

# Supporting Your Student's Success in English Language Arts



How do I help my student select appropriately challenging books?

[Hub.lexile.com](https://www.lexia.com) recommends books based on grade level, Lexile measure, and student interest to help your child find a “good fit” book.

Student Lexile measures can be seen on SLDS in the Parent Portal app or website.

In general, students who read on grade level select books in the following Lexile bands:

**6th graders:** 925L to 1070L;

**7th graders:** 970L to 1120L;

**8th graders:** 1010L to 1185L.

How do I help my student improve comprehension?

Although it takes time, the best way to ensure your student is comprehending what they read is to **read along with them** and **ask questions!** Pause regularly to ask direct questions that require students to look back in the text for the answer. If you have time, **collaboratively write a summary** of the reading to reinforce key ideas.

Need more information? Email your student's ELA teacher by clicking their name.

**6th Grade:**

[Darby Bozeman](#)  
[Summer Busbee](#)  
[Cait Dalton](#)  
[Bridget McNeill](#)  
[Megan Scott](#)

**7th Grade:**

[Roxi Carroll](#)  
[Logan Morris](#)  
[Lisa Olaker](#)  
[Shane Peterson](#)  
[Josh Sullivan](#)

**8th Grade:**

[Ashley Drake](#)  
[Whitney Frink](#)  
[Nicole Hooper](#)  
[A.J. Jackson](#)  
[Heather Skelton](#)

