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**Type of Instructional Program:**

*(Please describe if this is a comprehensive reading program, an intervention reading program, a supplemental program to be used in conjunction with another program. Also, please describe what students would be targeted for this instructional program. Use the columns below for your brief description )*

*Ready® Common Core* is a research-based instructional program designed to improve students' reading skills, specifically as they relate to reading comprehension. *Ready Common Core* enhances teacher quality for Common Core instruction as instructional programming for K–3 comprehensive and universal instruction, and also can be used as a supplemental program with another reading program of the district's choice.

<b>Comprehensive</b>	<b>Intervention</b>	<b>Supplemental to other programs</b>	<b>Students targeted</b>
	The <i>Ready Common Core</i> online <i>Teacher Toolbox</i> enables teachers to pull pre-requisite reading comprehension skills from prior grade levels for remediation to help students fill their skills gaps and progress toward grade-level mastery.	<i>Ready Common Core</i> offers year-long reading instruction focused on building reading comprehension skills. <i>Ready Common Core</i> can be used alone, or to supplement literacy programs currently in use that need additional support providing explicit Common Core-based instruction. Each scaffolded lesson focuses on a specific standard. Lessons are ordered sequentially, but can be pulled out individually or in groups to address specific skills for students. This format allows teachers to use the entire book or focus on specific strategies.	<i>Ready Common Core</i> supports instruction with students in general education, those served by Special Education Services, and English language learners. Available for grades K–8, this program supports the targeted Colorado READ Act student population in Kindergarten through grade 3.



**If an intervention, describe what component of reading it addresses:**

*Ready Common Core* provides instruction on reading comprehension. The program addresses all the Common Core Reading Standards for literature and informational text, while also integrating the Common Core Language Arts strands of speaking and listening, writing, and language into the reading lessons.

**Grade Level** **K 1 2 3**

*(Please circle the grade level(s) that the program is designed for.)*

**Program Summary:**

*(This section should be limited to 200 words and is your opportunity to let schools or districts know why they should choose this program.)*

*Ready Common Core* is comprised of four components: the print-based *Student Instruction* and *Practice* books provide rigorous instruction on the new standards using a proven-effective, gradual-release approach and prepare students for more complex assessment items with full-length practice tests and interim assessments. The print *Teacher Resource Book* and optional online *Teacher Toolbox* comprehensively support teachers with step-by-step lesson plans, detailed pacing guides, and best-practice tips that guide them in teaching new approaches to teaching the CCSS, plus intuitive resources to differentiate instruction with a wealth of online materials and interactive whiteboard lessons. *Ready Common Core* helps students take the first steps toward college by raising the rigor, and building critical thinkers, problem solvers, and good communicators. Districts can use *Ready Common Core* for students in grades K–3 for universal supplemental instruction or targeted instruction on a standard or group of standards. To support the youngest learners, *Ready Common Core* for grades K–1 presents the standards in a format manageable for both students and teachers, using favorite read-aloud trade books to teach reading comprehension skills. Listening to these high quality texts develops student comprehension skills by challenging emergent readers with more complex material than they can read independently.

