Phonics and Word Recognition- Second Grade Unit 6
RF.2.3 Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
a. Distinguish long and short vowels when reading regularly spelled one-syllable words.
Skills
Fluently and accurately read two-syllable base words comprising any of the six regular syllable
patterns
b. Know spelling-sound correspondences for additional common vowel teams.
Skills
Fluently and accurately read two-syllable base words comprising any of the six regular syllable
patterns
c. Decode regularly spelled two-syllable words with long vowels.
Skills
Fluently and accurately read two-syllable base words comprising any of the six regular syllable
patterns
d. Decode words with common prefixes and suffixes.
Skills
Read grade-level base words with the most common prefixes (in-, un-, mis-, dis-, re-, de-, a-)
and suffixes (-ly, -er, -ion, -less, -ness) and recognize how meaning of the base is changed by the
suffix.
e. Identify words with inconsistent but common spelling-sound correspondences
Skills
Read less common (but predictable) patterns for vowels, such as <i>eigh</i> for /ā/ (<i>neighbor</i>), <i>ough</i>
for /ō/ (though, dough), and ei for /ē/ (ceiling).
f. Recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.
Skills
Read accurately twenty additional high-frequency, irregular words from the most common
words in written English.
Model Activities
Practice the most common syllable division principles: VC/CV (rab/bit);VC/CCV (com/plete);
V/CV (<i>si/lent</i>) or VC/V (<i>mag/ic</i>) and follow the "big word" routine outlined in Unit Five.
(RF.2.3a,b,c)
Practice using affixed words in cloze exercises (incomplete sentences) where the meaning of
the prefix and/or suffix must fit the given context. (She [remade/remaking/unmade] her bed in
the morning.) (RF.2.3d)

After identifying a less common spelling for a vowel ($\bar{a} = eigh$), ask students to sort a group of words with several spelling patterns for that vowel: $/\bar{a}/=eigh$, *ai*, *ay*, *a_e*. Then, read decodable passages with a heavy concentration of words that contain the spelling patterns just practiced. (RF.2.3e)

Model Activities continued

Continue the irregular word study routine, with emphasis on automatic recognition in the speed drills described in Unit Three. (RF.2.3f)

Fluency- Second Grade Unit 6

RF.2.4 Read with sufficient accuracy and fluency to support comprehension.

a. Read on-level text with purpose and understanding.

Skills

By year's end, orally read grade-appropriate text with 97% accuracy and demonstrated comprehension, at ninety words correct per minute.

b. Read on-level text orally with accuracy, appropriate rate, and expression on successive readings.

Skills

By year's end, orally read grade-appropriate text with 97% accuracy and demonstrated comprehension, at ninety words correct per minute.

c. Use context to confirm or self-correct word recognition and understanding, rereading as necessary.

Skills

By year's end, orally read grade-appropriate text with 97% accuracy and demonstrated comprehension, at ninety words correct per minute.

Model Activities

Encourage students to read several books by the same author, once they discover a series they enjoy. (RF.2.4a,b,c)