Quick Guide

Literacy Continuum

What is a literacy continuum?

A literacy continuum (aka literacy progression) outlines the core building blocks of literacy development - from emergent to proficient. It includes the incremental steps of learning - beginning at foundational literacy concepts in each strand and progressing to advanced skills. Think of it as a progress chart for building literacy skills.

Phonics	Prep: Consonant sounds + vowel sounds	Year 2: final consonant digraphs
Sight Words	Prep: List 1	Year 2: List 60
Spelling	Prep: single sound i	Year 10: Greek roots (anthrop, andr)
Grammar	Prep: Capital Letters	Year 10: Denotative Language
Comprehension	Prep: Cat and Mouse	Year 10: Metamorphosis

LiteracyPlanet's Literacy Continuum

How LP does it

LiteracyPlanet's Literacy Continuum reflects the organisational structure of national and state standards. Teachers can use the program guides (ie. the Phonics, Sight Words, Spelling, Grammar or Reading Comprehension Guides) to see pre-requisites and to help plan their lessons.

Each curriculum guide outlines the progression of skills from Prep to Year 10. They include every concept students will learn, as well as the optional or additional concepts that are available for teachers to assign.

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