

# How Decodable Classroom Libraries Support Early Literacy Curricula

Decodable classroom libraries play a crucial role in supporting early literacy curricula by providing targeted reading materials designed to reinforce phonics skills and support emerging readers. Here's how decodable classroom libraries support early literacy instruction:

## Phonics Reinforcement

Decodable books are specifically designed to align with phonics instruction. They feature words and sentences that follow phonetic patterns and correspond to the letter-sound relationships being taught. This reinforcement helps solidify phonics skills in early readers.



## Integration with Phonics Lessons

Decodable classroom libraries are closely aligned with phonics lessons in the curriculum. As students learn new phonetic elements in class, they can apply and reinforce those skills by reading corresponding decodable books independently.

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## Systematic Progression

Decodable libraries are often organized in a systematic progression, allowing students to move through levels of difficulty as they master phonetic principles. This systematic approach ensures a gradual and scaffolded learning experience.

Decodables Scope & Sequence

LEVEL	NUMBER OF BOOKS	FOCUS
Sounds & Letters	22	Introduce essential sounds and letters through simple picture book texts.
Fun & Friends Books	100	Simple stories composed of consistent word patterns and phonemes.
Color Decoders	20	Colorful stories told with a consistent set of color words and words.
Reading Some Phonics	8	Engaging stories focused on digraphs and phonics information for readers.
Phonics Fun	6	Mythical text teaches different letter sounds.
Early Bird Decodables	40	Only stories containing high-frequency words, proper punctuation, and a picture glossary.

## Enhanced Fluency and Confidence

Reading decodable texts helps students build fluency as they become more comfortable and automatic in decoding words. This increased fluency contributes to a sense of confidence and accomplishment in early readers.



## Individualized Instruction

Teachers can use decodable books to provide individualized instruction based on students' phonics abilities. Differentiated instruction allows educators to match the right level of decodable text to each student's current skill level, promoting success and confidence.



## Building Sight Word Vocabulary

While primarily focusing on phonics, decodable books may also introduce common sight words in a context that aligns with the phonetic patterns being taught. This dual approach supports the development of both phonetic decoding and sight word recognition.



## Support for Struggling Readers

Decodable books offer additional support for struggling readers who may need more practice with specific phonics elements. These books provide opportunities for targeted intervention to address individual learning needs.



## Engaging Content

Decodable books are crafted to include engaging and age-appropriate content. This ensures that students are motivated to read, fostering a positive attitude toward literacy and creating a supportive reading environment.



Whichever curriculum your district uses, our decodable libraries can support student learning.

# How Our Classroom Libraries Support Specific Curriculum

**SAVVAS**  
LEARNING COMPANY

- Phonological/ Phonemic Instruction
- Differentiated Learning Opportunities

**Sounds and Letters**  
**Tas and Friends**  
**Phonics Fun**  
**Red Rocket Readers**

**Wonders**

- Phonological/ Phonemic Instruction
- High-frequency words
- Differentiated Learning Opportunities

**Sounds and Letters**  
**Tas and Friends**  
**Phonics Fun**  
**Red Rocket Readers**

**HMH Into Reading®**

- Specific Letter Sounds
- Multisensory Learning
- Purposeful Scope & Sequence
- Texts That Build Knowledge

**Early Bird Readers**  
**Phonics Fun**  
**Red Rocket Readers**  
**Read for a Better World**  
**Pull Ahead Readers**

**Benchmark**  
EDUCATION

- Purposeful Scope & Sequence
- Engaging, Diverse Text Sets
- Knowledge- Building Texts
- Elevated Voices

**Sounds and Letters**  
**Tas and Friends**  
**Phonics Fun**  
**Red Rocket Readers**  
**Read for a Better World**  
**Pull Ahead Readers**

**WIT & WISDOM** **GEODES**

- Bold Themes
- A Balance of Literary, Informational, and Authentic Texts
- Allows Practice of Decoding Skills

**Read for a Better World**  
**Pull Ahead Readers**  
**Early Bird Readers**  
**Red Rocket Readers**