



For students in grades 3 and higher



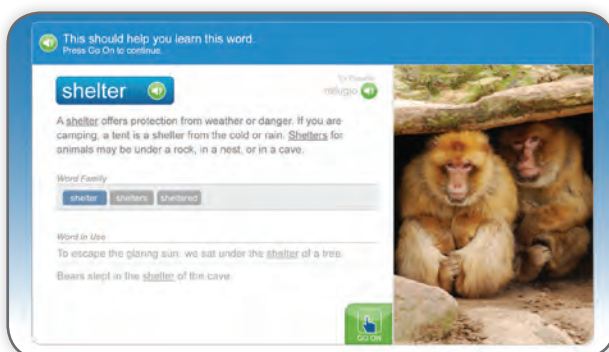
Instant Recognition

The first activity determines if a student can instantly recognize and assign meaning to a word. The target word flashes briefly. The student must choose the word or phrase that most closely matches the target word's meaning. This is a skill essential for fluent reading with comprehension.



Word in Context

The second activity assesses a student's knowledge of words in context. The student must determine which two sentences correctly use the target word. If the student is unsure of the word's meaning, contextually rich hint sentences are available. Working with words in context helps students develop the contextual analysis skills needed to unlock the meaning of unfamiliar vocabulary.



Teaching Page

The teaching page develops vocabulary knowledge with explanations of word meaning and contextually rich sentences. The program introduces students to the target word's "word family," which serves as a knowledge multiplier. One word learned becomes several words known. English and Spanish audio, and images for vocabulary with concrete meanings support the mastery of words that may be more challenging to learn using only context clues.



Sentence Completion

The program asks students to demonstrate knowledge of word meaning by completing a sentence using the correct derivative of the target word. The word family is displayed to assist students who struggle with the exercise. Students repeatedly encounter words that have not been mastered.