

## WRITING: GRADE TWO

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### HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Printing legible words or sentences following the model in the district's adopted handwriting program.

### MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating simple sentences given as dictation. Words in these sentences may be words selected from a basic vocabulary list and words selected to exemplify phonetic rules. These words may require capital letters or apostrophes. The sentences may require the use of commas in addition to end punctuation.

### WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, and conjunctions.

### SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting simple or compound sentences. These sentences may be declarative, interrogative, imperative, or exclamatory.

### COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing simple stories, explanations, or letters. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

## WRITING: GRADE THREE

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### HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing legible words, sentences, or paragraphs following the model in the district's adopted handwriting program.

#### MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating simple sentences given as dictation. Words in these sentences may be words selected from a basic vocabulary list, words selected to exemplify phonetic or structural rules, and words with irregular spellings. These words may require capital letters, apostrophes, or hyphens. The sentences may require the use of commas in addition to end punctuation.

#### WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, and conjunctions.

#### SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting simple or compound sentences. These sentences may be declarative, interrogative, imperative, or exclamatory.

#### COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing simple stories, explanations, or letters. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

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### WRITING: GRADE FOUR

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#### HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing legible routine or special assignments following the model in the district's adopted handwriting program.



## MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating written communications. These communications may be sentences, paragraphs, stories, and letters. The words involved may be words selected from a vocabulary list, words selected to exemplify phonetic or structural rules, words with irregular spellings, and abbreviations. These words may require capital letters, apostrophes, or hyphens. The communications may require the use of periods, commas, quotation marks, question marks, and exclamation points.

## WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, conjunctions, adjectives, and adverbs.

## SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting simple or compound sentences. These sentences may be declarative, interrogative, imperative, or exclamatory.

## COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing paragraphs, stories, sets of directions, or letters. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

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## WRITING: GRADE FIVE

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## HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing legible routine or special assignments following the model in the district's adopted handwriting program.

## MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.



**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating communications. These communications may be sentences, paragraphs, stories, and letters. The words involved may be words selected from a vocabulary list, words selected to exemplify phonetic or structural rules, words with irregular spelling, and abbreviations. These words may require capital letters, apostrophes, or hyphens. The communications may require the use of periods, commas, quotation marks, question marks, and exclamation points.

#### WORD USAGE

**Objective:** The student can use words appropriately.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, conjunctions, adjectives, and adverbs.

#### SENTENCE FORMATION

**Objective:** The student can compose sentences.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Composing or selecting simple, compound, or complex sentences. These sentences may be constructed so that they represent specified sentence patterns.

#### COMPOSITION

**Objective:** The student can communicate ideas in writing.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Writing paragraphs, outlines, reports, stories, sets of directions, or letters. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

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### WRITING: GRADE SIX

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#### HANDWRITING

**Objective:** The student can write legibly.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Writing legible routine or special assignments following the model in the district's adopted handwriting program.

#### MECHANICS

**Objective:** The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

**Suggested Measurement Strategy:** Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating written communications. These communications may be sentences, paragraphs, stories, and letters. The words involved may be words selected from a vocabulary list, words selected to exemplify phonetic or structural rules, words with irregular spellings, and abbreviations. These words may require

the use of periods, commas, quotation marks, colons, semi-colons, dashes, question marks, and exclamation points.

#### WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, conjunctions, adjectives, adverbs, and interjections.

#### SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting simple, compound, or complex sentences. These sentences may be constructed so that they represent specified sentence patterns.

#### COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing paragraphs, outlines, reports, stories, sets of directions, or letters. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

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### WRITING: GRADE SEVEN

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#### HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing legible routine or special assignments.

#### MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating written communications. These communications may be sentences, paragraphs, stories, outlines, and letters. The words involved may be words selected from a vocabulary list, words selected to exemplify phonetic or structural rules, words with irregular spellings, and abbreviations. These words may require capital letters, apostrophes, or hyphens. The communications may require the use of periods, commas, quotation marks, colons, semi-colons, dashes, underlining, parentheses, question marks, and exclamation points.

## WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, conjunctions, adjectives, adverbs, and interjections.

## SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting correctly coordinated and modified simple, compound, or complex sentences. These sentences may be constructed so that they represent specified sentence patterns.

## COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing paragraphs, essays, outlines, reports, sets of directions, or letters, or supplying the information needed on application forms. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

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## WRITING: GRADE EIGHT

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## HANDWRITING

Objective: The student can write legibly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing legible routine or special assignments.

## MECHANICS

Objective: The student can spell, capitalize, and punctuate correctly.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Correctly spelling, capitalizing, and punctuating written communications. These communications may be sentences, paragraphs, stories, outlines, and letters. The words involved may be words selected from a vocabulary list, words selected to exemplify phonetic or structural rules, words with irregular spellings, and abbreviations. These words may require capital letters, apostrophes, or hyphens. The communications may require the use of periods, commas, quotation marks, colons, semi-colons, dashes, underlining, parentheses, question marks, and exclamation points.

## WORD USAGE

Objective: The student can use words appropriately.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Selecting words which are appropriate in meaning and grammatical form for a given context. These words may include nouns, verbs, pronouns, prepositions, conjunctions, adjectives, adverbs, and interjections.

## SENTENCE FORMATION

Objective: The student can compose sentences.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Composing or selecting correctly coordinated and modified simple, compound, or complex sentences. These sentences may be constructed so that they represent specified sentence patterns.

## COMPOSITION

Objective: The student can communicate ideas in writing.

Suggested Measurement Strategy: Writing paragraphs, essays, outlines, reports, sets of directions, or letters, or supplying the information needed on application forms. These communications may be evaluated on their organization, content, correctness of expression, mechanics, and legibility.

# SOFTWARE EVALUATION CHECKLIST

PROGRAM NAME \_\_\_\_\_ SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ COST: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SUBJECT AREA \_\_\_\_\_ REVIEWER'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**1 INSTRUCTIONAL RANGE**

\_\_\_\_\_ grade level(s)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ ability level(s)

**2 INSTRUCTIONAL GROUPING FOR PROGRAM USE**

\_\_\_\_\_ individual  
 \_\_\_\_\_ small group (size: \_\_\_\_\_)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ large group (size: \_\_\_\_\_)

**3 EXECUTION TIME**

\_\_\_\_\_ minutes (estimated) for average use,

**4 PROGRAM USE (S)**

\_\_\_\_\_ drill or practice  
 \_\_\_\_\_ tutorial  
 \_\_\_\_\_ simulation  
 \_\_\_\_\_ instructional gaming  
 \_\_\_\_\_ problem solving  
 \_\_\_\_\_ informational  
 \_\_\_\_\_ other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

**5 USER ORIENTATION INSTRUCTOR'S POINT OF VIEW**

low \_\_\_\_\_ high \_\_\_\_\_

flexibility  
 freedom from need to intervene or assist

**6 USER ORIENTATION STUDENT'S POINT OF VIEW**

low \_\_\_\_\_ high \_\_\_\_\_

quality of directions (clarity)  
 quality of output (content and tone)  
 quality of screen formatting  
 freedom from need for external information  
 freedom from disruption by system errors  
 simplicity of user input

**7 CONTENT**

low \_\_\_\_\_ high \_\_\_\_\_

instructional focus  
 instructional significance  
 soundness or validity  
 compatibility with other materials used

**8 MOTIVATION AND INSTRUCTIONAL STYLE**

passive \_\_\_\_\_ active \_\_\_\_\_

type of student involvement

low \_\_\_\_\_ high \_\_\_\_\_

degree of student control

none poor \_\_\_\_\_ good \_\_\_\_\_

use of game format  
 use of still graphics  
 use of animation  
 use of color  
 use of voice input and output  
 use of nonvoice audio  
 use of light pen  
 use of ancillary materials  
 use of \_\_\_\_\_

**9 SOCIAL CHARACTERISTICS**

present and negative \_\_\_\_\_ not present \_\_\_\_\_ present and positive \_\_\_\_\_

competition  
 cooperation  
 humanizing of computer  
 moral issues or value judgments  
 summary of student performance

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1. The grade levels and ability levels for a particular program are primarily determined by the concepts involved. Other important factors are reading level, prerequisite skills, degree of student control, and intended instructional use. It is possible for a program to be flexible enough to be used across a wide range of grade levels and ability levels.

2. Some programs are designed for use by individuals. Others have been or can be modified for participation by two or three persons at a time. Simulations or demonstrations often pose opportunities for large-group interaction. A given program may be used in more than one grouping, depending on the instructor.

3. The time required for the use of a program will vary considerably. Include loading time for cassettes. A time range is the appropriate response here.

4. Instructional programs can be categorized according to their uses. Some programs may have more than one use, thus falling into more than one of the following categories:

Drill or practice: Assumes that the concept or skill has been taught previously.

Tutorial: Directs the full cycle of the instructional process; a dialogue between the student and the computer.

Simulation: Models selected, alterable aspects of an environment.

Instructional gaming: Involves random events and the pursuit of a winning strategy.

Problem solving: Uses general algorithms common to one or more problems.

Informational: Generates information (data).

5. These are factors relevant to the actual use of the program from the point of view of an instructor.

Flexibility: A program may allow the user or the instructor to adjust the program to different ability levels, degrees of difficulty, or concepts.

Intervention or assistance: A rating of "low" means considerable teacher intervention or assistance is required.

6. These are factors relevant to the actual use of the program from the point of view of a student.

Directions: The directions should be complete, readable, under the user's control (e.g., should not scroll off the screen until understood), and use appropriate examples.



Output: Program responses should be readable, understandable, and complete. If in response to student input, the output should be of an acceptable tone and consistent with the input request.

Screen formatting: The formats during a program run should not be distracting or cluttered. Labels and symbols should be meaningful within the given context.

External information: A program may require the user to have access to information other than that provided within it. This may include prerequisite content knowledge or knowledge of conventions used by the program designer as well as maps, books, models, and so on.

System errors: System errors result in the involuntary termination of the program.

Input: A program should ensure that a user knows when and in what form input is needed. It should avoid using characters with special meanings, restrict input locations to particular screen areas, and require minimal typing.

7. These are matters relevant to the subject-matter content of the program.

Focus: The program topic should be clearly defined and of a scope that permits thorough treatment.

Significance: The instructional objectives of the program must be viewed as important by the instructor. Also, the program should represent a valid use of the computer's capabilities while improving the instructional process.

Soundness or validity: The concepts and terms employed should be correct, clear, and precise. Other important factors are the rate of presentation, degree of difficulty, and internal consistency.

Compatibility: The content, terminology, teaching style, and educational philosophy of the program should be consistent with those generally encountered by the student.

9. Competition, cooperation, and values are concerns that may be a function of the way a program expresses them. (War gaming and the "hangman" format are sample issues.) Also, the "humanizing" of the computer may serve for motivation or to reduce anxiety, but it also may become tedious, misleading, and counterproductive.

The summary of student performance can be dichotomous (win or lose), statistical (time expended or percent of items correct), or subjective (as in the evaluation of a simulation). It may be for student, teacher, or both.

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