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Type of Instructional Program:

Comprehensive	Intervention	Supplemental to other programs	Students targeted
	x	X – i-Ready Instruction works with i-Ready Diagnostic, which is approved as a READ Act diagnostic and summative assessment	Because of its differentiated instruction, <i>i-Ready Instruction</i> is effective with all students, whether they are above, below, or on grade level; <i>i-Ready</i> is especially effective with students who are struggling to reach grade level.

If an intervention, describe what component of reading it addresses: *i-Ready Instruction* provides targeted instruction based on the Common Core reading domains. Thus, the program addresses the foundational skills of phonological awareness, phonics, high-frequency words; vocabulary; comprehension of information text; and comprehension of literature.

Grade Level: **K123**

Program Summary:

Based on students' results on *i-Ready Diagnostic*—a READ Act approved diagnostic and summative assessment—students are assigned an individualized instructional path within *i-Ready Instruction*, and teachers are provided a wealth of materials to supplement online instruction.

i-Ready Instruction's foundational lessons feature cross-curricular content in reading and follow a consistent structure:

- 1. Instruction: Students learn a skill through explicit instruction—systematic, precise, and engaging.
- 2. *Guided Practice:* As students are learning a skill, they practice what they have learned and receive support and corrective feedback to reinforce understanding.
- 3. *Embedded Progress Monitoring:* Students are assessed at the end of each lesson, reducing or eliminating the need for teacher-initiated weekly progress monitoring.

Additionally, we built i-Ready Instruction by employing best practices for instruction, including:

- Highly interactive lessons to keep students focused and engaged in their own learning
- Themed lessons, designed to draw students into a story and give them a purpose for learning a particular concept
- Modern, diverse, appealing, and easy to relate to characters
- Lessons that contain games that become the basis of learning a new concept

Please visit <u>www.i-ready.com/empower</u> to learn more about *i-Ready Diagnostic & Instruction* and to see customer testimonials.

