

Key Education Publishing
Ready-to-Go Reading Manipulatives: 112 Cut-Up Words & Photos for Reading Common Nouns

This product 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

This product supports the following standards:

- 1. Students read many different types of print and nonprint texts for a variety of purposes.** Students read the pictures and the words in this set in order to match them.
- 2. Students use a variety of strategies to build meaning while reading.** This set builds word recognition skills essential to effective reading.
- 3. Students communicate in spoken, written, and visual form, for a variety of purposes and a variety of audiences.** When doing the activities in this set, students speak, write, and draw.
- 4. Students whose first language is not English use their first language to learn English and to understand content in all curriculum areas.** The pictures in this set enable English language learners to associate words in their first language with the words they are learning in English.
- 5. Students become participating members of a variety of literacy communities.** The group activities in this set help teachers build literacy communities.

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

This product supports the following recommended teaching practices for preschool students:

- 1. Adults create positive relationships with children by talking with them, modeling reading and writing, and building children's interest in reading and writing.** When introducing the pictures and words in this set, teachers model reading for their students.
- 2. Teachers provide experiences and materials that help children expand their vocabularies.** Students build their vocabularies using this set by learning the words included in the set and using descriptive language when describing the objects in it.

This product supports the following recommended teaching practices for kindergarten and primary grades students:

- 1. Teachers provide balanced literacy instruction that incorporates systematic phonics instruction along with meaningful reading and writing activities.** When used as story starters, the photographs in this set serve as the basis for meaningful writing activities.
- 2. Teachers provide opportunities for students to write many different kinds of texts for different purposes.** When the images in this set are used as picture prompts, students write in order to describe the pictures.
- 3. Teachers provide opportunities for children to work in small groups.** Several of the activities in *112 Cut-Up Words & Photos for Reading Common Nouns* are designed for small groups.
- 4. Teachers provide challenging instruction that expands children's knowledge of their world and expands their vocabularies.** Students build their vocabularies using this set by learning the words included in the set and using descriptive language when describing the objects