

The Lexile Framework® for Reading Implementation Resource Manual



STATE EDUCATION AGENCY Overview of Web Content for Lexiles

Many state education agencies decide to create a specific place on the agency's website to inform teachers, parents, media specialists/librarians and others about The Lexile Framework for Reading. This URL is often included on the state's customized Lexile map as a way to educate teachers and others about new resources.

Two outstanding examples of Lexile sections on state education agency websites are:

- Georgia (public.doe.k12.ga.us/lexile.aspx)
- Oregon (www.ode.state.or.us/teachlearn/subjects/elarts/reading/literacy/lexiles)

We suggest that you review these two websites for excellent ideas for designing one of your own. MetaMetrics can assist by providing logos and other related images.

The following menus outline useful options for links to Lexile resources for educators and parents that can be added to state education agency Lexile websites. Your agency may use any of the text from these sites, especially the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs).

OPTIONS FOR WEB RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS

- Customized state Lexile map or link to the Lexile map (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=2&tabid=16&tabpageid=406)
- Lexile Codes (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=fa&tabindex=1&tabid=21&tabpageid=309)
- Fact Sheets (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=1&tabid=49)
- White Papers (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=0&tabid=1&tabpageid=436)
- Case Studies (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=0&tabid=1&tabpageid=435)
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=6&tabid=18)
- Professional Development (www.lexile.com/profdev)
- Conferences and Presentations (www.lexile.com/events)



OPTIONS FOR WEB UTILITIES FOR EDUCATORS

- **Lexile Book Database:** A collection of English and Spanish fiction and non-fiction trade-book titles, each with a Lexile measure. Once an educator or parent has a student's Lexile measure, the free Lexile Book Database can be searched to find books that are similar to the student's reading level. Searches can be specifically tailored to each student's reading need to ensure a successful reading experience.
(www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=2&tabid=16&tabpageid=55)
- **Lexile Analyzer:** A tool to analyze text to produce a Lexile measure. Registration is required.
(www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=2&tabid=16&tabpageid=335)
- **Lexile Calculator:** A tool used to forecast the reader's expected comprehension of a specific text or text collection.
(www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=2&tabid=16&tabpageid=56)
- **Lexile Multiple Measures Calculator:** A tool to help resolve two different Lexile measures for a single reader.
(www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=ed&tabindex=2&tabid=16&tabpageid=467)

OPTIONS FOR WEB RESOURCES FOR PARENTS/FAMILIES

- **Lexile Map** (www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=fa&tabindex=2&tabid=20&tabpageid=407)
- **Fact Sheets and White Papers**
(www.lexile.com/DesktopDefault.aspx?view=fa&tabindex=1&tabid=21)
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