

# Corrective Reading Period 1

## Mrs. Pluchino



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Corrective Reading is a complete core program that uses a Direct Instruction method to help students master the essential decoding and comprehension skills they need not only to read well, but to learn well.

Direct Instruction utilizes a carefully developed and tested program design structured so that students learn how to learn as they master increasingly complex skills and strategies. It also incorporates a scripted presentation approach that uses a brisk pace, carefully chosen exercises, and examples to engage even reluctant learners.

## Grading

Points are awarded for performance on each part of the lesson. The following are the activities for which points are awarded:

**Word-Attack Skills, Workbook Exercises, Individual Reading Checkouts, Group Reading, Information Reading, and Mastery Tests. Homework will also be given and counted as part of the grade.**

- 1) **Homework = 10%**
- 2) **Word-Attack Skills = 10%**
- 3) **Workbook Exercises = 40%**
- 4) **Group and Information reading = 20%**
- 5) **Mastery Tests = 20%**

## Last, But Certainly Not Least

Parents and Guardians, your support is vital to your child's success. Please monitor your child's reading. Provide a quiet place for your child to read. Ask your child to read to you. The more your child reads the better reader your child will become. Remember, reading affects all learning.

I am very excited to be working with your child this year. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by phone or email.

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