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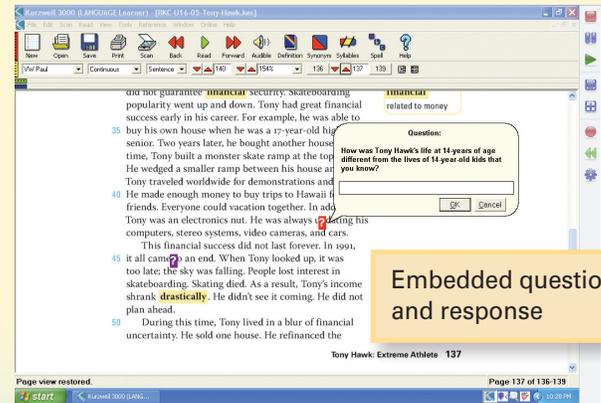# LANGUAGE!™

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L E A R N I N G®
T E C H N O L O G I E S

The Comprehensive Literacy Curriculum

ACCESS TO LITERATURE

Bringing Together the Premier Learning Technology and the Best Reading Intervention Curriculum

Every word links to an electronic dictionary.

Embedded question and response

Introducing *LANGUAGE! Access to Literature* ...

Sopris West® Educational Services and Kurzweil Educational Systems have joined forces to bring teachers and students *LANGUAGE!™ Access to Literature*. Incorporating the Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation™ software, *Access to Literature* motivates students and accelerates literacy learning for those performing at basic, below basic, and far below basic levels. Kurzweil 3000 software reads the *LANGUAGE!* text selections aloud, connects directly to an electronic dictionary, and records oral readings.

LANGUAGE! Access to Literature:

- **Motivates Students**. Empower students with cutting-edge, interactive technology.
- **Differentiates Instruction**. Automatically individualize lessons to meet each student's needs.
- **Creates Independent Readers**. Develop self-determined readers who read for pleasure and knowledge.
- **Provides Cross-Content Area Support**. Give struggling readers access to grade-level and content-area materials.
- **Improves Fluency, Vocabulary, and Comprehension:**
    - ◄ **Fluency**. Visual and oral fluency models improve speed, accuracy, and prosody.
    - ◄ **Vocabulary**. Students access sophisticated grade-level and content-area vocabulary.
    - ◄ **Comprehension**. Students read to learn from a metacognitive perspective and take control of their reading.

LANGUAGE! Access to Literature comprises two components (sold separately):

LANGUAGE! Text Selections eVersion
- 197 LANGUAGE! text selections encompassing all curriculum levels; these selections expose students to meaningful content-area concepts and vocabulary that they have likely missed as a result of being struggling readers

LANGUAGE! Nonfiction eVersion
- 20 nonfiction selections exploring the content areas of science and social studies (15 titles are also available in print form as part of the *Nonfiction Bookbag*)
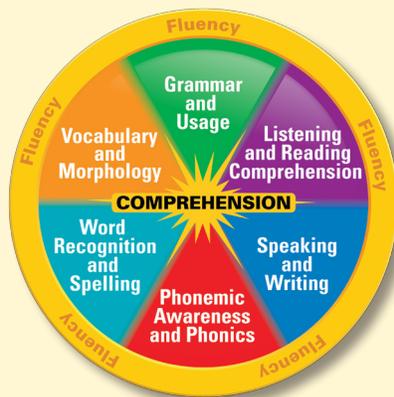
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HIGH TECH FOR HIGH ACHIEVEMENT

LANGUAGE! Access to Literature employs the powerful **Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation™** to enhance explicit instruction in the six steps **From Sound to Text** while accelerating literacy gains in all content areas.

LANGUAGE! The Comprehensive Literacy Curriculum

With multiple entry points, *LANGUAGE!*™ places students according to skill level. The *LANGUAGE!* instructional model weaves all the necessary strands of literacy into the six steps of a daily lesson, accelerating the learning process.

From Sound

STEP		
1	Phonemic Awareness and Phonics	
2	Word Recognition and Spelling	
3	Vocabulary and Morphology	
4	Grammar and Usage	
5	Listening and Reading Comprehension	
6	Speaking and Writing	

To Text
in every lesson

Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation

The Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation comprehensive educational software can access virtually any information—whether electronic or on the Internet—and read the words aloud in a natural-sounding voice. This revolutionary software enables teachers to differentiate instruction to suit individual student needs and learning styles through the use of:

- **A Multisensory, Instructive Format.** Provides both visual and auditory exposure at the syllable, word, phrase, and sentence levels.

- **Comprehensive Study Skills Tools.** Color highlighters allow students to mark important information such as main ideas and supporting details. Other study skills tools enable students and teachers to extract text into outline format, make annotations, create study guides, and more.

- **Electronic Reference Tools.** A syllable tool enables students to identify word elements. Additional tools include enhanced audible and visual access to electronic dictionaries including bilingual dictionaries, thesaurus, online encyclopedias, optional picture dictionaries, and more.

- **Flexible Writing Tools.** Students are able to hear what they have written, which enables them to proofread for content and spelling. Note-taking tools allow students to employ strategies for studying, brainstorming, and writing.

Other Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation features include:

- **Patented Dual Highlighting.** Each word is highlighted as it is read aloud.

- **Instructional Support Tool.** Teacher-inserted notes and questions help guide students.

- **Unique Test-Taking Tool.** With the optional Kurzweil 3000 Professional, tests can be scanned so that students can complete them independently.

- **Optional Flexible Network Features.** Access Kurzweil 3000 LearnStation from any network computer.