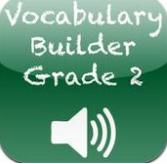


Reading Skills – Comprehension & Vocabulary Apps

Icon	Title	Description
	Rover/Raz Kids	Rover is a wonderful free app that allows many Flash-based sites to run on an iPad. We have especially used it with a subscription based service called Raz Kids. (www.raz-kids.com)
	MiniMod Reading for Details	e Skills Minimod Reading for Details helps the student build mastery in the essential reading comprehension skill of Reading for Details. This app is carefully aligned with the new Core Curriculum. Students will read a passage then practice their understanding of Reading for Details – the 5W’s of Reading Comprehension – who, what, why, when, where. Each program offers 3 levels of reading difficulty.
	MiniMod Reading for Inferences	e Skills Minimod Reading for Inferences helps the student build mastery in the essential reading comprehension skill of inferential thinking. Students can play in either practice mode or game mode. Students will read a passage then answer a question about the passage that requires inferential thinking. Each program offers 3 levels of reading difficulty.
	Learning A-Z Stories (Levels aa-Z)	K-5 readers will love this library of 12 books. Each library contains ten books on that reading level, the free sample book for that level, and the free sample book for the next level to challenge readers to expand their reading skills. Developmentally appropriate sentence construction, vocabulary, and engaging illustrations make it easy for readers to feel confident about their skills. All books end with discussion questions.
	Aesop's Quest	Aesop's Quest, based on Aesop's Fables, is a learning game where the player must remember elements of a story to complete a level. The game uses reading comprehension to develop cognitive reading skills. The touch mechanic of the game engages children in a hands-on learning process, implementing kinesthetic learning. The game incorporates reading comprehension attuned to the particular grade level, based upon excerpts from grade-appropriate reading materials.
	Same Meaning Magic	Help Luna and Leo, young magicians at Magic School, as they visit the wishing well in the castle garden. Toss word stones into the wishing well to earn gold coins and jewels by choosing the best synonym. Begin your adventure choosing to play as either Luna or Leo, beginning to master the magic of words.
	Same Meaning Magic Part 2	Part II includes 172 new puzzle sentences for Luna and Leo. Help Luna and Leo, young magicians at Magic School, as they visit the wishing well in the castle garden. Toss word stones into the wishing well to earn gold coins and jewels by choosing the best synonym.
	Opposite Ocean	Help Luna and Leo, young magicians at Magic School, as they dive into the ocean beside the castle. Luna and Leo choose the bubble word antonyms to solve the whale puzzles. The enchanted clam awards beautiful pearls and jewels to add to your sunken treasure chest.
	Professor Garfield's Fact or Opinion	Through reading and interacting with the Try and Apply sections of this comic, users will: learn the difference between a fact and an opinion, particularly with regard to the Internet; understand that some websites contain facts, some contain opinions, and some contain both; learn that a fact can be verified

	Futaba	<p>It's perfect for children 4-8 and is ideal for supporting class room activities of all types (or just as fun to play at home!). The idea is simple; Each player takes a seat around the iPad and taps in to start. The game begins as images zoom into the playing area. The first player to match the word to the image scores a point. Win 3 rounds and you'll be awarded a giant (but very friendly) seedling...</p>
	1000 Sight Words	<p>The most common 1000 words are used 13 times more frequently than the next most common 1000 words! Mastering this relatively small group of words yields a high rate of return when it comes to reading and writing. It provides quizzes and tracks student progress.</p>
	Vocabulary Builder	<p>This app targets multiple-meaning words, synonyms, antonyms, adjectives, nouns, and verbs. Available in grades 2-4.</p> <p>Also targets standards in these areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing sight-words • Reading fluency • Vocabulary development • Using high frequency words in context