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R1	Beginning literacy / Phonics																																									
R2	Vocabulary																																									
R2.1	Interpret common symbols (e.g., restroom signs, traffic signs; #, ►, ↑)									•																																
R2.3	Interpret common high-frequency words and phrases in everyday contexts (e.g., signs, ads, labels)	•		•		•	•	•																																		
R2.6	Interpret basic abbreviations (e.g., Mr., apt., lb.)	•				•		•																																		
R2.8	Interpret meaning from word formations (e.g., verb endings, plurals, possessives, comparative forms)		•			•																																				
R2.9	Interpret common prefixes and suffixes to determine the meaning of words (e.g., unhappy, work-er)																			•	•																					
R2.10	Interpret less common prefixes and suffixes to determine the meaning of words (e.g., <u>im</u> possible, <u>anti</u> -war, <u>employee</u>)							•											•	•																						
R2.12	Interpret specialized vocabulary in context (e.g., consumer, work, field of interest)		•					•	•		•	•								•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•				

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R3	General reading comprehension	1	1.2.1(4),2,3,2,5,3,6,2,1(4),Ad/S	4,3,3,(3),Safety procdrs.	4,3,1(4),3,4,2 Safety sign	5,3,6(1),5,3,1,2,3,2 Resident card	2,3,2(2), Calendar	6	1,7,3(4), Prod. label	1,7,3(4), Prod. label	2,2,5(2),1,1,3,1,9,4,2,2,1 Map	9	1,7,3(4), Prod. label	10	1,7,3(4),3,4,1 Prod. label	11	3,4,2(3),1,4,8 Safety instr.	12	3,4,2(3),1,4,8 Safety instr.	13	4,4,3(2),4,5,3,4,8,3,2,1,8 Phone chart	14	4,4,3(2),4,5,3,4,8,3,2,1,8 Pht	15	2,1,7(1),4,6,2,4,4,3 Phone msg	16	2,1,7(1),4,6,2,4,4,3 Phone msg	17	1,6,2(3),1,6,3 Consmsr infor	18	1,6,2(3),1,6,3 Consmsr infor	19	1,6,2(3),1,6,3 Consmsr infor	20	1,1,1(3),1,7,3 Recipe	21	4,1,2(3), Resume 4,1,8	22	4,1,2(3), 4,1,8 Resume	23	4,1,2(3), 4,1,8 4,4,2 Resume	24	4,4,3(3), 4,7,2, 4,6,3 Wrkplc procdrs.	25	4,4,3(3), 4,7,2, 4,6,3 Wrkplc p	26	4,4,4(3), 4,4,2 Perf. eval.	27	4,4,4(3), 4,4,2 Perf. eval.	28	4,4,4(3), Perf. eval.	29	5,3,3(1), 5,3,1 Summons	30	4,3,2(3),1,2,1, 7,2,4 Wrkplc sfty ad	31	4,3,2(3), 1,2,1 Wrkplc safety a	32	2,5,5(3), 4,2,1 Class flyer	33	5,6,1(3), 2,7,3 Mayor article	34	5,6,1(3), 3, Mayor article 2,7,3	35	4,5,6(3), 4,4,3, 4,4,8 Equip. in.	36	4,5,6(3), 4,4,3, 4,4,8 Equip. in.	37	4,5,6(3), 7,2,2, Officecp. 2,1,8	38	4,5,6(3), 7,2,2, 2,1,8 Office E
R3.4	Read and understand moderately complex texts (e.g., general informational materials, common workplace materials)		•					•	•																																																														
R3.5	Read and understand complex texts (e.g., newspaper and magazine articles, technical materials, literature)																																																																						
R3.6	Interpret simple written instructions																																																																						
R3.7	Interpret detailed instructions (e.g., workplace procedures, operating instructions, consumer materials)		•					•	•																																																														
R3.9	Interpret complex sentence structure and grammar (e.g., relative clauses, perfect tenses)																																																																						
R3.11	Make connections between related information across different sections of a text																																																																						
R3.12	Use supporting illustrations to interpret text				•													•	•																																																				
R3.15	Interpret idioms and collocations from context																																																																						
R3.17	Interpret the connotative meaning of a word (e.g., inexpensive vs. cheap)																																																																						

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R4	Text in format																																											
R4.2	Read clock times	•																																										
R4.3	Read dates			•	•																																							
R4.9	Interpret maps, diagrams, and graphs							•																																				
R4.10	Interpret written materials using formatting clues (e.g., headings, captions, bullets, print features such as bold)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
R5	Reference materials																																											
R5.1	Find a word or number in an alphabetical, numeric, or other ordered listing (e.g., telephone directory, list of part numbers)																																											
R5.3	Locate information organized in groups or categories (e.g., in a department directory, catalog, on a web page)																																											
R6	Reading strategies																																											
R6.3	Scan complex or extended text (e.g., web pages, documents, narratives) to find specific information						•	•	•	•																																		
R6.5	Skim complex text for general meaning or to determine subject matter or organization		•																																									

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R7	Reading and thinking skills																																						
R7.2	Identify the main idea of a multi-paragraph text																																						
R7.6	Paraphrase information			•																																			
R7.8	Make inferences and draw conclusions from simple text																																						
R7.9	Make inferences and draw conclusions from complex text																																					•	
R7.11	Identify the writer, audience, and purpose of a text																																						