This directory is designed to serve as a resource guide for vocational educators who need additional instructional material in the teaching of communications or vocationally oriented communications in their classes. The user guide explains the organization and use of the manual. The Communications Resource Materials section is divided into topic areas. It is composed of books, articles, multimedia, and computer programs. Resources have been chosen for their applicability to middle, junior high, and high school students. The resource materials provide the following information: title (listed alphabetically within each section), author (developer, editor, or agency), source (distributor of the material), description (brief explanation of purpose, some discussion of topics covered, and mention of target audience), and cost. The resources are divided into six categories: words and meanings, reading, writing, speaking, listening, and general. The Teacher Resource Materials section covers many potential areas of assistance for teachers and includes teacher education materials, references on vocational special needs, and program-oriented materials. The List of Publishers lists alphabetically the source of the materials in both resource materials sections. The appendix is a chart illustrating generalizable communications skills by vocational program area and the importance of each skill to each vocational program area. (YLB)
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User Guide
Purpose of the Resource Directory

The need for a solid foundation in the "basic skills" is becoming increasingly important for all students. Students in vocational programs have typically lagged behind in these skills. However, provisions for incorporating communications into a vocational program are not always available.

This Resource Directory is designed to serve as a resource guide for vocational educators who need additional instructional material in the teaching of communications or vocationally-oriented communications in their classes. It has been prepared to assist vocational teachers, resource teachers, and others who comprise the vocational education core. Although the resources are not an exhaustive compilation of materials, it is hoped that the directory will serve as an initial search for educators interested in identifying and evaluating supplementary materials.

Organization of the Resource Directory

This directory is divided into five major sections. The sections include: (a) the User Guide, (b) Communications Resources Materials, (c) Teacher Resource Materials, (d) List of Publishers, and (e) Appendix (list of generalizable communications skills).

The User Guide explains the organization and use of the manual. The Communications Resource Materials section is divided into topic areas such that the user may easily find specific resources. In addition, there is a section with blank pages for adding additional resources. The Teacher Resource Materials section includes those
materials which may assist in the teaching of communications materials. The **List of Publishers** locates the source of the materials listed in both resource materials sections. The **Appendix** illustrates a chart of generalizable communications skills by vocational program area and the importance of each skill to each vocational program area. A generalizable communications skill is a skill which is basic to, necessary for success in, and transferable (or common) within and/or across vocational programs.

The following discussion provides further explanation regarding the organization of the resource directory.

**Communications Resource Materials**

This resource section is composed of books, articles, multimedia, and computer programs. Each resource has been annotated according to the information that has been given by the source or publisher. No attempt has been made to offer judgment as to its merit.

The resources were chosen as to their applicability to middle, junior high and high school students. A special effort was made to locate materials appropriate for working with special needs students. In addition, communications resources with a specific vocational-technical orientation were included.

The resource materials are listed in the following format and provide the following information:

**Title:** Listed alphabetically within each section.

**Author:** Developer, editor, or agency.

**Source:** Distributor of the material. Complete address of this source may be found in the **List of Publishers** section of the directory.
Description: A brief explanation of the purpose of the resource material, as well as some discussion of the topics covered are included. If possible, the target audience level is mentioned.

Cost: The price at the immediate left margin is the list price given by the publisher or source. When a net price or school price is also listed, this appears after the slash (/). In addition, there may be an Instructor's Guide or Teacher's Manual available. In this case, it will be listed as "I.G." with the price when available. Answer Keys or other related documents are also listed when mentioned by the publisher or source. These may have a cost or may be at no charge with the order. Often there is a discount for quantity or school orders. (Please check with the publisher regarding the current cost, since costs are subject to change periodically.) If no price has been listed, then "N/L" will appear.

An example of the resources is listed below:

Title: VOCABULARY IN CONTEXT
Author: S. Dedrick and J. Lattyak
Source: Dormac, Inc.

Description: This series motivates the older student to acquire the understanding and proper usage of high-interest vocabulary words. Basic topics related to everyday experiences teach the coping skills necessary in our society. There are both vocabulary and spelling workbooks. Examples include: "Renta' Words," "Physical Exam," "Driving Rules," and more.

Cost: $4.95 each

The resources are divided into the following categories:

1. **Words and Meanings**: These include materials on vocabulary and spelling of a practical and general nature.
2. **Reading**: Materials based on real-life experiences (careers, first aid) predominate in this section.
3. **Writing**: Both business writing and basic writing skills are taught through the materials in this section.
4. **Speaking**: Subjects range from the development of telephone skills to successful business speaking.
5. **Listening**: Auditory rehabilitation and life skills listening are among the items included in this section.

6. **General**: Such general communications skills as grammar concepts and composition are featured in these materials.

7. **Additional Resource Materials**: This section includes blank pages for adding resources not found in this directory. The directory includes a sample of potentially available materials. Most of the included materials were gleaned from publishers' catalogs, the ERIC Clearinghouse System, and published articles. Other sources will no doubt yield additional resources. It is hoped that this provision will lend to the dynamic character of this directory as a teacher resource.

In addition, resources in each of the major categories are subdivided into Practical, or vocationally oriented, and General resource materials. When available, resources are also sub-categorized into computer-assisted instructional materials and multi-media.

**Teacher Resource Materials**

The materials in this section cover many potential areas of assistance for teachers who want to incorporate communications skills into their programs. Included are teacher education materials, references on vocational special needs, and program-oriented materials.

**List of Publishers**

These sources are listed alphabetically, such that the source of a specific title in the Communications Resource Materials section may be easily located and written to for further information. Many commercial publishers offer a 30-day approval basis for examination of the materials at no charge. Materials may be simply requested "on approval." Furthermore, publishers are usually willing to supply catalogs of their materials. There is often a discount for
orders of multiple copies of the materials, and the Instructor's Guide is sometimes included free of charge.

Appendix A: Generalizable Communications Skills

The chart in Appendix A represents those generalizable communications skills which were identified by an Illinois DAVTE study on generalizable skills and validated in vocational programs and occupations. The Appendix has been included as a reference to assist in identifying the specific communications skill areas needed for proficiency in a particular vocational program (see Teacher Resource, "Identification of Generalizable Skills," for the complete study).
PRACTICAL

READING

Chaselle Lifeskills

Each of the ten survival vocabulary workbooks focuses on 80 words commonly seen on ads, labels, application forms, and more. Words are introduced, phonetically respelled, defined in context, and then repeatedly reinforced in motivating exercises.

$2.95

SURVIVAL VOCABULARIES

Janus Book Publishers

A series of ten books, each of which teaches 80 words or phrases associated with a common setting (Job application, Driver's license, Banking, etc.). Humorous graphics keep the presentation lively and interest high.

$2.95 Sample set $49.00

SURVIVAL WORDS PROGRAM

N. J. Dyck and others
DLM Teaching Resources

This program teaches automatic identification of 90 words and phrases considered most essential for survival. Contextual material is in short passages rather than sentences to help assure student success. Students also learn by responding to rebus drawings, which encourages them to write creative sentences using survival words.

$110.00 complete program
This series motivates the older student to acquire the understanding and proper usage of high-interest vocabulary words. Basic topics related to everyday experiences teach the coping skills necessary in our society. There are both vocabulary and spelling workbooks. Examples include: "Rental Words," "Physical Exam," "Driving Rules," and more.

$4.95 each

Everyday words found in newspapers and weekly news magazines raise the user's vocabulary in this 72-lesson program. Each program presents a definition and sample sentence. The learner then chooses the vocabulary word that fits best.

$168.00 disk, guide for series
GENERAL

ALPHABET ALCHEMY
G. Oliphant
Educators Publishing Service

This teacher's manual can be used in the general classroom, as well as in elementary speech or special education classes. Each alphabet sound is taught, along with four blends. An AC-60 cassette recording of the sounds, spoken by a female voice on one side and a male voice on the other, should be used with the manual. The material in this book is especially important for the student with reading problems.

$9.85

BASE

Bowmar/Noble Publishers

This tape program helps students build their vocabulary by developing an understanding of how words are structured. They do this by studying base words and affixes. The 32 lessons, plus a sample lesson, are on 17 cassette tapes.

$129.15 tape set  I.G. $3.39
$3.39 student's book

BEST

Bowmar/Noble Publishers

The Best tutorial program for basic reading skills presents instruction or reinforcement in basic phonetic and structural word-analysis skills, provides intensive, individualized instruction, adapts to any basal reading program, and encourages parental involvement. Each kit contains instructional plans, a handbook, picture and letter cards, an orientation tape, and a record pad.

$55.50
BOGGLE
Chaselle Lifeskills

In this letter-cube word game, students compete against the timer and each other as they try to find hidden words in adjacent letters on the board. The game helps build vocabulary and spelling skills.

$9.50

BUILDING WORD POWER
Chaselle Lifeskills

In this series of activity books, vocabulary words are introduced in context so students learn the subtle meanings of literal and figurative language, rather than a memorized dictionary definition. The books contain interesting exercises, stories, and illustrations.

$1.90

EDUCATIONAL PASSWORD
Milton Bradley

This exciting word game is based on the popular i'V game show. Two can play--or the entire class. There are 150 passwords, 450 cue words, a word decoder, and score pad.

$7.95

FUNCTIONAL DECODING AND VOCABULARY BUILDING
A. M. Hofmeister and others
E. B. Press

This program helps students who have finished beginning reading, but are having difficulty with words they cannot sound out and who are not increasing their vocabulary. They learn to master irregular words and learn simple definitions for words that occur frequently in their reading material.

$4.25 I.G. $3.95
GAMES FOR LEARNING
L. Brown
Educators Publishing Service

These five games ("Car Race," "Mystery," "Baseball," and so forth) are designed to supplement standard classroom lessons. Players succeed by correctly answering questions the teacher creates. Spelling lists and vocabulary words are potential material for questions.

$25.00

IMPROVING YOUR VOCABULARY SKILLS
Educational Design, Inc.

This text consists of vocabulary building lessons based on the most commonly encountered prefixes, suffixes, and roots - the keys to more than 100,000 words. Lessons are short and easily mastered.

$3.15

MAKING WORDS WORK FOR YOU: A GUIDE TO CREATIVE WORD POWER
R. J. White, J. Unright
Arco Publishing Co.

Like a dictionary, the guide provides pronunciation, definitions, and illustrations of the use of each word. It also acts as a thesaurus, providing synonyms and similar concepts for each word.

$5.95

MANY MEANINGS
S. Dedrick and J. Lattyak
Dormac, Inc.

Each multiple meaning workbook features 3 different meanings for each of 25 words, complete with illustrations, 4 exercises for each word, a format applicable to both younger and older students, and more.

$4.95
101 WAYS TO IMPROVE YOUR VOCABULARY
R. White
Arco Publishing Co.

Over 101 lessons to build word power, develop a superior vocabulary, and strengthen communications skills are offered in this book in a handy and easy-to-use format. By means of a variety of word games, word exercises, and crossword puzzles, this text will both challenge and entertain readers as it enriches their knowledge of, and ability to use, the English language. Here is an ideal book to help improve vocabulary skills for job-success; it is also useful for non-native English speakers.

$4.95

PLURALS
P. J. Collins and G. W. Cunningham
C. C. Publications, Inc.

Plurals contains five separate programs to teach regular and irregular plural nouns in small graduated steps. Suitable for individuals and small groups, it may be used with younger and older language-disordered adults and retarded children.

$27.95 package

POSITIVES-COMPARATIVES-SUPERLATIVES
P. J. Collins and G. W. Cunningham
C. C. Publications, Inc.

This program, intended for individuals or small groups, teaches the comparative and superlative forms of adjectives. It may be used for younger and older language-disordered adults and retarded children.

$27.95 package
PUZZLES: NOUN, VERB, PREFIX, SUFFIX

DLM Teaching Resources

The noun and verb puzzles will connect only if the picture belongs with the word. There are 50 nouns and 48 verbs. In the prefix puzzles, 12 prefixes can be matched with 3 different bases; 11 suffixes to 3 different bases. Sample sentences using each completed word are on the back of every prefix and suffix puzzle.

$9.25 prefix, suffix  $9.75 verb
$8.75 noun

QUIP QUBES Sentence Game

Chaselle Lifeskills

This board game helps students improve their vocabulary and recognition of sentence structure, in addition to strengthening logical thinking. Each player receives 27 cubes that contain different words on all sides. Students are challenged to form correct sentences while blocking their opponents' efforts.

$14.75

ROAD RACE

L. Carpenter
Curriculum Associates, Inc.

This motivational game emphasizes and strengthens spelling and reading skills. Students must combine beginning and ending sounds to make complete one-syllable words. It can be used with students of varying capabilities in the primary and intermediate grades.

$32.95
STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO CORRECT ENGLISH, 2nd edition
M. A. S. Pulaski, Ph.D.
Arco Publishing Co.

This book gives a lucid explanation of the working relationship between words. The definition and function of each part of speech is given. The four kinds of sentences--statements, questions, commands, and exclamations--are discussed, as well as the rules of punctuation and capitalization. The book is ideal for reviewing the fundamentals of English.

$5.95

THREE DIMENSIONS OF VOCABULARY GROWTH
L. M. Paternoster and R. L. Frager
Amsco School Publications, Inc.

This text shows students how to learn from words rather than about words by means of a three-dimensional approach: word histories--words with stories behind them; etymologies--words with graphic elements within them; related meanings--words with ideas in common.

$4.45

UPWORDS
Milton Bradley

Players go for the most points by building layers upon layers of crosswords. New words are formed by changing one or more letters of existing words. The more titles piled up underneath each word, the higher the score.

$14.50

VOCABULARY BINGO
Chaselle Lifeskills

In this game, bingo cards contain words instead of numbers to help students expand their vocabulary skills. A word clue is read aloud; students scan their cards to locate a synonym. Five in a row is bingo. There are 36 bingo cards, 300 chips and over 1,000 clue cards.

$7.95
VOCABULARY BUILDER AND VERBAL
APTITUDE TEST GUIDE
W. J. Miller and E. Morse-Cluley
Arco Publishing Co.

This text presents and explains the skills necessary for success in all kinds of verbal tests. A carefully-constructed word list defines and illustrates the use of over 2000 words to increase word power. These words are followed by practice tests measuring students' ability to use the terms in dozens of synonym, antonym, and sentence completion tests. There is a quick review of the rules of grammar, spelling, and punctuation, including tests of verbal analogies and correct usage to measure mastery of these important language skills. Completing this course will improve not only vocabulary, but also reading comprehension and test-taking skills.

$6.95

VOCABULARY BUILDING EXERCISES
FOR THE YOUNG ADULT
D. McCarr
Dormac, Inc.

This series consists of seven high-interest vocabulary building books. Each book contains 15 lessons with 20 vocabulary words in each lesson. Exercises include words and definitions, scrambled words, using words in context in sentences, and more.

$5.50 each $38.50 set

VOCABULARY FLUENCY PROGRAM, Book B
M. M. Runnells and D. D. Durrell
Curriculum Associates, Inc.

This reading program uses live language learning to stimulate remedial readers. Students focus on the tasks of reading, writing, and speaking to develop and expand reading ability. The 50 lessons combine teacher-directed activities with paired and individual student work.

$39.95
VOCABULARY FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT
H. Levine
Amsco School Publications, Inc.

Vocabulary is improved and enriched by means of a direct, organized, and precisely-focused attack. Such basic concepts as learning new words from context and enlarging vocabulary through central ideas are covered.

$4.75 workbook ed.
$3.50 paperback ed.
$6.00 hardbound ed.

VOCABULARY IN CONTEXT
S. Dedrick and J. Lattyak
Dormac, Inc.

This series helps motivate the older student to acquire the understanding and proper usage of high-interest vocabulary words. The vocabulary workbooks and accompanying spelling workbooks were developed specifically for those who experience difficulty in acquiring the English language.

$4.95 each workbook

VOCABULARY SKILLBOOK SERIES
Chaselle Lifeskills

Four activity-packed skillbooks introduce and reinforce reading and vocabulary skills using exciting games, exercises, and puzzles. The Word Structure Skillbook focuses on prefixes and root words, while Using the Context teaches students to look for context clues to identify unfamiliar words. Synonyms and Antonyms and Homographs and Homophones are both designed to minimize confusion with tricky words.

$39.95 40 books (10 each of 4 titles)
VOCABULARY, SPELLING AND GRAMMAR
W. J. Miller and E. Morse-Cluley
Arco Publishing Co.

An extensive vocabulary, a good command of spelling, and knowledge of the rules of grammar and usage are sure to result in higher scores on civil service, military, scholastic, and employment tests. The vocabulary section includes over 2000 words every test-taker should know. The chapter on etymology defines and illustrates 150 prefixes, suffixes, and roots to help decipher unfamiliar words that may turn up on tests. Fifty practice tests cover synonym, antonym, sentence completion, and verbal analogy questions assembled from a variety of previous tests. The spelling section offers tips on improving spelling skills, 8 easy rules for spelling any English word, a list of the 400 most commonly misspelled words, and practice tests to assess and improve spelling skill. The grammar section defines and explains the parts of speech, provides a concise review of the rules of punctuation and capitalization, and tests mastery of the subject with hundreds of previous test questions on correct usage and effective expression.

$6.95

WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH A WORD:
300 CLASSROOM READING ACTIVITIES
D. Raymond
B. L. Winch and Associates/Jalmar Press

Useful for young learners as well as older remedial students, this text includes workable, practical, innovative ideas to develop sight recognition vocabulary, word analysis skills, and comprehension.

$7.00

WHEN YOUR MIND GOES BLANK

EBSCO Curriculum Materials

A resource book of word lists and activities. Thousands of words have been gathered into lists on many different subjects. Abbreviations, synonyms, rhyming words, colors, occupations are a few of the subjects.

$15.95
WIDE WORLD OF WORDS
J. D. Berbrich
Amsco School Publications, Inc.

This text shows students how to widen their vocabularies as they widen their own personal worlds. Students discover how they learn words through experience--direct or vicarious. They learn to become "word watchers"--and find related and multiple-use words.

$5.75

WORD ENDINGS
A. M. Hofmeister and others
C. C. Publications, Inc.

This program enables students to decode short vowel words ending in -s, -ed, -er, and -ing; to read regularly spelled words that have a final "e" and a long vowel; and to read a mixed list of the above at the rate of 30 words per minute. This type of practice can open the door to functional reading for the student.

$2.95  I.G. $3.95

WORDPLAY
W. J. Levy
Amsco School Publications, Inc.

This text enriches students' vocabulary by means of a multi-dimensional study of a manageable number of words. Activities are exceptionally varied, inventive, often playful, making the words come alive. Students apply and extend learning by writing an original paragraph in each unit.

$3.20

WORD POWER FOR EFFECTIVE WRITING
J. H. Jackson and E. G. Pearce
Bobbs-Merrill

This text-workbook features a thorough review of correct usage of the English language in context, covering grammar, word choice, capitalization, punctuation, spelling, proofreading, and style.

$9.86
WORD POWER GAME
Chaselle Lifeskills

This exciting board game helps students develop vocabulary skills as they are challenged to distinguish synonyms from antonyms and define the words correctly. Included are a dictionary of all words used in the game, 3 decks of word cards, play money, and instructions.

$14.95

WORD RESOURCES
T. E. Walker
Bobbs-Merrill

The book provides a systematic tool for enrichment of vocabulary and word usage through the study of roots, stems, and affixes, as well as the language origins of English words.

$9.03 I.G. $2.75
SPELLING

ADVANCED SPEED SPELLING
J. Proff-Witt
C. C. Publications, Inc.

This program builds on a base of spelling skills developed in Speed Spelling. While Speed Spelling teaches the regularities of written spelling, this program teaches the irregularities. It may be used by students of any age who need to master sixth through twelfth grade spelling skills.

$9.95 $77.95 kit (manual, 20 student books, word list packet)

CONTINUOUS PROGRESS IN SPELLING
Bowmar/Noble Publishers

This multilevel basal spelling program presents a core vocabulary of over 4,000 words, 98% of the words most commonly used in writing. Students are placed at their individual levels of spelling ability and allowed to work at their own pace. They study only those words they do not know. A core study system teaches them to apply motor skills as well as visual and auditory senses to the study of spelling.

$189.90 kit $3.18 student book

IMPROVING YOUR SPELLING SKILLS
Chaselle Lifeskills

This skill-building worktext shows students how to avoid the most commonly made spelling errors in 38 short, easy-to-follow lessons and practice sessions. The text also contains review pages and mastery tests.

$3.25 $31.50 10 copies and guide
IMPROVING YOUR SPELLING SKILLS

Educational Design, Inc.

This skills-building approach to spelling teaches how to avoid the most commonly encountered problems--dropping silent "e," words ending in "y," etc. Lessons are short and easily mastered.

$3.15

KEYS TO SPELLING MASTERY, 6, 7, 8
Allred, Baird, Read
The Economy Company

This complete spelling program includes spelling, word-building, dictionary, and written expression activities. Word lists feature those words most frequently used in writing. Spelling skills are also practiced in composition activities.

$8.57 I.G. $7.95

MICHIGAN PROGRAMMED SPELLING
E. L. Huelsberg
Ann Arbor Publishers

Levels 7 and 8 of this program seem most appropriate for vocational education at the upper junior-senior high school. Visual discrimination, visual sequencing, and word meanings are included. Lists are cross-referenced from three sources of words most often misspelled by high school and college students and adults. Lower levels build on the Dolch Sight Vocabulary of 240 words. Cassettes (at the lower levels) and crossword puzzles are also available.

$ 8.00 book (level 1-8)  
$24.00 cassettes (4) (level 1)  
$24.00 cassettes (4) (level 2)  
$24.00 cassettes (4) (level 3)  
$ 2.50 crossword puzzle (level 1-3)  
$ 2.50 crossword puzzle (level 4-6)
A PRESCRIPTIVE SPELLING PROGRAM

Bernell Loft

This diagnostic and prescriptive spelling program has been designed to evaluate spelling ability, diagnose specific weaknesses, and to provide instructional material to strengthen the areas of deficiency. The three books deal with specific areas of the spelling process. There are complete diagnostic and prescriptive spelling programs, diagnostic instruments, books, evaluation forms, and pupil worksheets.

$73.95 complete diagnostic and prescriptive spelling programs
(30 books 10 each, level 1, 2, 3)
I.G. (!level 1, 2, 3)

SEE, SAY, AND WRITE!
N. Lewis
Amsco Student Publications, Inc.

Students are given a multi-sensory approach to spelling power through spelling patterns. Words are taught according to the patterns they have in common--sounds or structural features. A pattern box in each unit shows the pattern clearly and forcefully.

$5.75

SPEED SPELLING
J. Proff-Witt
C. C. Publications, Inc.

The goal of this individualized, phonetically-based spelling program is to increase the speed and accuracy of written spelling following a systematic development of sound to letter correspondence. The placement test places each student in the program at the appropriate level. The program is intended for students of any age who have not mastered first through sixth grade spelling skills.

$9.95
$77.95 kit (manual, 20 student books, word list packet'
SPELL IT OUT 1, 2, 3

Globe Book Company

This junior high spelling series has both a reading and spelling section. High-interest, nonfiction stories motivate under-achievers; the text workbooks are illustrated with large, eye-catching photographs. Words are chosen from lists of words most commonly used and frequently misspelled.

$3.69

SPELL STUMPERS

Chaselle Lifeskills

Sixteen innovative crossword puzzles, fill-in games, and other activities help students learn commonly misspelled words. There are 16 duplicating master worksheets, each with an answer key.

$5.95

SPELLING WORDS IN USE

G. W. Woodruff and G. N. Moore
Curriculum Associates, Inc.

This text is for the student who often misspells the most common words. These words and their derived forms are put into use and practice through context activities. There are 24 lessons, with 10 words per lesson.

$29.95
COMPUTER ASSISTED INSTRUCTION

BANK STREET SPELLER
Broderbund
EBSCO Curriculum Materials

This program encourages students to write well, and reinforces good study habits such as checking work, using the dictionary, and building vocabulary. It is formulated to correspond to the vocabulary in all major language arts and reading texts.

$69.00 Apple + Ile

COMPUTERS IN EDUCATION TEXTS

Prentice-Hall

These ten texts include Computer-Based Instruction: Methods and Development, Computers in Early and Primary Education, Coping with Computers in Elementary and Middle Schools, and more. Today's children must be computer-literate to succeed in the future. With the aid of these texts, teachers will be able to integrate the computer into all phases of the educational process.

$15.95 - $22.95

ESSENTIAL STUDY SKILLS SERIES

R. Tombaek and others
Media Materials, Inc.

This series of six microcomputer packages includes: "Following Directions" (oral and written directions, picturing the directions, etc.); "Key Reference Skills" (parts of a book, using reference materials, etc.); and more.

$39.95 individual title $239.70 series of six
ESSENTIAL VOCABULARY SERIES
  Compare and Contrast (2 packages)
  Detecting the Precise Meaning (2 packages)

B. L. Winch and Associates/Jalmar Press

"Compare and Contrast" explains and uses homographs, homophones, synonyms, and antonyms in sample sentences. "Detecting the Precise Meaning" gives students a clearer understanding of how to select the precise meanings of words.

$79.90 each package  $155.95 2 packages

WORD ANALYSIS SERIES
  Analyzing Word Structure (2 packages)
  Start to Finish (2 packages)

B. L. Winch and Associates/Jalmar Press

"Analyzing Word Structure" shows students how contractions are formed and describes root words. "Start to Finish" offers motivating lessons on prefixes and suffixes.

$79.90 each package  $155.95 2 packages

WORD BENDERS, A-1  B-1, C-1
H. Black and S. Black
Midwest Publications, Inc.

These books and software are deductive-thinking skill puzzles which promote vocabulary building and spelling skill. This game-like format encourages students to recognize and change word roots, prefixes, and suffixes to create new words.

$4.75 each text  $39.95 each software package

WORDPLAY
Hartley Courseware

This software program has three exciting games that will help a student learn to recognize and spell any new set of words. Teachers may also edit and enter their own word lists.

$35.95 package
MULTI-MEDIA

BUSINESS VOCABULARY
Career Aids, Inc.

This series includes filmstrips, cassettes, and program guides which are geared toward terminology in the following fields: general office, billing and customer service, accounting and bookkeeping, data processing, and purchasing.

$79.00  $40.00 purchasing terminology
$335.00 set

KNIGHT INDIVIDUALIZED SPELLING PROGRAM
E. Knight
Educators Publishing Service

This supplementary spelling program consists of 14 C-60 cassette tapes and a student workbook which reinforces spelling rules. It stresses an auditory approach to spelling. Students progress from hearing and writing words with simple one-letter sounds to more complex, multi-lettered sounds.

$112.00 kit (14 cassettes, I.G., 1 spirit duplicating master, 12 student workbooks)

READING VOCABULARY
J. D. Coley and M. O'Shea
Media Materials, Inc.

This series of five sound filmstrip packages deals with topics on word structure, using context, and selecting the precise meaning. The characters are three musicians called the Multi-tones. Each package contains a 45-frame filmstrip, a cassette tape, student response booklets, activity workbooks, library catalog cards, and an instructor's guide.

$29.95 each title  $149.75 five packages
VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT

Milton Bradley

Lessons concentrate on abbreviations, contractions, prefixes, suffixes, word endings, and more. The set includes five cassette tapes, ten manipulatives, ten packs of 72 response sheets.

$90.00
ABLEST
S. Royce and C. R. Miller
Educet Publishers

This practical, high-interest easy-reading series teaches life skills needed to function in society. Five books, illustrated with photographs, cover such areas as occupations, money management, and government and law.

$119.49  150 books & 1 curriculum guide
(10 copies each of all 5 books)

BUILDING LIFE SKILLS, LEVEL D, E, F
Modern Curriculum Press

These colorful skillbooster workbooks develop functional reading skills through exercises in real-life learning and decision-making. Level D concentrates on critical reading in the home and neighborhood. Level E includes real-life situations in the community, and Level F develops skills in a larger, national context.

$1.80 each  (5 or more copies)

CAREER READING SKILLS, A, B, C
Globe Book Company

These books offer a well-planned sequence of instruction and practice in basic vocabulary and comprehension skills for senior high students reading below grade level. The reading selections offer students up-to-date information about occupations; they gain valuable experience with actual material--want ads, bank forms, etc.

$3.25  10 or more copies  I.G. $1.25
CONSUMER READING
J. Coley
Dale Seymour Publications

Students fill out order forms and coupons, read theater schedules and medicine labels, and follow contest and kite-making directions on these 20 practical spirit masters.

$4.95

DEAL: DAILY EXPERIENCES AND ACTIVITIES FOR LIVING
E. P. Doyle and J. K. Beam
DLM Teaching Resources

This straightforward workbook program provides secondary students with high-interest, low-level text to develop reading comprehension skills. Exercises focus on practical skills students need to handle real-life situations and problems—for example, "Working," "Nutrition and Health," "Consumer Buying," and more. The six workbooks in the program are also available separately.

$3.25 each  I.G. $2.00

ENGLISH FOR CAREERS
B. L. Walker
Media Materials, Inc.

This text focuses on communication skills related to a student's preparation for the world of work. Students are encouraged to explore the needs of the job market as they prepare and plan for their careers. In addition to general skills development, the text stresses vocabulary development.

$12.95

ENGLISH SURVIVAL SERIES
M. M. Maggs
National Textbook Co.

This series simplifies reading and writing by breaking them down into major, manageable skill topics—vocabulary, details, main ideas, sentences and paragraphs. There are four separate books—one for each of the four skills. Contents are drawn from everyday life—"Working in an Organization," "The Company Office," "Employment/Unemployment," etc.

$4.50 each  I.G. $7.50  sample set $16.95
FIXING YOUR CAR COMPLETE READING SERIES

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This series of four easy-reading workbooks uses up-to-date information written in consultation with automotive experts. The vocabulary is carefully controlled; a variety of motivating exercises and illustrations help develop a variety of language skills (spelling, punctuation, pronunciation, and more).

$3.95 $29.95 set of ten $115.00 complete series
(40 books, 10 copies of each of 4 titles)

FORMS IN YOUR FUTURE

Globe Book Company

This text-workbook gives students reading and writing practice in a meaningful context--the lessons are built around such commonly-used forms as job applications, bank forms, income tax forms, and so forth.

$3.48 10 or more copies

GEAR UP FOR WORK

Mafex Associates, Inc.

This text teaches attitudes needed for success on the job, while improving functional reading skills. Honesty, working safety, and responsibility are covered. Vocabulary lists are included.

$4.95

JOBS I CAN DO

J. Hogan
Mafex Associates, Inc.

This text teaches students about 25 common jobs (auto mechanic, machinist, hair stylist, telephone operator, and others), while strengthening reading and vocabulary skills. Each occupation features a half-page illustration of people at work.

$5.95
LEARNING FUNCTIONAL WORDS AND PHRASES
FOR EVERYDAY LIVING, BOOKS I AND II
D. J. Somers and L. A. Wesner
Frank E. Richards Publishing Co., Inc.

These workbooks present functional words and phrases and their meanings in everyday life. In addition to individual lessons, there are pre- and post-tests and review pages.

$2.75

LIFE SKILLS DRIVING
J. Savage and R. Morrison
Educational Design, Inc.

This reading skills book teaches driving to underachieving readers and helps them pass the written driver's license test. A simple vocabulary is used; there are ample reviews and sample forms.

$2.95

LIFE SKILLS ENGLISH
B. L. Walker
Media Materials, Inc.

This text develops practical communication skills that young people need to function in their everyday lives outside of school. Chapter topics include: "Completing Forms and Applications," "Information from the Media," "Getting Expert Help," etc. The instruction is down-to-earth and uncomplicated.

$12.95

LIFE SKILLS READING
C. Mullins
Educational Design, Inc.

This text teaches reading for the real world of jobs and everyday life. Actual labels, forms, directions, and ads are used to develop basic reading competency. It is designed for students with and without reading disabilities.

$2.95
LIFE SKILLS READING 2
C. Mullins
Educational Design, Inc.

This text provides more reading for the world of jobs and everyday life, teaching students how to handle longer passages of reading matter. Newspaper articles, business letters, consumer information, and similar material are used.

$2.95

MEETING BASIC COMPETENCIES IN READING
E. L. Corcoran
Frank E. Richards Publishing Co., Inc.

The purpose of this work-study book is to provide review and practice for students who must meet minimum graduation standards in reading. Reading materials include sales brochures, catalogues, and timetables.

$2.75 I.G. $1.00

ON YOUR OWN
J. Chan and others
Janus Book Publishers

This series of four books is designed to help older students build self-confidence and increase independence while developing their reading and language skills. Topics include "Caring for your Car," "Need a Doctor?," etc.

$3.30 Sample set $12.60

PEOPLE WORKING TODAY
S. Shalit and others
Janus Book Publishers

Ideal for the older student with reading difficulties, these ten exciting books focus on the efforts of teens in getting and keeping a first job (hospital helper, van driver, clerk, etc.).

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PHONE BOOK POWER
N. Gill
Dale Seymour Publications

These 20 spirit masters are designed to help students use the yellow pages, compute long-distance charges, and find phone numbers quickly.

$4.95

REACH FOR READING
Modern Curriculum Press

This comprehensive worktext is intended for students who need a structural phonics program, with the extra motivation of high-interest, real-life materials, signs, menus, directories, and so forth. Lively cartoons, stories, word puzzles, and action-packed exercises are included.

$2.97 each (5 or more copies;

READ ON! WRITE ON!
J. Canario and others
Janus Book Publishers

This six-book series helps students cope with behavioral problems common among young adults at school, at home, and on the job. Each unit introduces vocabulary, develops reading skills, checks comprehension, and encourages creative writing in the context of the problems.

$3.38 Sample set $18.90

READING FOR SURVIVAL
E. L. Corcoran
Frank E. Richards Publishing Co., Inc.

This basic workbook is designed to give the student an opportunity to practice reading material most adults encounter in daily life. Newspaper articles, regulations, and time schedules are included.

$2.75
READING FOR SURVIVAL IN TODAY'S SOCIETY
A. Adams and others
Dale Seymour Publications

These two resource books contain exercises based on more than 120 examples of commonly-used printed materials--forms, schedules, labels, bills, etc.

$12.95 each

READING SKILLS FOR DRIVERS
Chaselle Lifeskills

This series teaches drivers how to read vital information essential to their physical safety--road signs, what to do in emergencies, etc.

$10.95 24 duplicating masters and guide

REAL EXPERIENCES: LANGUAGE IN EVERYDAY USE
Turner
Coe Book Co.

These reading lessons are built around short, true-to-life conversations that may be read, discussed, and even acted out. Lessons include motivational activities involving a paycheck stub, an appliance guarantee, etc.

$4.14 10 or more copies

REAL LIFE READING
Mafex Associates, Inc.

Six 32-page workbooks teach survival reading skills, emphasizing following directions and reading comprehension. Food, for example, deals with grocery shopping and recipes; Medicine with reading labels and prescriptions. Telephone gives practice in the use of the telephone book. The series prepares students for reading and understanding words used in everyday living situations.

$2.95 each
REAL READING

EBSCO Curriculum Materials

This resource is a motivation-oriented reading/language arts program for teenagers using magazines that appeal to their personal interests (Sport, Wildlife, Career Word, etc.). A series of creative activities are completed in such areas as journalism, the great outdoors, and sports.

$99.95 with magazines  $31.95 no magazines

REALLY ME!
L. Jacobs
EMC Publishing

This reading program uses material dealing with the problems of growing up and how to cope with them. A complete kit consists of 4 paperback books, 4 read-along cassettes, and a teacher's guide. Interest level: grades 4-10.

$88.00 kit  $6.95 hardback book
$3.95 paperback book  I.G. $10.00

SPORTS READING SERIES
Bowmar/Noble Publishers

Each of the three reading kits—"Big League Baseball," "Pro Basketball," and "NFL"—comes with 50 selections on study cards, a teacher's guide, and 25 reading award certificates. The series helps students develop basic reading and comprehension skills, capitalizing on their interest in sports.

$80.25 each kit
$228.75 3 kits

STORIES ABOUT WORKERS
B. Pitch
Frank E. Richards Publishing Co., Inc.

Fifteen stories depict various kinds of occupations available to those seeking employment. Each story familiarizes the student with the duties, requirements, behavior, and vocabulary to qualify for these occupations.

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W. Roderman and others
Janus Book Publishers

This series of nine books addresses problems people meet in everyday life: "Using the Want Ads," "Becoming a Driver," "Reading and Following Directions," and more. Accompanying exercises emphasize reading comprehension and vocabulary building skills.

$3.30 Sample set $28.35

SURVIVAL READING: A DEVELOPMENTAL APPROACH
Chaselle Lifeskills


$168.50 complete program (80 books, 10 copies of each)

THAT'S LIFE
V. Clews and T. Reiff
Educat Publishers

A cumulative approach to basic literacy, this text presents a carefully-sequenced instructional program focused on the demands of daily living (taxes, layoff, emergency, etc.). Eight worktexts and eight drama tapes are included. The latter promote listening skills and oral language usage.

$149.25 texts, tapes, I.G.

THE VOCATIONAL ENGLISH SERIES, BOOKS 1, 2, 3
Jochen and Shapiro
Globe Book Co.

These texts are intended for students who are primarily interested in the skills they will need at work. They offer practical instruction in writing business letters, getting the most from a newspaper, preparing for a job interview, etc.

$4.47 10 or more copies
GENERAL

AMERICANS OF DREAM AND DEED
L. Lowenherz and R. J. Lowenherz
Amsco School Publications, Inc.

This text remediates basic reading and language skills by means of original biographies of famous Americans (Harriet Tubman, Eleanor Roosevelt, Helen Keller, and more). Comprehension exercises are interspersed within the selections to promote active reading. Application through original writing concludes every selection.

$5.35

BASIC READING COMPREHENSION, GRADES 6, 7, 8
EBSCO Curriculum Materials

This program provides vocabulary development and develops comprehension skills with reinforcement activities. Students recognize, pronounce, write, and use the lesson words. First, words are learned and matched with the definition. After hearing an audio story, the students take a mastery test of the learned words used in the story. They may then use the new words in a sentence or paragraph.

$85.00

BASIC READING SKILLS
R. A. D'Agastino and others
Arco Publishing Co.

Using a simple step-by-step approach, this book helps candidates to identify the reading skills necessary for success on the GED exam. Recognizing that different kinds of reading require different reading skills, this self-teaching guide devotes separate chapters to adjusting and applying reading skills to selections from social studies, science, and literature.

$6.95
BASIC READING UNITS
Dr. T. Gunning
Continental Press Publications

These kits provide intensive practice in developing skills in four key areas - main idea, facts and details, inference and conclusions, and sequence. They are designed for older students who are reading significantly below grade level. Subjects covered include biography, science, and historical events.

$39.50

BEGINNING READING: SOUND SYMBOLS AND BLENDING
A. M. Hofmeister and others
C. C. Publications, Inc.

This program enables the student whose progress has been slow or hampered by lack of interest to learn symbols and blending skills with a reduced amount of frustration.

$4.25  I.G. $8.95

COMPREHENSION SKILL-BY-SKILL
Chaselle Lifeskills

This skill-building series helps students sharpen their comprehension skills - grasping the main idea of a story, remembering important facts and details. Each story, written with a controlled vocabulary, is followed by self-directing exercises to check understanding of the material. There are ten copies of each title shown, 30 in all.

$55.00

CORRECTIVE READING
S. Engelmann and others
Science Research Associates

This program uses the direct instruction approach to maximize success for readers with underdeveloped skills. Teachers work intensively for 30-45 minutes each day with groups of students. There are two strands - decoding and comprehension, each with three levels of skill development, from basics to applications.

$63.70 - $74.20
CROSSWINDS
Bowmar/Noble Publishing Co.

This comprehensive skills program for students reading at or below level combines interesting reading selections with skills instruction. The selections were chosen on the basis of interest to junior high students and readability for a primary audience.

$9.33 reader  
$2.70 workbook  
$3.27 comprehension checks

DEVELOPING EVERYDAY READING SKILLS, BOOKS 1 AND 2
S. Margulies, Ph.D., and C. W. Feder
Educational Design, Inc.

This series teaches the applied comprehension skills that are the most common source of real-life problems for students reading at 4-5 years or more below 8th grade level. Ten groups of skills at 3 different levels of difficulty are presented. Progress is gradual, but steady.

$2.95

THE ECONOMY COMPANY'S READER THEATER KIT B (Grades 4-6)
Chaparro and others
The Economy Company

This supplementary oral reading program encourages students to participate in reading. Key vocabulary and oral communication skills are developed; comprehension skills are reinforced. Each kit contains 8 scripts for each grade, a teacher's manual for each grade, and a cassette tape. The tape describes the teaching procedure for a lesson and provides information about the program.

$154.95
KEYTEXT SUPPORTIVE MATERIALS, 6

The Economy Company

**Word, Phrase and Symbol Cards:** The box of cards provides reinforcement of the skills presented in the text. **Concept Cards:** These full-color cards are used to develop comprehension concepts, extend language experiences, and reinforce specific skills. **Picture Cards:** These cards illustrate sound-symbol relationships and are used in word analysis sessions.

$ N/L

KEYTEXT, 6, 7, 8
Mattconi and others
The Economy Company

This basal reading program is intended for students experiencing difficulty in reading. Language experience techniques are combined with strong decoding, comprehension, and study skills. High utility skills are gradually presented in chart sessions. Selections include classics, plays, folklore, and nonfiction, and are short and lively.

$5.67  $8.40 teacher's resource book

MASTERING READING COMPREHENSION SKILLS
R. A. D'Agostino and others
Arco Publishing Co.

Starting with a comprehensive analysis of reading skills, this book shows students how to identify reading problems, strengthen the skill areas in which they are weak, and use their new reading skills to advantage on any kind of reading comprehension test. The book can be used alone or with a teacher.

$6.95
MORE POWERFUL READING
W. J. Levy
Amsco School Publications, Inc.

This text promotes immediate growth in reading power and equips the student with disciplines and tasks for continuous, long-range reading improvement. General organization is from simple to complex - from the meaning of the word, to the sentence, to the paragraph, to the page. Reading selections are taken from established and new writers.

$5.10

1-2-3 READ! A STEP-BY-STEP TUTORING PLAN
FOR TEACHERS, PARENTS, AND FRIENDS
J. Dettre
Dale Seymour Publications

This book offers a simple and effective system for helping someone of any age (7 to adult) learn to read. The teacher will learn how to assess the needs of the problem reader, then will be shown, step-by-step, how to help the student get through school and cope in a world where learning to read is essential.

$6.95

PASSPORT TO READING
Chaselle Lifeskills

This comprehension program consists of highly-motivating stories that are easy to read. Each of six developmentally-sequenced worktexts contain fourteen absorbing stories that help develop essential comprehension skills, like identifying main ideas and recognizing sequence.

$32.50 6 texts and guide
QUICKSILVER BOOKS

Bowmar/Noble Publishers

These high-interest reading books review comprehension and develop book report writing skills. Assignments and questions are carefully structured to help students.

$24.75 each kit (6 in all)
$139.95 complete set

READING AND GROWING

W. J. Levy
Amesco School Publications, Inc.

This text motivates and guides students into growth in comprehension, appreciation, and interpretation. Such popular authors as Richard Wright, Edna Ferber, Jessamyn West, and Joyce Carol Oates are included.

$4.50

READING COMPREHENSION

Chaselle Lifeskills

Focusing on five of the most critical skills needed to be a successful reader, these skillbooks are loaded with pages of self-directing, easy-to-understand exercises and activities students will enjoy completing. Titles include: "Getting the Main Idea," "Using Details," "Using the Sequence," "Working with Inferences," and "Focus on Critical Reading."

$9.95
READING COMPREHENSION SERIES
Bowmar/Noble Publishers

The series is intended for students who need interesting materials at lower reading levels, presenting high-interest selections to motivate students. Each kit (8 in all) contains 25 exciting narratives (75 reading cards in all, 3 of each selection), a teacher's guide, and either a set of award certificates or a poster for classroom display.

$58.59 each kit

READING DEXTERITY KIT
Bowmar/Noble Publishers

This kit is a reading aid to help students adapt their reading rate for purpose and comprehension. It offers practice in reading for main idea, sequence, specific questions, and more. A chart is included for recording speed and comprehension. Each kit contains cards with short reading selections. Answer cards, tables to determine reading rates, and progress charts are also included.

$50.85 kit

THE READING KEY
A. G. Isaacson and J. Kollas
C. C. Publications, Inc

This direct instruction program pretests, teaches, and posttests 29 basic reading skills in the areas of phonetic analysis, structural analysis, and sight reading. Four workbooks reinforce skills taught in the manual.

$23.74 package of 4
READING POWER SERIES, BOOKS 1, 2, 3, 4
A. Cass
Arco Publishing Co.

Mrs. Cass is a leading specialist and noted author in the field of Adult Education. These four books, written at the most basic level, are intended for use in an Adult Basic Education Program. They are specifically geared to the needs of the slow, reluctant reader. Ingenious tests and exercises, the aim of which is to bring out reading interest, ability, memory, comprehension, and progress, are included. The books are copiously illustrated.

$5.95 each

READING INTERPRETATION IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, NATURAL SCIENCES, AND LITERATURE
Arco Publishing Co.

These reading exercises were devised to assist the student in developing and improving reading comprehension. Each of the passages resembles those on the actual exam in format and length. Diagnostic practice tests are also included.

$5.00

READING SKILLS PRACTICE KIT - II
S. Laird
Curriculum Associates, Inc.

This program provides lessons for mastering skills and subskills necessary for reading fluency. There are six main categories: "Reading Comprehension," "Vocabulary," "Story Analysis," "Structural Analysis," "Reading Analysis," and "Research Skills." Students can work individually, in pairs, or in groups, using the 160 activity cards contained in the kit.

$44.95
RESPONDING TO PROSE: A READER FOR WRITERS
J. Fishman
Bobbs Merrill

This rhetorically-based reader treats reading and writing as complementary acts—writers read and readers write. Reading is an active, engaging creative activity. So is writing. Emphasis is placed throughout the book on keeping a journal as a way of responding to the selections and as a resource to writing. The selections are drawn from "old favorites" and "new treasures" relevant to a variety of student backgrounds.

$8.21  I.G. $2.75

66 PASSAGES TO BETTER READING;
88 PASSAGES TO BETTER READING
Chaselle Lifeskills

This complete reading program combines controlled vocabulary with content that is both interesting and informative. After each passage, a series of questions helps students identify subject matter, express main ideas, separate factual statements from opinion, and more.

$89.00 text and guide  $7.95 passages

SHORT STORY SCENE
Globe Book Company

This literature and reading text contains stories planned to bring out students' ideas about subjects like drugs, jobs, parents, and prejudice. Discussion questions are grouped in the back.

$4.98  10 or more copies
SOUND OFF AND READ PROGRAM
F. Chaney
Mafex Associates, Inc.

Six games teach sounds necessary for good reading skills. The perfect reinforcement for vowel and consonant programs, they may be used with any reading program. Included are "Short Vowel Bingo," "Vowel Go Fish," and more.

$5.95

SPECIFIC SKILLS SERIES
Barnell Loft

This series breaks down reading into its component skills. The eight skill areas are 1) "Working with Sounds," 2) "Following Directions," 3) "Locating the Answer," 4) "Getting the Facts," 5) "Detecting the Sequence," 6) "Using the Context," 7) "Getting the Main Idea," and 8) "Drawing Conclusions." A complete set of booklets for "Midway" (Gr. 4-9) or "Secondary" (7-12) contains the eight skill area booklets - six copies of each in the set.

$108.85 midway set (48 booklets)
$108.85 secondary set (48 booklets)

STORIES THAT ARE NOT BORING
E. C. Gruber, Ph.D.
Educational Design, Inc.

This reading book of 30 stories, written at a 4th to 7th grade reading level, is specifically designed to capture the interest of more mature students. There are also topics to write and talk about, multiple choice questions, and answers to the questions.

$3.15
SUPPORTIVE READING SKILLS

Barnell Loft

This diagnostic and presumptive reading program develops and refines techniques underlying the 8 major skill areas. Booklets include those on Study (using an index, etc.), Comprehension and Vocabulary (understanding word groups, etc.), Survival (reading ads, etc.), and Phonics (rhyme time, etc.).

$15.80 - $27.20
COMPUTER ASSISTED INSTRUCTION

COMPREHENSION POWER
Millikin Publishing Co.

This skill-building software program for students at reading levels 4 through 12 features high-interest topics (modern issues, career awareness, etc.), improves vocabulary, and develops the ability to read rapidly and comprehensively.

$40.00 individual diskettes

CORE READING AND VOCABULARY DEVELOPMENT
P. Hamilton and B. Hombs
Educational Activities, Inc.

Students begin with 35 basic words and progress to over 200 through various activities (reading timed reading, question/answer, and more) that encourage thinking and vocabulary development. These programs are helpful for older students who are beginning readers.

$329 set - 10 diskettes

HOUGHTON MIFFLIN MICROCURSE READING
Houghton Mifflin

This program, spanning grades 3-8, consists of software for the Apple II computers and the IBM personal computer. It covers over 300 word-attack, vocabulary comprehension, and study skills and provides practice or remediation for these skills, as well as pretests, practice exercises, and posttests. There are fifteen skill groups.

$2400 $99.95 - $249.94 - for individual skill group
LIFESKILL READING I, II, AND III
J. Layton and others
Media Materials, Inc.

Series I microcomputer packages include: "Consumer Talk: Everyday Reading Skills;" "Set Your Course Using Highway Signs;" and more. There are 8 packages in all. Series II (7 packages) includes: "Job Hunting Skills," "On-the-Job Communication," and more. Series III (4 packages) includes: "Understanding Directions on Machines," "Be a Smart Mail Order Buyer," and more.

$39.95 individual title $319.60 (I)
$279.65 (II)
$159.80 (III)

READING AND LANGUAGE SOFTWARE
Milton Bradley

These seven software programs begin with "Commas" (i.e. items in a series) and end with "Reading Comprehension" (summarizing main ideas). Other titles include: "Context Clues" (educated guesses), "Compound and Complex Sentences" (readiness skills), and more. Review games conclude most programs.

$49.95 each program

READING AND THINKING I
Curriculum Software Group

The reading exercises in this program require inferential reasoning. The questions are multiple choices - a wrong response generates an explanation of the reasoning required. Two disks are included.

$74.95 Apple $54.95 IBM
READING COMPREHENSION SERIES I AND II
L. Cole and others
Media Materials, Inc.

Series I consists of 5 microcomputer courseware packages: "Discovering the Main Idea," "Keep to Sequence," "Reading the Facts," etc. Series II packages include: "Recognizing Details," "Forming Inferences," etc. (there are also 5). Each package contains a high-quality diskette with one hour of instruction, a workbook or spirit master, and an instructor's guide.

$39.95 individual title $199.75 series of five

READING COMPREHENSION I AND II
B. L. Winch and Associates/Jalmar Press

These two high-interest, easy-reading programs can help students organize their thinking, recognize the sequence of events by following logical order, infer details, main ideas and draw conclusions. Each package contains 2 diskettes, 20 workbooks, 2 teacher's guides. Number II covers the same information listed above, but is written at a slightly more difficult level.

$159.80 each

READING FOR DETAIL
Curriculum Software Group

In this drill and practice game, students read a test passage, answer questions regarding specific details, and gain points for correct answers. These points advance the student's horse in a horse race.

$49.95 each
Available in software or book form, these activities improve reading speed and comprehension by developing a student's knowledge of syntax, spelling, and punctuation. Klooz is played like a sophisticated game of hangman. Players are presented with a paragraph from which most of the words have been deleted. The goal is to deduce the meaning of the paragraph, using the fewest number of word and letter clues.

$9.95 text  $39.95 software
MULTI-MEDIA

BASIC READING COMPREHENSION
G. Probst and others
Media Materials, Inc.

In this series of eleven cassette learning packages, students begin by learning how to identify the topic sentence. They progress by learning how to determine the main idea, how to reason, and how to read for detail. Student response booklets are also used with the cassettes.

$12.95 each title  $142.50 series of eleven

CAREER CONTENT KITS
REAL PEOPLE AT WORK
EMC Publishing

This reading program works with students from elementary school through adult education. Fifteen individual kits include a total of 150 titles. Each title is a case study of individual occupations. Each kit includes 10 books, 10 read-along cassettes, 10 sets of skill-building exercises, 1 wall chart, 1 teacher resource guide.

$118.00 kit  $2.45 book  $10.00 cassette
$1590 15 kits

COMPETENCY SKILLS: READING ON THE JOB
Career Aids, Inc.

Students learn the importance of reading skills in performing many of the basic on-the-job requirements. This series is designed to teach students how to incorporate the skills they already have into a working situation. Two-color filmstrips, 2 cassettes, a library kit, and a teacher's guide are included.

$79.50
DOUBLE PLAY READING SERIES;
TRIPLE PLAY READING SERIES

Bowmar/Noble Publishers

Each series develops reading comprehension and builds vocabulary and inference skills. Students are directly involved in oral reading to help develop critical reading skills. Accompanying each book is a cassette tape. There are 5 kits for each series, with 15 play books for students, 1 cassette tape, teacher's guide, etc.

$34.95 Double Play each kit
$159.60 complete set

$42.90 Triple Play each kit
$199.95 Complete set

FUNCTIONAL READING SERIES
B. Ainsworth
Media Materials, Inc.

This series of 5 sound filmstrip packages includes subjects built around reading directions on machines, using catalogs, reading labels, and more. Workbooks accompany the filmstrip.

$29.95 $149.75 series of five

GUIDEBOOK TO BETTER READING
Rambau, Rambau
Bowmar/Noble Publishers

This remedial reading system is designed for middle school, junior high, and high school students with reading problems. In the student's text, students learn and apply the principles of phonetic and structural analysis. There is also a teacher's manual, GBR tapes paralleling the text lessons, 12 supplementary readers (for recreational reading and skills reinforcement), a skills book, and duplicating masters (2 sets).

$2.97 manual
$85.95 supplementary reader set
$1.98 skills book
$1.98 teacher's edition
HOW TO READ FOR EVERYDAY LIVING
E. Insel and A. Edson
Educational Activities, Inc.

These two cassette-tape skill-building activities programs develop the necessary ability to read real-life materials. Each lesson introduces a basic vocabulary dealing with a subject with which students must cope - from labels to paychecks.

$69.00 each set (5 cassettes, 10 activity books, manual)

REACH
Bowmar/Noble Publishers

Reach is an action-packed, individualized tape program to help students improve essential reading skills. It stresses word analysis and comprehension, and improves essential reading skills. There are 42 Reach lessons recorded on 21 cassette tapes.

$159.60 tape set
$4.59 Show magazine
$4.59 teacher's program

READING COMPREHENSION, LEVELS A, B, C
R. Wolfe and others
Media Materials, Inc.

This reading comprehension series uses sound filmstrips, student response books, and supplementary workbooks to develop reading skills. Situations are relevant to the students' day-by-day experiences. Topics include: "Finding the Main Idea," "Using Details," "Critical Reading," and more. Each level consists of 5 packages.

$29.95 each title $149.75 series of five

READING FOR DAILY LIVING
M. O'Shea
Media Materials, Inc.

The emphasis is on everyday life--learning about a lease, reading monthly bills, understanding medical labels and warranties for appliances. There are ten cassette packages in all, each with student response booklets.

$12.95 each title $129.50 series of ten
READING INCENTIVE PROGRAM

Bowmar/Noble Publishers

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COMPETENCY SKILLS: WRITING ON THE JOB
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This program examines such typical on-the-job writing assignments as purchase orders, interoffice memos, and sales reports. Exercises are also included, giving students a chance to test their writing abilities. The program consists of 2 color filmstrips, 2 cassettes, a library kit, and a teacher's guide.

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Designed to help potential GED candidates improve their language skills, this self-teaching manual is also effective for adults seeking to learn English and for students facing proficiency or competency exams. Students progress step-by-step from recognition of the eight basic parts of speech to construction of simple, compound, and complex sentences, to organization of individual sentences into unified paragraphs. There are also lessons on capitalization, punctuation, agreement, parallel structure, placement of modifiers, spelling and word study.

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This rhetorically-based reader treats reading and writing as complementary acts - writers read and readers write. Reading is an active, creative, engaging activity. So is writing. Emphasis is placed throughout the book on keeping a journal as a way of responding to the selections and as a resource to writing. The selections are drawn from "old favorites" and "new treasures" relevant to a variety of student backgrounds.

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$5.95  3

BASIC LANGUAGE SKILLS
E. K. Mansfield and others
Arco Publishing Co.

Carefully guided by an experienced English teacher, students progress step-by-step from recognition of the eight basic parts of speech to the construction of simple, compound and complex sentences, to the organization of individual sentences into unified paragraphs. Along the way there are lessons on capitalization, punctuation, agreement, parallel structure, placement of modifiers, spelling and word study. The book opens with a pretest to help identify weaknesses. This is followed by carefully prepared practice exercises to strengthen every language skill. Correct answers after each exercise facilitate self-evaluation and avoid constant page flipping. Two post-tests at the end of the book measure individual progress and include helpful suggestions for further study.

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EIGHTY EXERCISES
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Creating Better Sentences

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M. Bradley
EBSCO Curriculum Materials

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$270.00 verbs, modifiers, and pronouns (5 Apple disks, manual)
$216.00 capitalization (4 Apple disks, manual)
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TRS-801, 1 diskette
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Teacher Resource Materials
BASIC READING SKILLS AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
L. J. Thornton
National Center for Research in Vocational Education

The author examines the subject of reading in vocational education both as a curricular or educational issue, and as an occupational or employment skill issue. The major issue under consideration is whether reading problems in vocational education are different when viewed from a curricular and an occupational perspective.

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BASIC SKILLS INSTRUCTION AND SUPPLEMENTARY MULTI MEDIA MATERIALS FOR DISADVANTAGED VOCATIONAL STUDENTS
J. Wiebe
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S. A. Naddell and others
New York City Board of Education

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Z. Martinez
Eastern New Mexico University - Clovis

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FOR CLASSROOM AND CLINIC, 5th Edition
R. M. Wilson and C. J. Cleland
Charles E. Merrill Publishing Co.

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D. E. Norton
Charles E. Merrill Publishing Co.

This brand-new edition thoroughly covers all the language arts, as well as the techniques needed to help children develop their speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills. The special needs of multi-cultural children and the use of computers in the classroom are also discussed. Information on films, slides, television, and newspapers, and their role as resources for language arts instructors are also mentioned.

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J. L. Wircensky
Aspen Systems Corp.

This curriculum manual is designed to assist middle and secondary school teachers in the delivery of employability skills to special needs students. Included are communication, socialization, job procurement and retention, and more.

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M. Shaughnessy
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$8.95
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S. Sorenson
Arco Publishing Co.

This text provides simple, step-by-step solutions to the standard problems of grammar and usage encountered in school or on the job. Clever hints and gimmicks help students cope with traditional problems in a non-traditional way. This text is based on the author's 17 years of experience teaching high school English.

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GENERIC SKILLS
Employment and Immigration Canada

This study on keys to job performance, accompanied by charts, includes communication skills--reading, writing, listening, conversing, concluding that "the ability to communicate effectively is probably one of the most significant reasons why some workers are selected and promoted to supervisory status."

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A GUIDEBOOK FOR TEACHING WRITING IN CONTENT AREAS
S. H. Howie
Allyn and Bacon, Inc.

This unique, practical guide shows how to identify, teach, evaluate, and improve student writing in all content areas. Each chapter provides a class-tested five-step process through which students practice writing for different subjects, purposes, and audiences.

$26.95

HELPING KIDS WRITE
S. Bayne
Educators Publishing Service

The theory of this teacher's book is that students learn to write by writing regularly and often. How-to-do-it suggestions, specific lesson plans, assignments, and suggested composition topics are included.

$3.75
IDENTIFICATION OF GENERALIZABLE SKILLS IN SECONDARY VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS (Final Report)
Dr. James P. Greenan
University of Illinois, Dept. of Vo-Tech Education

The "Generalizable Skills" project was undertaken to develop strategies and procedures for assessing the mathematics skills of students in secondary vocational programs. The Final Report was designed to acquaint teachers, counselors, administrators, and other school personnel with the generalizable skills requirements which are basic to, necessary for success in, and transferable (common) within and across secondary vocational training programs. The content provides information for subsequent delivery of assessment, instruction, and support services to students including those who may have functional learning problems. The report also provides the methods, results, and recommendations of the study that identified the generalizable skill areas and skills.

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IMPROVING COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN VOCATIONAL COURSES
E. M. Young and L. V. Rodenborn
International Reading Association

This text stresses that techniques for improving the reading and writing skills of vocational students at the secondary level should become a part of the teacher's daily instructional plan.

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LEARNING SKILLS FOR STUDENTS IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
R. H. Huhn, Jr.
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This paper describes the development of a program to teach reading and learning skills intended to decrease academic failure in vocational education programs. A screening test was developed to identify students in need of assistance and a course was designed to teach the specific skills needed for academic success. The paper was presented at the 1976 Annual Meeting of the International Reading Association Plains Regional Conference.

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LOCATING AND CORRECTING READING DIFFICULTIES, 4th Edition
E. E. Ekwall
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This text is intended for students who do not read as well as they should. The authors also attend to the needs of slow learners, bilingual children, and special education students in the mainstream. The teaching of good study skills, content area reading skills, and writing as a step to better reading are also stressed.

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A METHODOLOGY FOR READING SKILL IMPROVEMENT IN VOCATIONAL SECONDARY PROGRAMS
Vocational Technical Education Unit
Oregon State University, Salem

This handbook is intended to help vocational teachers promote the development of student reading skills in cluster programs. Activities, resources, and ideas are suggested that will work in any vocational class. They include automotive crossword puzzles, guided reading plans, and more.

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A METHODOLOGY FOR READING SKILL IMPROVEMENT IN VOCATIONAL SECONDARY PROGRAMS
W. Martin and others
Oregon State University, Vocational-Technical Education Unit, Corvallis

Designed for vocational teachers, this handbook contains six sections of background information and suggested activities geared to various aspects of reading, and a section of ideas for use in improving the reading skills of vocational students. Guidelines for choosing reading passages, teaching vocabulary, and so forth are included.

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OCCUPATIONAL COMMUNICATION COMPETENCIES; A LIST OF AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS FOR HELPING PUPILS ACQUIRE OCCUPATIONALLY USEFUL ORAL COMMUNICATION CAPABILITIES
M. L. Salsbury
Washington Research Coordinating Unit for Vocational Education, Olympia

This bibliography of 83 films, filmstrips, and tapes has been assembled for use by teachers in helping pupils acquire oral communication competence. These materials are grouped in classifications of communications--general, listening, conversation/discussion, supportive, and on-the-job.

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PBTE MATERIALS CATALOG
AAVIM

This catalog describes a set of performance-based teacher education (PBTE) materials that were the product of a sustained research and development effort by the Center (AAVIM). The materials can be helpful in planning, executing, and evaluating vocational education programs in the schools. Development has been aided by the educators (over 2000) who used the materials and provided feedback to the Center.

Modules vary from $14.00 - $78.00

PRACTICAL BASIC FOR TEACHERS
J. Thompson
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This text is a readable, non-mathematical introduction to the BASIC computer language, especially geared to the elementary teacher. Computer language is presented in a step-by-step, easy-to-follow, non-threatening way. Learning is by example at almost every stage.

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PROJECT: DEVELOPMENTAL EDUCATION FOR VOCATIONAL STUDENTS
Z. Martinez
Eastern New Mexico University, Clovis

This project pretested students enrolled in vocational classes in the areas of communication skills, mathematics, and language. Instruction was then provided to those found deficient. The project provided a means by which educationally disadvantaged and handicapped students can be better prepared to successfully complete their vocational training.

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READING FOR WORKING
T. H. Sticht (ed.)
Human Resources Research Organization

This text reviews the HUMRRO research program on literacy in relation to job performance. The results of this program are available for application in education and training activities, and in development of job materials. Chapters include: "Performing Job Reading Tasks," "Reading and Career Education," and others.

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READING SKILLS CURRICULUM GUIDE
J. L. Wircenski
Pennsylvania State University

This guide was developed by a team of vocational teachers and administrators in the firm belief that reading instruction is basic to any instruction, vocational or otherwise, for disadvantaged learners. The guide contains forty-eight reading lessons consisting of a story and follow-up activities, corresponding to the forty-eight lessons in the Employability Skills Curriculum Guide.

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SAMPLE LESSON IDEAS FOR BASIC SKILL INSTRUCTION IN SELECTED VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS
J. A. Dunn and others
Cornell Institute for Occupational Education

This report provides sample lesson ideas for secondary vocational programs in such areas as agriculture, trade, and industrial education. They focus on specific skills in reading, writing, and oral communication appropriate to the program. Information on instructional activities and teaching aids are included.

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This project identifies the skills necessary for disadvantaged youth to make a successful transition from school to work. Resource materials help vocational educators develop school-to-work transition skills development programs. Skills include communication, reading, writing, employment search, and others.

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J. A. Dunn and others
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This handbook is designed to help vocational teachers promote the development of student oral communication skills--speaking and listening. The importance of speaking and listening in general and in vocational education classes in particular are treated.

This handbook was developed to assist vocational education teachers in solving students' speaking and listening problems. Skills and sample activities for assessing students' abilities are given. Titles include "Elements of Good Speech," "Listening to Content," and more.

Students were first pretested in communication skills, fluency in English and life-coping skills, and math, then counselled if deficient. Developmental instruction was provided; if necessary the students' departments were given periodic progress reports. Posttests were also administered.
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California State Department of Education

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TEACHING STUDENTS TO READ BETTER

P. Incardone
American Vocational Association

This text was created specifically for the vocational education teacher's use in teaching reading and comprehension skills. Teachers are shown how to assess their students' abilities to read, comprehend, and use textbooks, how to aid vocabulary development, and how to improve comprehension and study skills. A year-long model reading unit outlines the necessary steps.

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C. D. Mercer and A. R. Mercer
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R. Butz
Minnesota Curriculum Services Center

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Dale Seymour Publications

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WHY YOU SHOULD TEACH READING IN VO AG
C. L. Rexrode
Agricultural Education Magazine

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Appendices
Appendix A

Generalizable Communications Skills
Communications Skills

Words and Meanings
1. Use plural words appropriately in writing and speaking
2. Use appropriate contractions and shortened forms of words by using an apostrophe in writing and speaking
3. Use appropriate abbreviations of words in writing and speaking
4. Use words appropriately which mean the same as other words but are spelled differently
5. Use words correctly which sound the same as other words but that have different meanings and spellings
6. Use words appropriately which are opposite of one another
7. Use appropriate word choices in writing and speaking
8. Add appropriate beginnings and endings to words to change their meaning
9. Punctuate one's own correspondence, directives, or reports

Reading
10. Read, understand, and find information or gather data from books, manuals, directories, or other documents
11. Restate or paraphrase a reading passage to confirm one's own understanding of what was read
12. Read and understand forms
13. Read and understand short notes, memos, and letters
14. Read and understand graphs, charts, and tables to obtain factual information
15. Understand the meanings of words in sentences
16. Use a standard dictionary to obtain the meaning, pronunciation, and spelling of words
17. Use the telephone and look up names, telephone numbers, and other information in a telephone directory to make local and long distance calls

Writing
18. Review and edit other's correspondence, directives, or reports
19. Compose logical and understandable written correspondence, directives, memos, short notes, or reports
20. Write logical and understandable statements, phrases, or sentences to accurately fill out forms

Speaking
21. Speak fluently with individuals or groups
22. Pronounce words correctly
23. Speak effectively using appropriate behaviors such as eye contact, posture, and gestures

Listening
24. Restate or paraphrase a conversation to confirm one's own understanding of what was said
25. Ask appropriate questions to clarify another's written or oral communications
26. Attend to nonverbal cues such as eye contact, posture, and gestures for meanings in other's conversations
27. Take accurate notes which summarize the material presented from spoken conversations
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