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## 8 NEW PRODUCTS



# Welcome to Little Red Tool Box! 

This powerful literacy manipulative program is designed with dedicated educators in mind. In order to create an environment for literacy success, educators need a variety of learning tools at their disposal, and Little Red Tool Box provides just that. In the following pages, you'll find a wide range of essential, hands-on literacy tools based on the latest brain and reading research. Whether used individually or combined into a comprehensive program (see page 10), Little Red Tool Box products provide students with the experiences they need to become successful readers. As students manipulate letters, pictures, letter and word tiles, they're building and honing fundamental literacy skills:

## - phonemic awareness

- letter-sound relationships
- word-building skills
- decoding and word-recognition skills


## - sight word knowledge

- reading fluency
- oral language skills
- vocabulary knowledge


## Why Use Little Red Tool Box?

- The materials are based on the latest cognitive and literacy research. In its 2000 report, the National Reading Panel states that "Systematic phonics instruction results in better growth in children's ability to comprehend what they read... the ability to read the words successfully in a text accurately and quickly is highly related to successful reading comprehension." Children also remember words better when they are able to form a concept of the word and recognize letter-sound correspondences (Bear et al, Words Their Way, 2004). Little Red Tool Box puts the research into action by helping children explore words letter by letter, sound by sound, and concept by concept-which leads to increased fluency, comprehension, and, ultimately, reading success.
- Research has shown that repeated, hands-on experiences are a must for building successful readers. The use of manipulatives has long been a staple for teaching mathematics in the classroom, but recent research points to the importance of concrete, tactile experiences for teaching literacy, as well. Beyond merely reading or writing letters and words, students need to manipulate sounds and letters to form a deeper understanding of how language is constructed. Brain research also indicates the need for repeated practice in order to develop automaticity. Since Little Red Tool Box manipulatives provide students with an active way to learn concepts, they'll be eager to work with them over and over again.
- Bright, colorful manipulatives reach students at all levels. Even the most reluctant readers will be drawn into the engaging, kinesthetic activities provided by Little Red Tool Box. Students of all learning styles learn best when they actively participate in building concepts, and the materials address a developmental continuum of skills. In addition, the easy-to-manage manipulatives and activities are ideal for whole group, small group, partner, and independent work.
- Program flexibility gives you choices. Each Little Red Tool Box component has been carefully designed to provide students with meaningful, developmentally appropriate language experiences; but the components are also designed to work together, interlocking to form a powerful literacy program for the classroom. You can pick and choose from individual learning tools, or see page 10 for an exciting way to build an all-inclusive toolkit-and save money, too.




## High=Frequency Word Tiles <br> Grades K-2

This ready-to-go collection of top sight words is an important part of any balanced literacy program. Studies show a significant relationship between high levels of reading fluency and overall reading achievement. Since high-frequency words make up a large percentage of the print children encounter, learning to recognize them with accuracy and speed is an essential part of becoming a fluent reader. By helping develop automaticity, this set gets children on the road to reading success. Complete teaching guide includes research-based lessons, learning center tips, and time-saving reproducibles.

## SET INCLUDES:

220 easy-grip magnetic foam word tiles

- Includes the top high-frequency words from the Dolch reading list
- Great for word walls and word banks
- Builds fluency and vocabulary


## Word Family Tiles



## Grades K-2

Learning common word families is a proven way to boost phonemic awareness, fluency, vocabulary, and spelling skills. Once a child can read the word cat, it's far easier to recognize rat, sat, and mat-plus, working with rhymes makes wordbuilding fun and engaging. By combining initial consonants with common word-endings, children can create hundreds of meaningful words. Use on its own, or as a valuable addition to the Word-Building Tiles set.

## SET INCLUDES:

- 56 easy-grip magnetic foam consonant tiles

42 word family tiles 2 write-on blank tiles
4-page teaching guide


## Grades K-2

This innovative set helps children develop automaticity with letter clusters by associating them with specific spoken sounds. As children learn to recognize common spelling patterns in words, their sight vocabulary increases, along with the decoding skills necessary to read more complex words. A valuable extension for the Word-Building Tiles set.

## SET INCLUDES:

- 40 easy-grip magnetic foam blend
and digraph tiles
- 20 vowel-pair tiles
- 2 write-on blank tiles

4-page teaching guide

## Sentence-Building Tilles; Super Set <br> Grades K-3

This comprehensive set provides endless opportunities for multi-level, hands-on learning that boosts vocabulary, reading, and writing skills. With Sentence-Building tiles, children develop essential understanding of word relationships by constructing and reading complete sentences, manipulating individual words, and analyzing meaningful chunks such as phrases and clauses. Most importantly, Sentence-Building tiles provide a "fear-free" environment for universal success-even the least-experienced readers and writers can create meaning. Teaching guide includes dozens of research-based activities, plus a full set of reproducible takehome tiles to build valuable home-school learning connections.

## SET INCLUDES:

- 212 easy-grip magnetic foam word tiles
- 8 punctuation tiles
- 24-page teaching guide


## YPT-990927•\$56.99

Based on recommendations by the National Reading Panel for Early Literacy Learning Success


## NEWW: <br> Photo Tiles

## Grades PreK-3

This highly innovative, unique teaching tool utilizes children's real-world environment to boost vocabulary and language skills. As children sort, classify, and match realistic photos to the words that represent them, they're developing cognitive skills essential to successful literacy learning. Photo Tiles help children visualize concepts, improve sight vocabulary, develop phonemic awareness, and practice phonics and decoding skills-all through thoroughly engaging hands-on experiences. Research shows that when children learn to categorize concepts, they're better able to categorize words by sounds and phonics patterns-leading to increased fluency and comprehension. Photo Tiles sets are available for three target skills: Initial \& Final Consonants, Short \& Long Vowels, and Word Families. Each includes a complete teaching guide with dozens of dynamic activities. Designed for maximum flexibility, these sets stand on their own or combine to form a comprehensive kit.

## Initial \& Final Consonants

## SET INCLUDES:

- 80 easy-grip magnetic foam photo tiles representing initial and final consonants
- 80 matching word tiles
- 16-page teaching guide


YPT-991423•\$64.99

## Short \& Long Vowels

EACH BOX SET FEATURES

- Real-world photos
- Perfect for English Language Learners

Supports the NCLB and Reading First initiatives

## Learners

# Magnefic Daily Word Building Center <br> <br> Grades K-2 

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## What Word Am I?

(1) I hove three letters.
(2) 1 have a short a.
(3) I con describe the temperature of a summer day.



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## Grades K-2

A magnetized surface combined with the convenience of a write-on/wipe-off white board makes this self-standing easel an incredibly versatile teaching tool. Use it for word and sentence-building, alphabet recognition, and more. Double-sided for ease of use with small or large groups, partners, and independent center workjust stand it up on a tabletop, then fold flat for easy storage.

## SET INCLUDES:

- Self-standing easel with magnetic write-on/wipeoff surface on both sides
- Easy-to-use teaching guide
* Tiles not included

This all-in-one center boosts vocabulary, phonics, and analytical thinking skills in only five minutes a day. Students simply read the clues on each activity card, use the letter tiles to build 180 Dolch and content-area words, and then practice writing the words on the board's write-on/wipe-off surface. Because the center encourages students to think analytically about these words and build them with hands-on activities, the words are more likely to become part of students' sight vocabulary-increasing automaticity and building fluency. Activities are ready-to-go and require minimal set-up, making the center a valuable, time-saving addition to any classroom.

## SET INCLUDES:

- Magnetic write-on/wipe off self-standing flip chart
- 180 flip-and-solve activity cards
- 70 easy-grip magnetic foam letter tiles
- Easy-to-use teaching guide


## FEATURES

## - Activities for 180 Dolch and

 content-area words- Built-in scaffolding for small-group or whole-class instruction


## YPT-990915•\$51.99

Jumbo Fold=Out Magnetic Mats

## Grades PreK-3

These magnetic, write-on/ wipe-off boards triple teaching opportunities with three mats in one. The standard 9-by-12-inch white board folds out to a jumbo 12-by-18 inches, then flips over to become a four-column sorting mat. The two-in-one surface makes it ideal for both letter-tile manipulation and writing. Set of five.

## SET INCLUDES:

- 5 write-on/wipe-off fold-out magnetic mats
- Easy-to-use teaching guide
* Tiles not included


## Magnetic Learning=Cenfer Mafs

Reinforce key reading and spelling skills with these ready-to-go, no-mess learning mats. Each set includes 30 instant activities-children simply place a card on the magnetic mat and they're ready to read, build, and write words. The laminated cards are write-on/wipe-off, so they can be used over and over again, and a full set of letter tiles is included in the convenient, resealable storage pouch.

Available for two target skills: Word Families boosts phonemic awareness with the top 30 phonograms, while Word Ladders encourages analytical thinking as children delete or change letters to form new words. Answer key included for quick and easy assessment-or place it in the center for self-checking. An invaluable resource for independent practice, whether purchased individually or as a set of two.

## Word Families <br> NEWKS <br> Word Ladders

Grades K-2


## SET INCLUDES:

- 2 magnetic write-on/wipe-off mats 30 laminated word-building activities for the top 30 word families
- 70 magnetic easy-grip foam letter tiles
- Easy-to-use teaching guide
* Tiles included

Grades K-3


Boosts problem-solving skills with dozens of must-know words

## SET INCLUDES:

- 2 magnetic write-on/wipe-off mats - 30 laminated word-building activities for dozens of must-know words
- 70 magnetic easy-grip foam letter tiles
- Easy-to-use teaching guide
* Tiles included


Successful readers and writers are born out of environments rich with handson literacy opportunities, and Little Red Tool Box Deluxe Grade-Level Class sets provide exactly the tools you need to create such an environment. The components in each set have been carefully selected to encompass the developmental skills necessary for students at each grade level, giving you a comprehensive program that reaches all learners, all year long. By ordering a complete toolkit, you not only ensure that you'll have all the individual tools needed to implement your program, but you'll also receive a $20 \%$ discount on all program materials. All Deluxe Grade-Level Class Sets support the No Child Left Behind and Reading First initiatives.

## FEATURES

- Tremendous value on sets
- Specially selected materials for each grade level
- Complete kits include every tool needed for a comprehensive literacy manipulative program
$\$ 54.99$
Alphabet Letters \& Pictures Super Set
\$54.99
High-Frequency Word Tiles
\$52.99
Photo Tiles: Initial \& Final Consonants \$64.99
Photo Tiles: Short \& Long Vowels
\$64.99
Photo Tiles: Word Families
\$64.99

Kindergarten Deluxe Class Set includes:
Alphabet Letters \& Pictures Super Set
Word-Building Tiles
Word Family Tiles
Blends, Digraphs, \& Vowel-Pair Tiles
High-Frequency Word Tiles
Photo Tiles: Initial \& Final Consonants
Photo Tiles: Short \& Long Vowels
Photo Tiles: Word Families
Magnetic Daily Word-Building Center
Magnetic Learning Center Mats: Word Families
Magnetic Learning Center Mats: Word Ladders


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| Alphabet Letters \& Pictures Super Set | YPT-983864 |  | \$54.99 |  |
| Word-Building Tiles | YPT-983865 |  | \$54.99 |  |
| High-Frequency Word Tiles | YPT-983869 |  | \$52.99 |  |
| Word Family Tiles | YPT-983866 |  | \$36.99 |  |
| Blends, Digraphs, \& Vowel-Pair Tiles | YPT-983867 |  | \$32.99 |  |
| Sentence-Building Tiles Super Set | YPT-990927 |  | \$56.99 |  |
| Photo Tiles: Initial \& Final Consonants | YPT-991423 |  | \$64.99 |  |
| Photo Tiles: Short \& Long Vowels | YPT-991424 |  | \$64.99 |  |
| Photo Tiles: Word Families | YPT-991425 |  | \$64.99 |  |
| Magnetic Daily Word-Building Center | YPT-990915 |  | \$51.99 |  |
| Magnetic Tabletop Learning Easel | YPT-989357 |  | \$17.99 |  |
| Jumbo Fold-Out Magnetic Mats | YPT-987207 |  | \$31.99 |  |
| Magnetic Learning-Center Mats: Word Families | YPT-990922 |  | \$33.99 |  |
| Magnetic Learning-Center Mats: Word Ladders | YPT-990924 |  | \$33.99 |  |
| Pre-K Deluxe Class Set | YPT-502168 |  | \$286.35 |  |
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| Grade 2 Deluxe Class Set | YPT-502178 |  | \$439.31 |  |
| Grade 3 Deluxe Class Set | YPT-502196 |  | \$397.52 |  |
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## Little Red Tool Box

The Little Red Tool Box is a powerful literacy manipulative program that engages children's minds and hands as they learn essential reading skills.

Help kids gain a solid foundation for reading as they actively engage in motivating skill building activities.

Find out more at www.scholastic.com

