

5th Grade Leveled Readers

The following titles represent the text levels in the Below Grade Level, On Grade Level, Above Grade Level, Vocabulary Reader, and ELL/Language Support leveled sets. Teachers may find taking running records on the bold print titles helpful. However, running records may be taken as needed on any text selection. For example, a running record should be taken if there is evidence of a small group placement being too easy or too hard. **This is a guide that is to be used for reference, not a list of required titles to be assessed via Running Records.**

Instructional Text Levels: "On Grade Level"			
July/September	October/November	December-February	March-May
S/T	T/U	U	V

LS = Language Support Title

VR= Vocabulary Reader (Vocabulary readers may be used with any level. See TE for differentiated instruction with the Vocabulary Reader titles)

Quarter: See LA pacing guide	Lesson	Below Grade Level Bold print represents the highest levels in this set	On Grade Level Bold print represents titles that keep pace with 'on-level' reading	Above Grade Level Bold print represents titles that keep pace with 'above-level' reading
	1	O The Cafeteria Contest Q Sports and Motion VR	S Serves Two Hundred S Dinner for Two Hundred LS	V Project Bug
	2	R The Apollo Moon Rocks R The Space Shuttle VR	U Come Dust U Dust from Comets LS	W Mars on Earth
	3	Q The Mighty, Mighty Daffodils	S Running for President VR S A Better Plan LS S The Presentation	V The Geography Bee
	4	Q Games We Play R Fun in Colonial Times VR	W Patsy Mink W Patsy Mink and Title IX LS	Y Title IX
	5	Q Not Just Second Place R Journals of the West VR	S Baseball Memories LS S Baseball Blues	W Far from Home
	6	R Save Our Sea Turtles VR S Gentle and Friendly Sea Lions LS S Marvelous Marine Animals	T The Gentle Lions of the Sea	U Whales of the World
	7	Q Black Bears VR Q Young Eagle and His Horse	T The Long Cattle Drive LS (or) T On the Long Drive	W Riding with the Camel Corps
	8	R Guardian of the Everglades R Mangrove Swamp VR	U America's City Parks LS U America's Urban Parks	V The Salton Sea
	9	R Sugaring Weather S Saved from the Sea VR	T The River Kept Rising T The Rising River LS	V Night of the Killer Whales

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	11	R Ben Franklin Goes to Paris VR S Fife and Drum Boys	U A Night to Remember (or) U A Special Night LS	V Saving the Mexican Wolves W An Artist for the Revolution
	12	T Redcoats in America VR T A Song Heard 'Round the World	V Pamphleteers of the Revolution V Printed Words of the Revolution LS	W A Home at Mount Vernon
	13	S The Battle of Monmouth VR T Emily Geiger's Dangerous Mission	U Joseph Warren: An American Hero LS U An Unsung American Hero	W George Washington's Invisible Enemy
	14	R Battles at Sea VR S The Oneidas	U The Extraordinary Life of Thomas Peters (or) U Thomas Peters: A Remarkable Man LS	X A Noble French Patriot
	15	S Benedict Arnold T Paul Revere: Hero on Horseback VR	T The Life of Phillis Wheatley LS T Phillis Wheatley	W Abigail Adams
	16	P Dog Walker, Inc. P Job Sense VR	S Incognito S The Lost Comic Book LS	U The Three R's
	17	R Robot Rescue R That's a Wacky Idea VR	S Kendria's Watch LS S the Watch Girl	W Pancakes
	18	P Maria Tallchief: American Ballerina R Print It! VR	U B.B. King (or) U The Life of B.B. King	X Isabel Allende
	19	R The Big Interview R From Parking Lot to Garden VR	T The Old Tree LS T Saving the General	X Another View
	20	Q Donald Quixote	S El Camino Real S The Royal Road LS	U A Knight in Armor VR X A Night in Armor
	21	R Voyage to California S Four Stops on the Santa Fe Trail VR	T Ned Rides for the Pony Express LS T Riding with the Pony Express	W Decision at Fort Laramie
	22	Q City in the Cliffs R Meet the Ojibwa VR	S The Big Hunt LS S Buffalo Hunt	X Old Bark's Cure
	23	R Rodeo! T Blazing a Cattle Train LS T In the Days of Missions and Ranchos VR	U The Goodnight-Loving Trail	V How Barbed Wire Changed the West

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	24	R Down the Columbia R Horses in North America VR	T Chan Li's Pot of Gold LS T Gold for Chan Li	W Dear Cousin
	25	S The Corps of Discovery S River Travel VR	V The American Fur Trade LS (or) V History of the Fur Trade	W Friends Along the Way
	26	O Skunk Scout	R Frindle	Y Mysteries of the Mummy Kids
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Suggested Text to Assess for "On Grade Level " Reporting		
End of 2 nd Quarter Reading Level U	Lesson 14	The Extraordinary Life of Thomas Peters (or) Thomas Peters: A Remarkable Man
End of 4 th Quarter Reading Level V	Lesson 25	The American Fur Trade (or) History of the Fur Trade