

# READING LEVELS CHART

This table roughly illustrates how these levels correlate to each other and to school grade levels. Teachers are encouraged to freely adjust this correlation according to their personal evaluation and professional judgment.

Grade Level (Basal Level)	Fountas/Pinnell (F&P) (*Transitional Level)	Developmental Reading Assessment (DRA) Levels	Early Intervention (EIL) Levels	The Rigby PM Family Levels	Rigby Literacy Levels	Rigby READS Instructional or Independent Levels	Sails Levels
K (Readiness)	A	1	1	Starters One	1-2	Early Readiness	Beginning: First Wave
	B (Grade 1*)	2	2	Starters Two ****	3-4	Kindergarten	
Grade 1 (Pre-Primer)	C (Grade K*)	3	3-4	3-4 (Red)	5	1-1	Emergent Level: Magenta
	D	4	5-6	5-6 (Red-Yellow)	6	1-2	
	E	6-8	7-8	7-8 (Yellow)	7	1-3	
Grade 1 (Primer)	F	10	9-10	9-10 (Blue)	8	1-4	Early Level: Red (C, D, E, F) Yellow (E, F, G) Blue (F, G, H, I) Green (H, I, J)
Grade 1	G	12	11-12	11-12 (Blue-Green)	9	1-5	
	H (Grade 2*)	14	13-14	13-14 (Green)	10	1-6	
Grade 2	I (Grade 2*)	16	15-16	15-16 (Orange)	11	1-7	
	J	18	17-18	17-18 (Turquoise)	12	2-1	
Grade 2	K	20	19-20	19-20 (Purple)	13-14	2-2	Fluency Level: Orange (K, L, M, N) Turquoise (M, N) Purple (O, P) Gold (Q, R)
	L (Grade 3*)	24		21 (Gold)	15	2-3	
	M (Grade 3*)	28		22 (Gold)	16-17	2-4	
Grade 3	N	30	23 (Silver)	18	3-1		
	O (Grade 4*)	34	24 (Silver)	19	3-2		
	P (Grade 4*)	38	25 (Emerald)	20	3-3		
Grade 4	Q	40	26 (Emerald)		4-1		
	R		27 (Ruby)		4-2		
	S (Grade 5*)		28 (Ruby)		4-3		
Grade 5	T (Grade 4*)	50	29 (Sapphire)		5-1		
	U		30 (Sapphire)		5-2		
	V (Grade 6*) No Rigby books above this level				5-3		
Grade 6	W	60			6-1		
	X				6-2		
	Y						
Grade 7	Z	70					
Grade 8		80					