

Materials

The Foundations® Teacher's Kit K includes comprehensive materials to facilitate teachers' use of the program. Level K materials support an integrated, multisensory approach to instruction, utilizing visual, auditory, tactile, and kinesthetic modalities.



- 1 **Teacher's Manual K:** Provides background understanding and research support for the why and how of instruction, scope & sequence of skills taught, and daily learning plans with activities to practice new skills and weave in review of taught concepts
- 2 **Echo & Baby Echo Puppets:** Serve as effective helpers for promoting student responses
- 3 **Activity Cue Cards K:** Offer a quick reference for Learning Activities
- 4 **Home Support Pack K:** Informs parents/caregivers about Foundations and how they can support progress, and includes student activities
- 5 **Alphabet Wall Strip,** 6 **Keyword Puzzles,** 7 **Large Sound Cards K,** 8 **Standard Sound Cards K,** 9 **Magnetic Strips,** 10 **Trick Word Flashcards K,** 11 **Classroom Poster Set K,** and 12 **Vowel Extension Poster:** These materials support students' letter recognition, phonological awareness, and phonics skills via visual prompts, oral language, and systematic modeling and practice.
- 13 **Large Letter Formation Grid,** 14 **Sentence and Syllable Frames,** and 15 **Manuscript Letter Formation Guides:** These materials are used extensively for handwriting, spelling, and punctuation instruction, making it possible for students to see, hear, say, and touch while learning. Likewise, student materials provide for both reading and writing activities and multisensory, visible learning.

- 16 **Letter Board** and 17 **Magnetic Letter Tiles:** These allow students to kinesthetically manipulate/practice sounds, and build words.
- 18 **Dry Erase Writing Tablet:** A kinesthetic component for letter formation practice
- 19 **Student Notebook K:** A reference for letter formation, keyword pictures, and sounds; lends itself to kinesthetic tracing strategies
- 20 **My Foundations Journal:** A supplemental material for writing letters and words as well as coloring
- 21 **Desk Strip:** A useful reference material for independent decoding and spelling activities
- 22 **Foundations Writing & Drawing Pad:** A sample pad for students to journal or practice their emergent writing; includes the Wilson grid lines with paper template also available on the online Foundations Learning Community.

Supplemental materials (not included in kit):

- 23 **Geodes® Level K Classroom Library:** A collection of 48 unique books from Great Minds® and Wilson Language Training®

Note: The visual design of Foundations products is minimally distracting to allow students to focus on concepts being learned. Teachers and students can rely on consistent and clear visual cues.