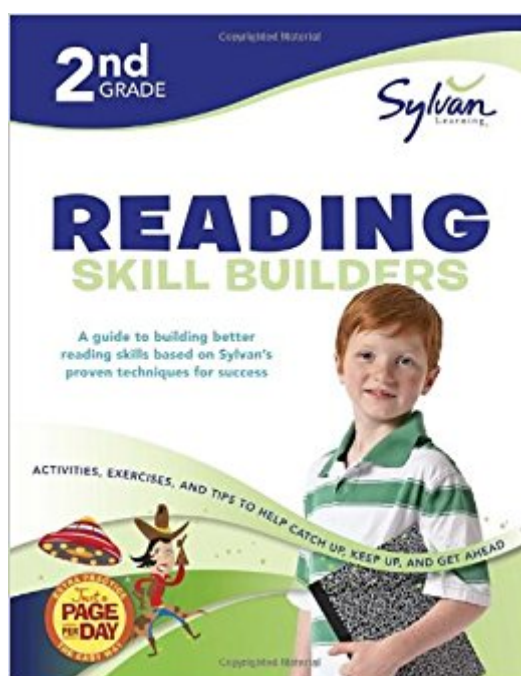


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# 2nd Grade Reading Skill Builders: Activities, Exercises, And Tips To Help You Catch Up, Keep Up, And Get Ahead (Sylvan Language Arts Workbooks)



## Synopsis

Receive a bonus \$10 discount coupon off your child's Skills Assessment at a Sylvan Learning Center with the purchase of every Sylvan Workbook! Sylvan's Second Grade Reading Skill Builders will help your child practice and strengthen the ability to recognize and understand a variety of words and text. Each lively and engaging activity focuses on a skill needed to become a superstar reader. From phonics to sentences to types of stories to the parts of a book, Second Grade Reading Skill Builders provides the exercises needed to build a strong foundation in the language arts. Why Sylvan Products Work Sylvan Learning Workbooks? It won a 2009 Honors Award from the National Parenting Publications Awards (NAPPA) as a top book series for children in the elementary-aged category. The NAPPA is the nation's most comprehensive awards program for children's products and parenting resources, and has been critically reviewing products since 1990. The Award recognizes Sylvan Learning Workbooks as some of the most innovative and useful products geared to parents. Sylvan's proven system inspires kids to learn and has helped children nationwide catch up, keep up, and get ahead in school. Sylvan has been a trusted partner for parents for thirty years, and has based their supplemental education success on programs developed through a focus on the highest educational standards and detailed research. Sylvan's line of educational products equips families with fun, effective, and grade-appropriate learning tools. Our workbooks and learning kits feature activities, stories, and games to reinforce the skills children need to develop and achieve their academic potential. Students will reap the rewards of improved confidence and a newfound love of learning.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 6 - 9 years

Grade Level: 1 - 4

## Customer Reviews

"If you are looking for some good, fun, learning books for your child, I definitely recommend the Sylvan Learning series." -[thedad.com](#)"Samantha loves these books because to her, they are not school work. They are fun activities. But really she is learning, and doing the same work she does at school." [-Mommymandy.com](#) "Since I was beginning homeschooling and looking for a good 'workbook' type system for my child to learn from aside from our other homeschool activities, I decided to try it out. My son loves the workbooks." [-thedomesticdiva.com](#) "The activities are FUN and our son doesn't realize that while he's having fun he's also learning and reinforcing what he's learned." -[Shescribes.com](#)"My daughter has picked up some great study habits and she loves that we don't spend hours on one subject. I recommend these workbooks to everyone homeschooler or not, as they can really add to your child's learning experience."

-[TheDirtyshirt.com](#)"I love how each activity in a section connects to each other, which allows the child to really grasp the concepts. The pages are full of interesting stories and fun activities. The workbooks also make it easy for kids to check their own work which will help them gain confidence in their skills." -[Melissaclee.com](#)"As an early childhood teacher, I know that good reading, vocabulary, and spelling skills make an essential foundation for both academic success as well as lifelong learning. [Sylvan Learning Workbooks & Learning Kits](#) are an awesome resource that I'd have no problem recommending to the parents of any of my students who are struggling. [The teacher-reviewed, curriculum-based activities and exercises in these books are great for helping a child achieve success with reading, provided that they're worked through with a loving and patient adult.](#)" - [TheOpinionatedParent.com](#)

This workbook teaches that understanding word construction and usage - as distinct from spelling proficiency or fluency - is the foundation of literacy. This 118-page book is broken into three major sections: Letter sounds, followed by word play words and, finally, narrative form exercises - the reading part of this skills-building workbook. It's a progressive approach that builds words up from merely being sounds to sentences. All the basics are covered in the first third of the book: Beginning

and ending consonant blends; the hard and soft c and g; the silent consonant combos of kn, wr, and mb; the bossy r sounds; the multiple personalities of the long vowel sounds. The second third builds on existing words through the wordplay fun of silent e, compound and rhyming words, crazy contractions, prefixes and suffixes. The final third puts it all together in paragraph form using main ideas, time order words, supporting details, fact versus fiction and book basics. It's a brilliantly organized journey through the language landscape. Your young learner will enjoy the trip.

This a great tool to help prepare prepare my son for the second grade

My daughter loves working in this workbook. She actually will pick it up herself and start doing work out of it.

This book is very good as a study guide and has a lot of material to help strengthen a slow reader. I would recommend it. my biggest con is I did not order in the summer to help better prepare my second grader. It really helps and holds the interest of the child as well. I have found it to be very helpful. would order it again.

Got this for summer prep for my daughter who was entering second grade. I'm so glad I did, she did the whole book over summer (1-2 lessons a day) and was very prepared come second grade!

My son is 6 years old and advanced. This keeps his mind busy and sharp during the summer. He loves working in this book. Awesome workbook.

This book is wonderful. I bought it for a 1st grader so they could be a little advanced. I plan on getting the other subjects for 2nd grade. Each new topic has an explanation about the what is being discussed. For example when starting on nouns, it explains that a noun is a person, place, or thing. Great book for teaching at home.

Definitely a must for parents trying to get ahead or keep up.

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