

Ignite Reading Decodable Readers: *Placement Guidance*

You've already learned how our Decodable Readers support reading through structured word recognition and fluency practice. The Placement Guide is here to support you in assigning the “just right” Decodable Reader for your students to use that aligns with their current Ignite Reading unit. Because of their alignment to isolated phonics skills, we are hopeful Ignite Reading Decodable Readers can easily integrate into your Tier 1 phonics instruction as well.

Teachers should regularly monitor student progress using the **School Portal in the Ignite Reading Platform (IRP)** or the **Current Student Data Sheet** located in your school’s shared folder. Compare students’ current Ignite Reading units with the Placement Guide table to:

- Identify when a student is ready to begin practice with Decodable Readers.
- Determine when to move students into the next unit of Decodable Readers.
- Ensure unfinished Decodable Reader extension activities are completed as appropriate.

Note: Your Literacy Success Partner (LSP) is always available to support you with Decodable Reader alignment and transitions to new units as needed.

Where can I find my students’ current Ignite Reading Unit?

You can find your students’ current Ignite Reading Unit in the Ignite Reading Platform’s **Session Attendance Report** or in your Current Student Data sheet column titled **Current Unit**.

Option 1:

Navigate to your Ignite Reading Session Attendance Report in the Ignite Reading Platform.

Maple Grove Elementary - August 11, 2025
Last updated: Monday at 9:45 PM

Session Attendance Rate: **85%**

Students with Attendance Risk: **4**

Students' Average Instructional Time: **14/15 minutes**

Program Sea: **20/20**

STUDENT NAME	TEACHER	GRADE	SESSION TIME	STATUS	CURRENT SKILL/SESSION	BASISLINE
Hudson X.	Anderson, M.	1st	8:15 AM	Complete	Sound blending Foundation 6	FND
Magnolia Z.	Anderson, M.	1st	8:15 AM	In Session	Sound blending Foundation 6	FND
Roxen C.	Rodriguez, S.	2nd	9:00 AM	Complete	Vowel teams RCY Lesson 8	RCY
Juniper R.	Rodriguez, S.	2nd	9:00 AM	Upcoming	Vowel teams RCY Lesson 8	RCY
Soren T.	Johnson, K.	3rd	9:45 AM	In Session	Silent e ULS Lesson 16	ULS
Ira Y.	Johnson, K.	3rd	9:45 AM	Complete	Silent e ULS Lesson 16	ULS
Casper U.	Williams, T.	4th	10:00 AM	Complete	Suffixes Advanced Lesson 13	ADV
Denise L.	Williams, T.	4th	10:00 AM	In Session	Suffixes Advanced Lesson 13	ADV

<p>Option 2:</p> <p>Navigate to your Current Student Data Sheet and review the Current Unit Column.</p>	F	G	H	I	J
	Baseline	Multi-Lingual Learner	IEP/504	Current Unit	Current Lesson Number
	Using Letter Sounds	No	IEP	02. Using Letter Sounds	3
	Using Letter Sounds	No	504	02. Using Letter Sounds	5
	Using Letter Sounds	No	IEP	02. Using Letter Sounds	10
	Using Letter Sounds	No	None	02. Using Letter Sounds	5
	Using Letter Patterns	No	None	03. Using Letter Patterns	2
	Blends and Digraphs	No	None	04. Blends and Digraphs Part 1	7
	Blends and Digraphs	No	None	04. Blends and Digraphs Part 1	9
	Using Letter Sounds	No	None	02. Using Letter Sounds	12
	Using Letter Patterns	No	None	03. Using Letter Patterns	11
	Using Letter Patterns	No	504	03. Using Letter Patterns	6
	Using Letter Patterns	No	None	03. Using Letter Patterns	7
	Blends and Digraphs	No	None	04. Blends and Digraphs Part 1	9
Blends and Digraphs	No	None	04. Blends and Digraphs Part 2	10	

Placement Guide Table

Use the table below to determine which unit of the Decodable Readers students should begin and how to progress as they advance through units. The guide is intended for ongoing use throughout the year.

Current Ignite Reading Unit	Decodable Reader Unit	Implementation Guidance
Using Letter Sounds	Using Letter Sounds	<p>Need support? Review the Go-to-Guide for Ignite Reading’s Decodable Readers and Implementation Guide for implementation support here.</p>
Using Letter Patterns	Using Letter Patterns	
Blends and Digraphs	Blends and Digraphs	
R-Controlled Vowels	R-Controlled Vowels	
Vowel Consonant-e	Vowel Consonant-e	
Vowel Teams	Vowel Teams	
Multisyllabic Decoding	Multisyllabic Decoding	

It is important to note here that students can always explore Decodable Readers from units previously taught. For example, students in Blends & Digraphs can explore Blends & Digraphs Decodable Readers as well as Using Letter Patterns and Using Letter Sounds Decodable Readers.

Where can I find the Decodable Readers?

The Decodable Readers are uploaded in your Ignite Reading folder for easy and quick access!

→ Navigate to your Ignite Reading Folder in the Ignite Reading Platform.

The Decodable Readers are organized by unit. There are 3+ Decodable Readers with extension activities per unit, one for each week.

See the Decodable Readers table for the number of Decodable Readers for each unit. There are a total of 45 Decodable Readers available!

Current Ignite Reading Unit	Decodable Reader Unit
Using Letter Sounds	3
Using Letter Patterns	3
Blends and Digraphs	6
R-Controlled Vowels	6
Vowel Consonant-e	3
Vowel Teams	6
Multisyllabic Decoding	18