

Readiness Skills



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Developed by teachers, **Readiness Skills** provides students in grades PK through one with the basic readiness skills required for them to excel as early learners. The program teaches skills in a sequential way that guarantees success for students. Shapes, colors, letters, numbers and pictures are all used to teach visual association, visual patterning and visual memory. Additionally, a series of audio cues teach and reinforce a variety of auditory memory and discrimination skills. Extensive audio-visual content and a detailed help system ensure that **Readiness Skills** will capture young minds, making the program a useful tool for teaching these important concepts.

Targeted Skills

- Color Recognition
- Letters of the Alphabet
- Counting from 1 - 10
- Visual Memory and Discrimination
- Visual Association
- Auditory Memory and Discrimination
- Visual and Auditory Sequencing
- Picture Vocabulary
- Phonemic Awareness
- Basic Concepts

Teacher Dashboard

The Teacher Dashboard tracks student progress throughout each program and records the percentage score for every activity completed. This feature provides an overview of how well a student is progressing and allows the teacher to identify strengths and weaknesses.

- Records students' results automatically as they work.
- Prints reports quickly and easily for sharing with parents and staff.
- Provides summary reports by subject or detailed reports by activity.
- Allows teachers to print reports for individual students or an entire class.
- Stores student marks in one central location for all programs.

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Program Outline

The program is broken down into 8 main units, which can all be accessed from the main menu. On the following pages, each of these different units are broken down. The main menu units are:

1. Picture Vocabulary
2. Color Recognition
3. Letter Recognition
4. Number Recognition
5. Visual Skills
6. Auditory Skills
7. Basic Concepts
8. Phonemic Awareness

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1 - Picture Vocabulary

1.1 - Animals

1.2 - Food

1.3 - Transportation

1.4 - Clothing

1.5 - Action

1.6 - Human Body

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Picture Match	Click on the picture that matches the word you hear.	Understand the meaning of common words and match them with pictures.
Memory	Match the words with their pictures in this memory game.	
True or False	If the picture you see is the same as the word you hear, click on the checkmark. If the picture you see is different than the word you hear, click on the X.	

2 - Color Recognition

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Color Match	Click on the colors in each row that are the same as the first color.	Understand meaning and spelling of basic color words.
Color Memory	Match the colors in this memory game.	
Color Search	Click on all of the shapes that are the same color as the color that you hear.	
Click the Colors	Click on the color that matches the word that you hear.	
I Spy	Click on the part of each picture that is the same color as the color you hear.	
Color Word Match	Match the words with the colors. You can hear the words by clicking on them.	
Color Word Memory	Match the words with the colors in this memory game.	

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3 - Letter Recognition

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Learn the Alphabet (Upper Case)	Click the letters to hear their alphabet names.	Recognize upper and lower case letters of the alphabet and determine alphabetical order.
Learn the Alphabet (Lower Case)		
Letter Sort - Upper Case	Click on the letters in alphabetical order.	
Letter Sort - Lower Case		
Letter Match Upper Case (2 activities)	Click on the letters in each row that are the same as the first letter.	
Letter Match Lower Case (2 activities)		
Case Match (2 activities)	Match the capital letters with the lower case letters.	
Letter Match & Reversals	Click on the letters in each row that are the same as the first letter.	
See & Match	Click on the word that matches the big word.	
Hear & Match (2 activities)	Click on the letter that you hear.	
Hear & Type (2 activities)	Type the letter that you hear.	
Letter Memory	Match the capital letters with the lower case letters in this memory game.	

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4 - Number Recognition

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Learn the Numbers	Click on the numbers to hear them.	Recognize numbers from 1 to 10. Count objects from 1 to 10. Put numbers 1 to 10 in order.
Number Match	Click on the number that is the same as the big number.	
Match the Numbers	Click on the numbers in each row that are the same as the first number.	
Count & Click (2 activities)	Count the number of objects in the box and click on the matching number.	
Hear & Match (2 activities)	Click on the number that you hear.	
Hear & Type	Type the number that you hear.	
Number Sort	Click on the numbers in order from 1 to 10.	

5.1 - Visual Association

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Picture Categories	Click on all of the pictures of clothing (eg).	Sort visual objects based on several basic characteristics.
Picture Association	Click on the picture that does not belong.	
Letter & Number Association	Click on the number or letter that does not belong.	
Picture Memory	Match the pictures in the memory game.	
Match the Shapes (2 activities)	Click on the shapes that are the same color. Click on the objects that are the same shape.	
Match the Shapes II (2 activities)	Click on the shapes that are the same shape and color. Click on the shapes that are the same shape, color and size.	

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5.2 - Visual Discrimination

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Shape & Color Discrimination (2 activities)	Click on the shape in each row that does not belong.	Recognize differences in pictures, words and letters.
Compare the Pictures	Look at each set of pictures very carefully. If the pictures you see are the same, click on the checkmark. If the pictures you see are different, click on the X.	
Find the Difference	These two pictures are not exactly the same. Click on what is different in the second picture.	
Shape Memory	Match the shapes in this memory game.	
Picture Reversals (2 activities)	Click on the picture that is different from the others in each row.	
Letter Reversals (2 activities)	Click on the letters in each row that are the same as the first letter.	
Word Reversals (2 activities)	Click on the words that are the same in each row.	

5.3 - Visual Patterning

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Letter Patterns (2 activities)	Click on the letter that will come next in the group of letters that you see.	Recognize and complete given patterns of pictures, letters, colors and shapes.
Complete the Pattern (3 activities)	Click on the correct group of letters to fill in the blank and complete the pattern.	
Color Patterns	Click on the color that will come next in the group.	
Shape Patterns	Click on the shape that will come next in the group.	
Sequence the Pictures	Click on the pictures in the correct order.	

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5.4 - Visual Memory

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Flashcards	Click on the word that matches the big word.	Remember and match words, pictures, colors and shapes in various memory exercises.
Word Memory	Match the words in this memory game.	
What's Different?	Look carefully at the picture on the screen and click on what is different in the second picture.	
Flash & Match Cards (2 activities)	Look carefully at the colors on the screen. When the colors disappear, click on the matching group of colors.	
Color Memory	Match the colors in this memory game.	
Flash & Match Shapes	Look carefully at the shapes on the screen. When the shapes disappear, click on the matching group of shapes.	

6.1 - Auditory Discrimination

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Same or Different?	Click on the checkmark if the words you hear are the same. Click on the X if they are different.	Identify rhyming printed words. Identify rhyming words from pictures.
Do they Rhyme?	Click on the checkmark if the words you hear rhyme. Click on the X if they are different.	
Rhyming Word Families	Click on the word in the list that does not rhyme.	
Picture Word Rhyme	Click on the picture that rhymes with the word that you hear.	
Picture Rhyme	Click on the two rhyming pictures.	
Word Builder	Click on the letters to build the word.	
Rhyme Memory	Match the rhyming words in this memory game.	

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6.2 - Auditory Memory & Sequencing

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Hear & Match	Click on the color that matches the word you hear.	Remember and match auditory words, letters and colors in various auditory memory exercises.
Remember	Click on the group of letters that you hear.	
Listen Carefully	Listen carefully and click on the color that you hear.	
Categories	All of the words you hear belong in one of the four groups on the screen. Put each word into the correct group: food, animals, clothing, money.	
Letter Patterns	Listen carefully and click on the letter that comes next in the pattern you hear.	
Remember the Letters (2 activities)	Listen carefully and then click on the answer that is the same as what you hear.	
Remember the Numbers (2 activities)		

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7 - Basic Concepts

small-big, day-night, fast-slow, left-right, on-off, right-left, front-back, beside-between, inside-outside, hot-cold, closed-open, after-before, full-empty, go-stop, short-tall, over-under, near-far

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Hear & Match (2 activities)	Click on the biggest / smallest / tallest / shortest shape.	Understand basic comparative concepts and identify them in pictorial representations.
Order the Shapes (2 activities)	Click on the shapes in order from smallest to biggest or shortest to tallest.	
Memory	Match the pictures in this memory game.	
Picture Match	Click on the picture that matches the word you hear.	
Opposite Memory	Match the pictures that are opposites in this memory game.	
Match the Opposites (2 activities)	Click on the pictures that are opposites.	
Hear & Match the Opposites	Click on the picture that is the opposite of the word that you hear.	
Word Search	Find the hidden words and click on each letter of the words.	

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8 - Phonemic Awareness

ACTIVITY NAME	INSTRUCTION	REQUIRED SKILLS
Learn the Phonemes	Click on the letters to hear the phoneme sounds.	Understand the concept and sounds of phonemes and determine beginning and ending phonemes for printed words and visual representations of words.
Word Builder (2 activities)	Click on the letters to build the word.	
Hear & Match (2 activities)	Click on the letter that makes the sound that you hear.	
Hear & Type (2 activities)	Type the letter that makes the sound that you hear.	
Beginning Sound Match (2 activities)	Click on the word that has the same beginning sound as the sound you hear.	
Picture Match (2 activities)	Click on the letter that makes the beginning sound for the picture you see. Click on the picture to hear the word.	
Pick the Picture (2 activities)	Click on the picture that begins with the letter sound that you hear.	
Ending Sound Match (2 activities)	Click on the word that has same ending sound as the phoneme that you hear.	
Picture Match II (2 activities)	Click on the letter that makes the ending sound for the picture you see.	
Pick the Picture II (2 activities)	Click on the picture that ends with the letter sound that you hear.	
Search & Build	Find the hidden word and click on each letter of the word.	