

# Better Teachers, Better Readers: 10 Reasons to Combine LETRS and Core5

When teachers and students travel the road to literacy together, student outcomes improve. Studies show that students using Lexia® Core5® Reading with a Lexia® LETRS®-trained teacher achieve higher reading proficiency than with Core5 alone.

Here are 10 reasons why LETRS is an essential investment for fostering teacher effectiveness and student achievement:



- 1 Preparation:** LETRS equips teachers with essential reading skills often missing from higher-education courses.
- 2 Alignment:** LETRS prepares teachers to use Core5 more effectively with code-based, explicit instruction.
- 3 Support:** LETRS offers coaching and peer support, building teacher confidence and effectiveness.
- 4 Effectiveness:** LETRS deepens content knowledge and practical skills, enhancing the impact of Core5.
- 5 Language:** LETRS covers fundamentals of language structure and development that reading and writing skills depend upon.
- 6 Phonemes & Phonics:** LETRS clarifies phoneme awareness and phonics with depth and practical guidance, enhancing teacher-led lessons from Core5.
- 7 Gaps:** LETRS addresses gaps in educators' understanding that might not be evident at the start.
- 8 Time:** LETRS offers a two-year course of study that thoroughly covers the science of teaching reading, ensuring mastery of literacy instruction.
- 9 Results:** LETRS training leads to higher student achievement and fewer reading difficulties.
- 10 Satisfaction:** LETRS increases teacher confidence, reduces burnout, and fosters professional growth.



**LETRS professional learning gives teachers the skills needed to master the fundamentals of reading and writing instruction, improving student outcomes and student lives.**