

Key Education Publishing
Standards Correlation for The Best Sight Word Book Ever!
Learn 170 High-Frequency Words and Increase Fluency and Comprehension Skills

This book supports the NCTE/IRA Standards for the English Language Arts and the recommended teaching practices outlined in the NAEYC/IRA position statement Learning to Read and Write: Developmentally Appropriate Practices for Young Children.

NCTE/IRA Standards for the English Language Arts

Each activity in this book supports one or more of the following standards:

- 1. Students read many different types of print and nonprint texts for a variety of purposes.** Students read a wide variety of sight words and sentences while doing the activities in this book.
- 2. Students use a variety of strategies to build meaning while reading.** The activities in this book promote sight word recognition, an essential skill in learning to read.
- 3. Students communicate in spoken, written, and visual form, for a variety of purposes and a variety of audiences.** In this book, students write sight words, do chants and songs, and create art projects to support their learning of sight words and to show what they have learned.
- 4. Students become participating members of a variety of literacy communities.** *The Best Sight Word Book Ever!* contains many group activities, helping teachers build literacy communities in their classrooms.

**NAEYC/IRA Position Statement Learning to Read and Write:
Developmentally Appropriate Practices for Young Children**

Each activity in this book supports one or more of the following recommended teaching practices for kindergarten and primary students:

- 1. Teachers read to children daily and provide opportunities for students to read independently both fiction and nonfiction texts.** *In The Best Sight Word Book Ever!* students read words and sentences in order to learn sight words.
- 2. Teachers provide balanced literacy instruction that incorporates systematic phonics instruction along with meaningful reading and writing activities.** *The Best Sight Word Book Ever!* supports the learning of sight words by incorporating them into a variety of reading activities.
- 3. Teachers provide opportunities for students to write many different kinds of texts for different purposes.** Students learn to write a variety of sight words through the activities in this book.
- 4. Teachers provide opportunities for children to work in small groups.** *The Best Sight Word Book Ever!* includes small group activities that help students learn sight words.
- 5. Teachers provide challenging instruction that expands children's knowledge of their world and expands their vocabularies.** *The Best Sight Word Book Ever!* helps expand children's vocabularies by introducing 170 sight words.
- 6. Teachers adapt teaching strategies based on the individual needs of a child.** *The Best Sight Word Book Ever!* incorporates auditory, visual, tactile, and kinesthetic activities so that teachers can support different student learning styles.