



Wilson Reading System Overview

Wilson Reading System (WRS) is an instructional program used to help struggling readers. WRS systematically teaches the structure of the English language. Research has found that intervention for struggling readers *must* include intensive, systematic, structured research-based instructional strategies. (Intl. Dyslexia Assoc. of PA). Through the step-by-step program (steps 1-12), students learn fluent decoding (reading) & spelling (encoding) skills to the level of mastery. Recommended instruction is 2-3 times per week, minimum. Average pacing is 3-4 steps per year. Students receive instruction in:

- Word structure for automatic decoding & spelling
- Word recognition & spelling of high-frequency words, including irregular words
- Vocabulary, word understanding, & word-learning skills
- Sentence-level text reading with ease, expression, & understanding
- Listening comprehension with age-appropriate narrative & informational text
- Reading comprehension with narrative & expository text of increasing levels of difficulty
- Narrative & informational text structures
- Proofreading skills and organization of information for oral or written expression
- Self-monitoring for word recognition accuracy & comprehension

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