Fall 2017 Training: e-Resources

Authentication
TrueFLIX
BookFLIX

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Learning Goals

At the end of this session you will be able to

- Update links for proper e-resource authentication

- Troubleshoot common issues after updating links

- Navigate the TrueFLIX interface
    - Browse titles by Title, Subject, Category, Lexile, and ATOS Readability
    - Locate the following for each selection:
        - Pre-made lesson plans
        - Web resources
        - Downloadable materials for libraries and classrooms

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    - Browse titles by Title, Author, Illustrator, Lexile, etc.
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e-Resource Authentication

Authentication Migration Timeline

MILESTONE	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV
New e-resource links available for early adopters (soft launch)	6/23					
Offical release of new e-resource links		7/5				
Statistics for new e-resource links available				9/30		
Old e-resource links on .net remain in service	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
.net e-resource site links are no longer in service					10/31	
Only new e-resource links are functioning						11/1

e-Resource Authentication

Obtain your new e-resources links from the link generator:
http://www.powerlibrary.org/librarians/e-resources/e-resources-links/
Old links will no longer work beginning November 1, 2017
TrueFLIX is only available using the new authentication links
Desktop icons should be updated on all computers
● If unable to do so by self, see IT department or whomever is in charge of updating
Use Support form if help is needed
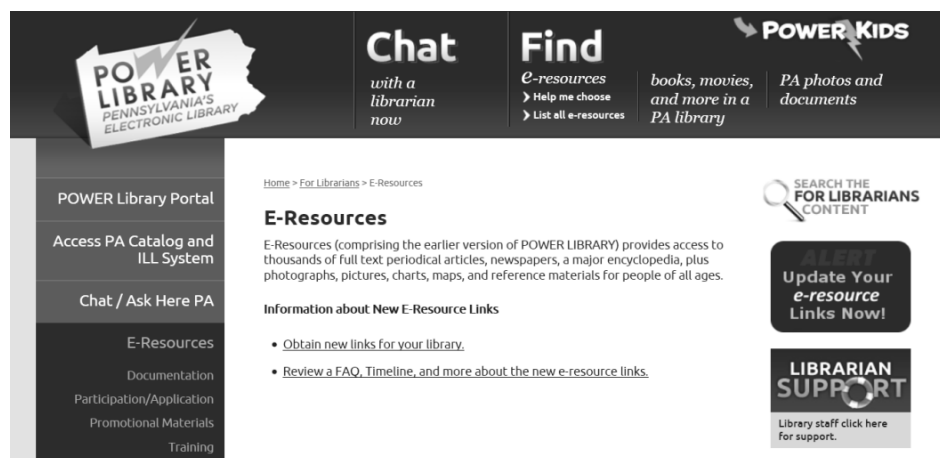
Why should my library switch to the new URL as soon as possible?
Access to Scholastic's TrueFLIX, the new e-resource provided by the Office of Commonwealth Libraries, will only be available to libraries that update to the new URL. Additionally, popular EBSCO e-resources Web News and Newswires are now available directly from the list of e-resources for those that switch to the new URL. Finally, remote access statistics (for public libraries) for some e-resources will only be available by using the new URL.

For Librarians Page: Obtain new links

New Links

Test links from this page first before changing on site.

Any Powerlibrary.net links need to be changed ASAP as they will no longer work after 10/31/17.
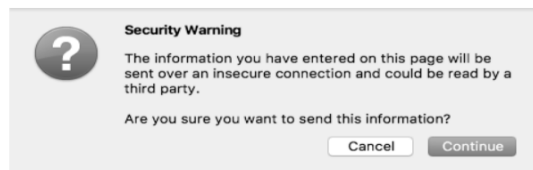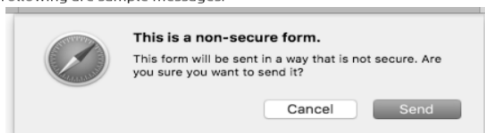
Having Trouble?

1. **Don't panic! - the deadline is now October 31st and we can help you!**
2. Know who your IT people are (gather contact info in case it's needed).
3. Test the e-resources links **before** changing your website.
4. Test the e-resources links from computers on-site that should have access (library computers, teacher computers, computer labs, etc.).
5. Know your IP address. If you're unsure you can visit www.whatsmyip.com
6. Please fill out the support form which will allow us to assist you in the best way possible.

Known Issues: BookFLIX and TrueFLIX Security Warning

1. Security Warning Message
   In some browsers, users may be presented with a Security Warning message. The warning itself and the directions for the user may vary. We are working with the vendors to resolve the Security Warning message.

   The following are sample messages:

   This is a non-secure form.
   This form will be sent in a way that is not secure. Are you sure you want to send it?

   Cancel   Send

   Security Warning
   The information you have entered on this page will be sent over an insecure connection and could be read by a third party.

   Are you sure you want to send this information?

   Cancel   Continue

Known Issues: EBSCO Resources

2. EBSCO E-Resources
Not all EBSCO e-resources resolve to the correct e-resource. Please let us know if this occurs for your institution.

If you receive an error message when trying to access EBSCO resources please contact HSLC Support.

Known Issues: Asking for eCard

After updating links, some libraries are being asked to enter an eCard or library barcode number to access the resources.
If you are accessing e-Resources **on-site**, you should not be asked for an eCard.
- Please contact us to confirm we have the correct IP address range

Get ready to find a world of information!

Please enter your library card number without any spaces or punctuation. If you do not have a library card, get an eCard now!

eCard or Library card barcode number:

[_____] [Submit]

Forgot your eCard number? Retrieve it here.
Need help with your eCard? Please contact us!

Known Issues: Asking for username and password
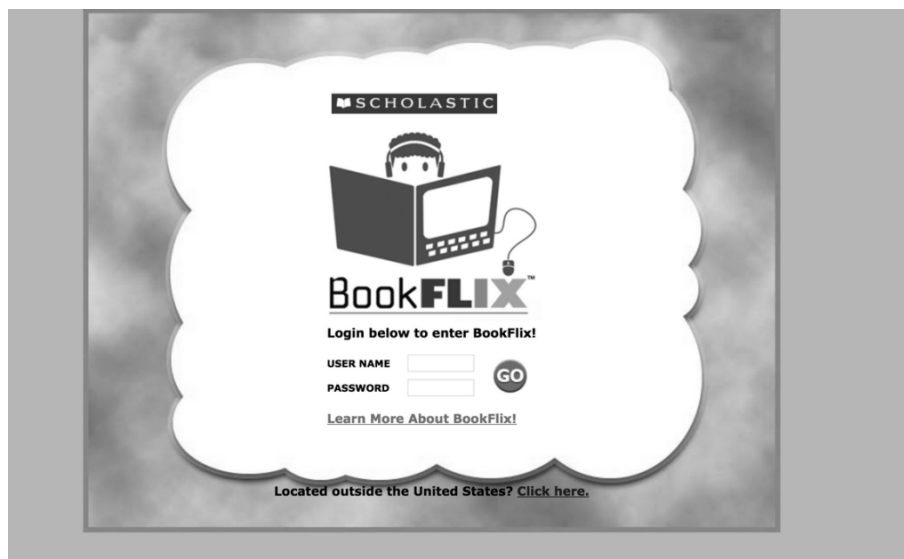
Known Issues: Asking for username and password

Known Issues—Authentication Fail

Contacting Support

For Librarians page on POWER Library website
- Bottom link on left menu "Contact Support"

e-Resources Support Form

E-resource support form will walk you through the submission of a Help Desk ticket.

e-Resources Support Form

e-Resources Support Form

If you are unsure of your IP range, please contact your tech support department.

Statistics

- New statistics will be released late fall 2017. Look for announcements of free webinars and recorded videos on the topic. In the meantime, can use current statistics via the For Librarians page.
  - https://www.powerlibrary.org/librarians

E-Resources
- View a subject list of the e-resources
- Obtain POWER Library e-resource statistics
- POWER Library (PL) Code Look-up

For Librarians Documentation

Questions on e-Resource authentication?

- Digital Social Studies and Science units

- Contains 140 titles (MARC records available for download)

- For children grades 3 through 6

- Unlimited, simultaneous access

- Promotes the instruction and development of 21st Century information literacy skills

- Built-in lesson plans and project ideas

- Desktop icon and webpage buttons are available for easy access

Introductory videos build crucial background knowledge and introduce key vocabulary

Digital flipbooks with nonfiction text features build content knowledge

Explore More offers over 3500 additional texts of multiple types for a deeper level of understanding, including primary sources, fiction, reference articles, and more

Read aloud features supports struggling readers and ELL students

Activity Center with games and quizzes

Lesson plans for every unit

More than 1600 editorially vetted and maintained websites to explore more

Project ideas to build research skills

TrueFLIX Units

Social Studies Units

Science Units

Easy navigation to a different unit

Titles within a unit

Watch It

Read It

Flipbooks contain title page information just as a print book

Table of Contents

Interactive Table of Contents
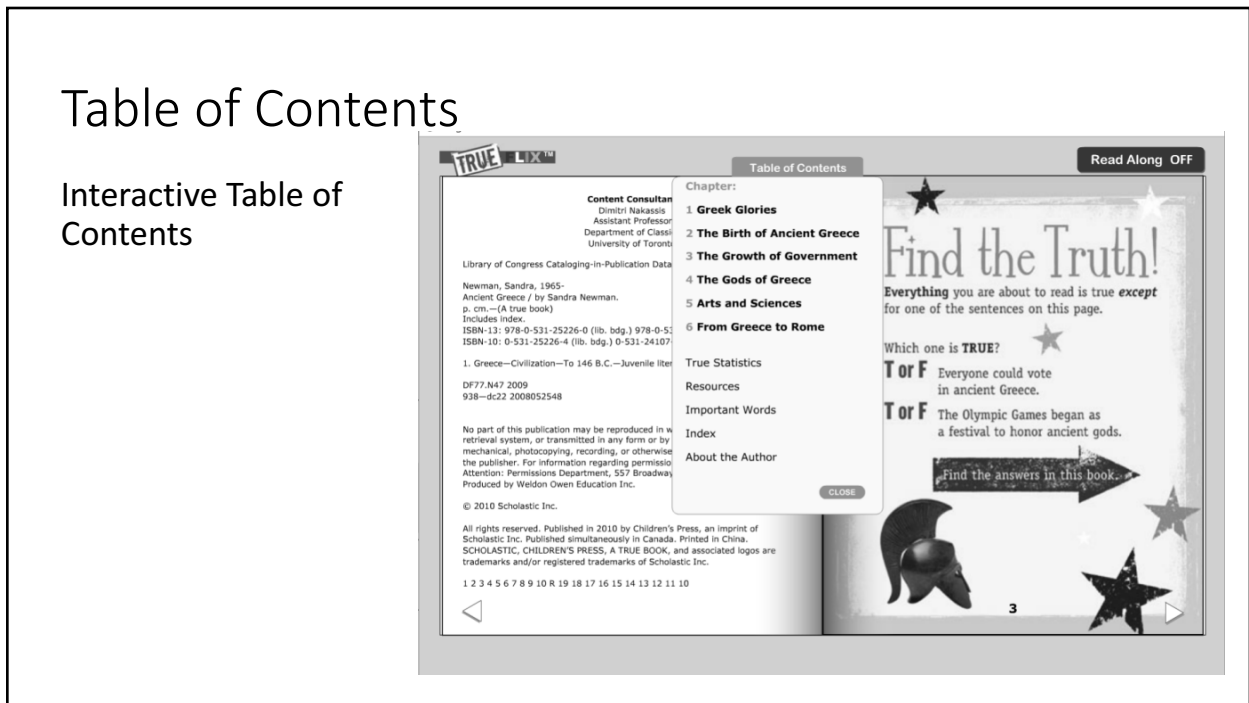
Read Along

- Optional Read Along

- Word-by-word highlighting
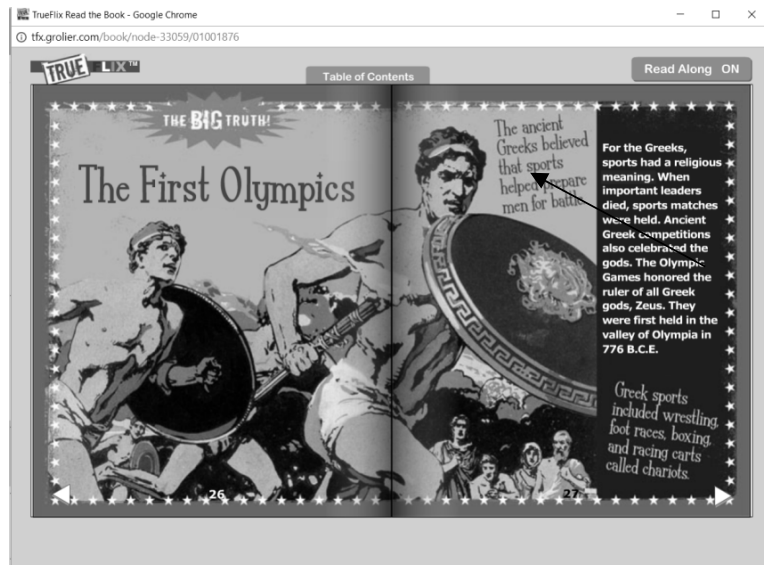
Built-in Dictionary

Hover over a highlighted word to show definition.
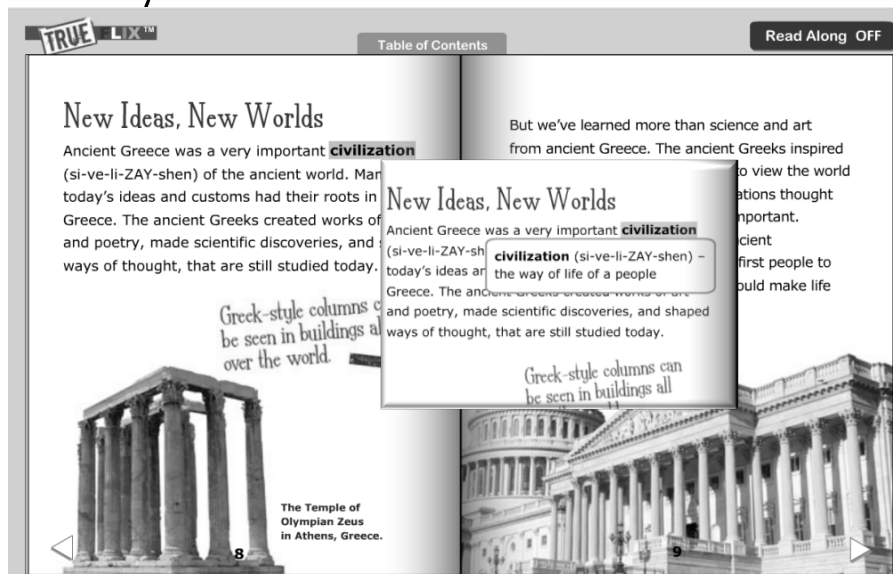
Glossary and Index

- Highlighted words in text are included in glossary

- Bold page numbers in Index indicate an illustration

- Index page numbers are not links

True Statistics

- Interesting statistics relevant to book

- Did You Find the Truth?

Resources and Places to Visit

Information for
further information

- Books

- Places to visit

About the Author

Additional Features

Explore More

Project Idea

Project goal and questions for beginning research

Show What You Know

• Short quiz to test knowledge on subject

• Can be used as a soft assessment

Word Match

- Vocabulary Builder

- Based on important words found in book

Explore the Web

Vetted, age appropriate websites for further exploration on the topic.

"More..." takes you back to additional titles in unit

Lesson Plan

Complete lesson plans available for every title

Lesson Plan

Lesson plan features:
- Time needed
- Materials
- Learning Objectives
- Introduction
- Classroom activity
- Project idea
- Extension activities

PDF version available

Curriculum Correlations

Standards are tied to each title, and accessible from the Lesson Plan link
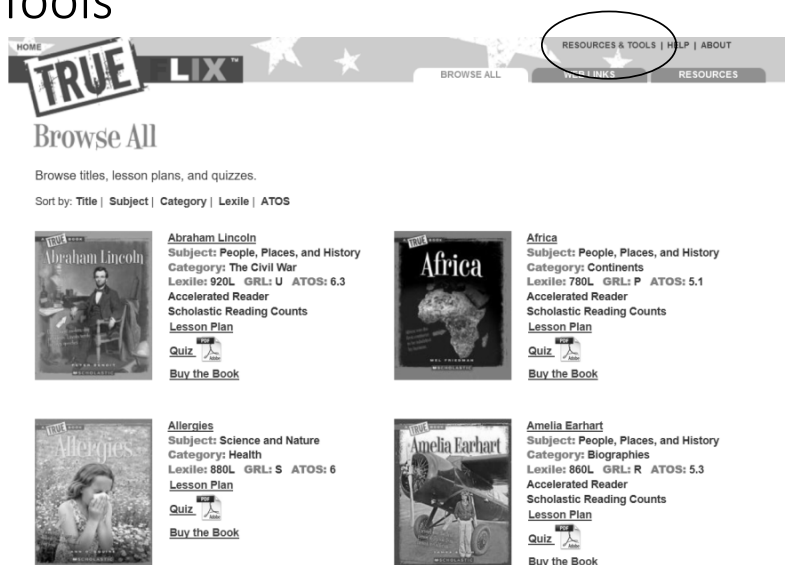
Curriculum Connections

Drop-down menu to
access additional
standards

Resources and Tools

Click on Resources
and Tools link to
access additional
features:

- Browse All
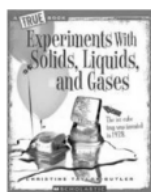
- Web Links

- Resources

Browse All

Browse by:
- Title
- Subject
- Category
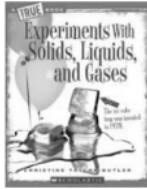- Lexile
- ATOS (text complexity)

Can also see if a title is included in Accelerated Reader and Reading Counts

Printable "Show What You Know" quiz

Buy the Book

Experiments with Solids, Liquids, and Gases
Subject: **Science and Nature**
Category: **Experiments**
Lexile: **580L** GRL: **T** ATOS: **4.4**
Accelerated Reader
Scholastic Reading Counts
Lesson Plan

Quiz

Buy the Book

Web Links

Alphabetical listing of all websites included in TrueFLIX

Resources

Information about the elements included in TrueFLIX

Downloadables

Newsletters
MARC records
Customizable letters and more!

Help

TrueFlix Help

Table of Contents

GETTING AROUND

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

TROUBLESHOOTING

TrueFlix is an online resource that combines award-winning True Books content with reading supports and a deep and diverse collection of related videos, images, Web links, and text. TrueFlix is based on the True Books print series published by Children's Press, an imprint of Scholastic Library Publishing. TrueFlix is published by Scholastic Inc., with editorial development, content management, and engineering provided by Scholastic Library Publishing.

GETTING AROUND

Home and Browse

The TrueFlix Home screen offers two browse options: a category browse and a thumbnail browse.

The category browse utilizes the two groups of TrueFlix titles on the left and right of the screen: People, Places, and History to the left and Science and Nature to the right. Below these titles are nine and twelve tabs, respectively, which correspond to each of these two groups' categories. For People, Places, and History, the categories are American Indians, Ancient Civilizations, Biographies, The Civil War, Continents, The Thirteen Colonies, U.S. Government, U.S. Regions, and Westward Expansion. For Science and Nature, the categories are Animal Kingdom, Disasters, Earth Science, Ecosystems, Experiments, Extreme Nature, Extreme Science, Health, Human Body, Outer Space, Physical Science, and The Solar System. Clicking on one of the 21 categories accesses a category browse screen from which you can choose among thumbnails for all the TrueFlix units in that category. Clicking on any of these thumbnails brings you directly to the title screen for that unit.

The thumbnail browse utilizes the eight large featured TrueFlix thumbnails that rotate at the center of the Home screen and the carousel of thumbnails that rotates at the bottom center of the screen. Clicking on any of these thumbnails brings you directly to the title screen for that TrueFlix unit.

To return to the Home screen, click on the link at the upper-left corner of the screen.

TrueFlix Title Screen

TrueFLIX Live Demo
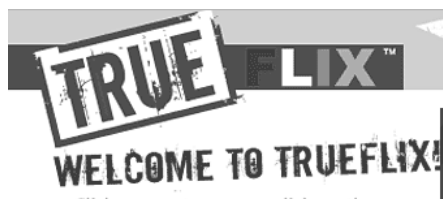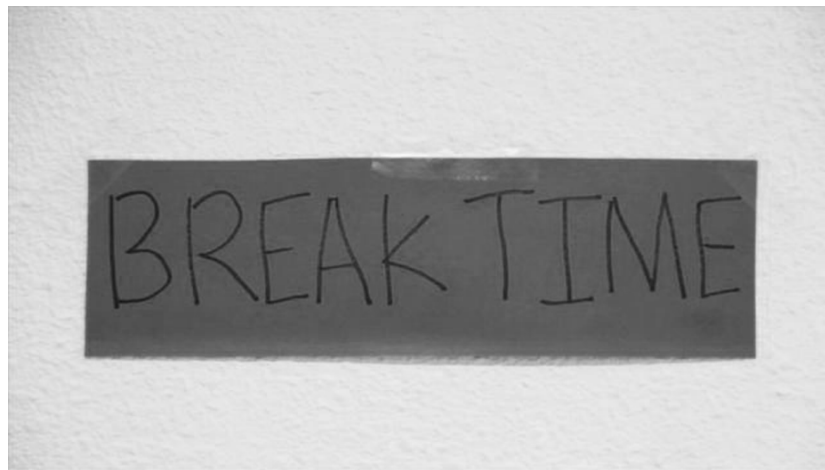
15 minute break

- Geared towards students in PK through grade 3

- Unlimited, simultaneous access

- Stregthens early literacy skills

- Builds fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension

- 120 fiction and non-fiction pairings
  - Award-winning Scholastic Imprint fiction books

Main Page

Featured Pair

9 Categories
- Animals and Adventure
- Earth and Sky
- People and Places
- ABC's and 123's
- Family and Community
- Music and Rhyme
- Adventure
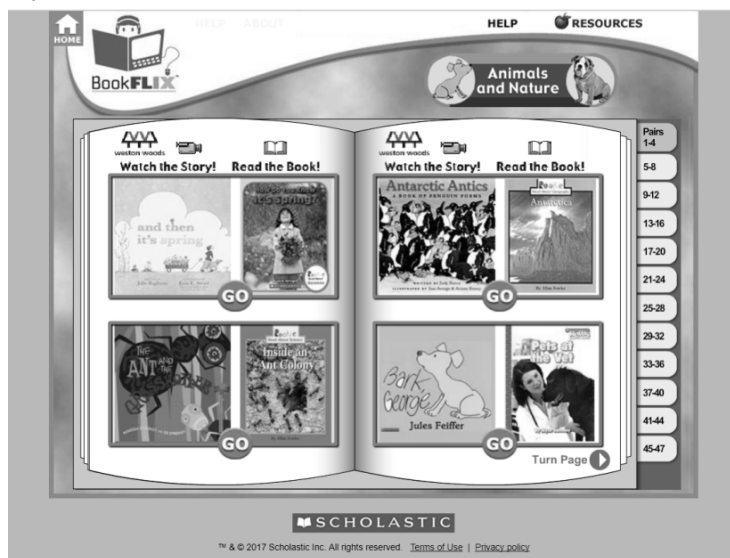- Celebrations
- Imagination

Choosing a Category

View pairings easily

2 ways to navigate pages of pairings:

- "Turn Page" link

- Tabbed pairing listing on right side of page

Pairing

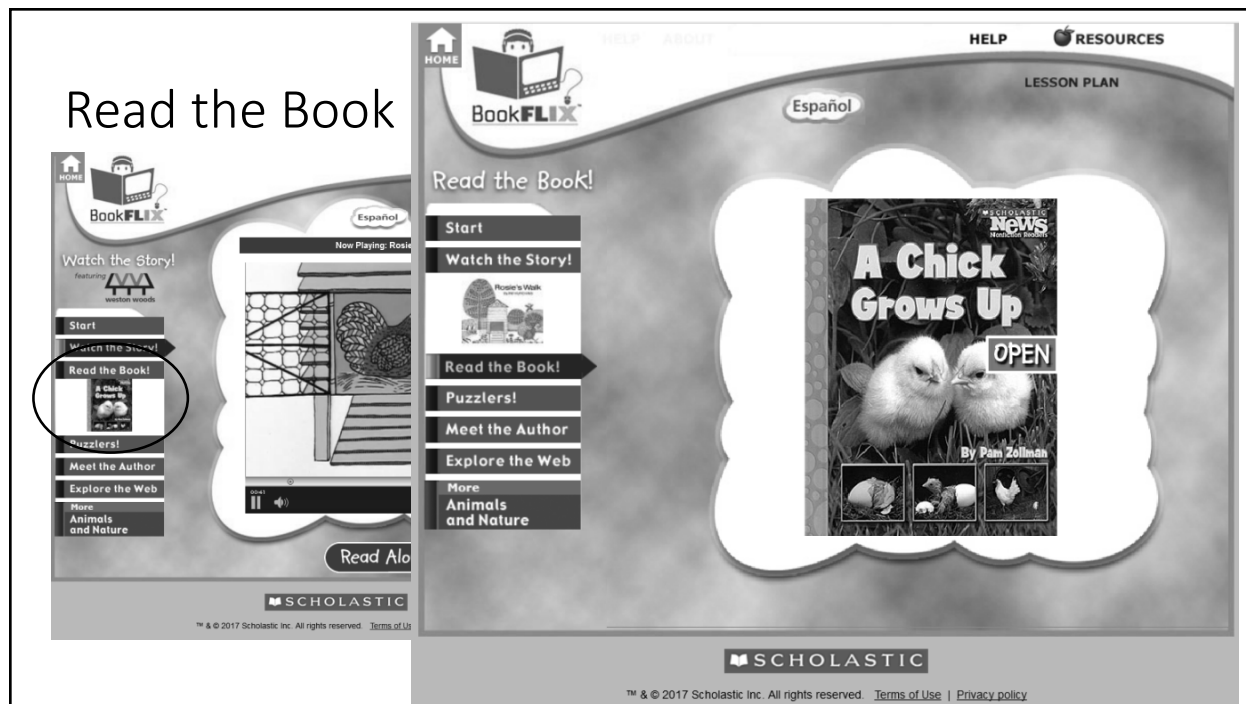Fiction and non-fiction pairing

Static left menu

- Watch the Story!

- Read the Book!

- Puzzlers!

- Meet the Author

- More--back to

  category pairings

Watch the Story

- Spanish is available for some titles (Español button)

- Optional Read Along (closed captioning)
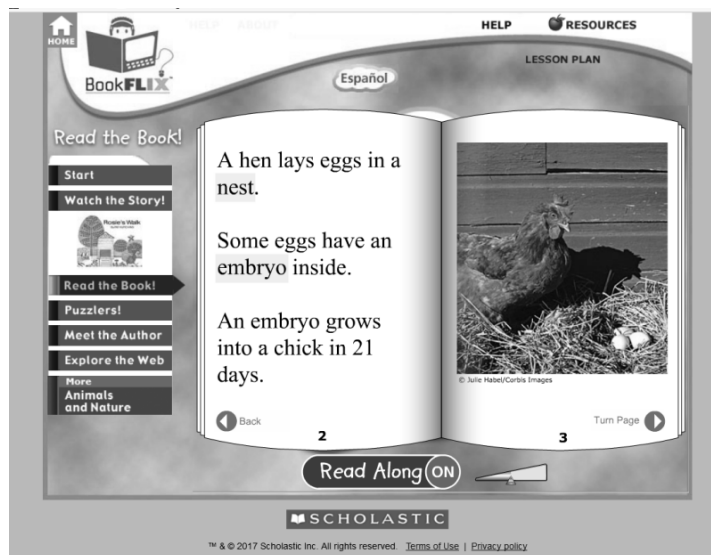
- Full screen viewing

Read the Book

Read the Book

- Spanish version
- Optional Read Along
  - Highlights text as it's read
- Definitions provided with pronunciation

nest.

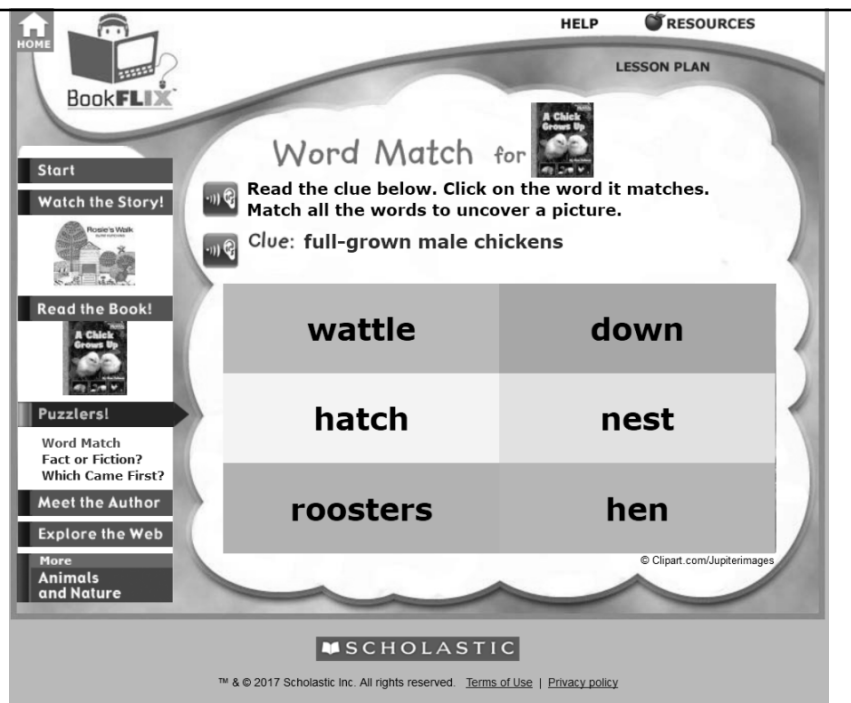nest: a bed made by birds to hold their eggs and raise their young

Puzzlers

- Word Match (vocabulary)

- Fact or Fiction?

- Which Came First? (sequencing)

Word Match

- Vocabulary builder

- Listen to the instructions and questions

Fact or Fiction?

- Hint button
- Listen to instructions and prompt
- Visual cues

Which Came First?

- Drag and drop the boxes

- Teaches sequencing skills

Meet the Author

- Author information on BookFLIX site

- "Click here to learn more" to go to author website

Web Resources

"More…" takes you back to pairings in category

Lesson Plan

Lesson plan link is available on every screen

Lesson Plan

- Learning Objectives
- Fiction Resource
- Non-fiction Resource
- Before Viewing the Video
- After-Viewing Activities
- Paired-Text Activities
- Further Research
- Assessment

PDF version available

Lesson Plan

Title information for both fiction and non-fiction titles

Curriculum Correlations

Resources Tab

Title Browse tab

Sort by

Video:
Title
Author
Illustrator
Spanish
Running time
Category
Theme
Award Winners
Grade Level
Lexile
GRL

Book:
Title
Number of Pages
Spanish
Grade Level
Lexile
GRL

* Also indicates if title is part of Reading Counts

Using Paired Texts

- Provides information on the elements of each unit

- Provides information included in the Library Programs, Classroom Activities, and Parent and Child tabs

Library Programs Tab

- Printable Letters

- Program Preparation

- Program Presentation

- Independent Learning

Classroom Activities Tab

- General Strategies and Activities

- Activities by Theme

Parent and Child Tab

Ideas for BookFLIX use at local libraries, and from home.

Downloadables

Accessed from Resources Tab

Downloadables

- MARC records

- Desktop Icon

- Customizable Letters

- Printables

- and more!

Make the most of BookFlix in your classroom or library with these downloadable resources!

- Marc Records
  Download Marc Records for BookFlix.

- Webpage Button
  Download the HTML and code to add to your site to easily access BookFlix.

- Downloadable Desktop Icon
  Download the Windows Desktop icon to easily access BookFlix.

- Parent Letter (English)
  Parent Letter (Spanish)
  Customize and distribute this letter to let students' and their parents know how to access BookFlix at home.

- Teacher Letter
  Customize and distribute this letter to let colleagues know how to access BookFlix at school and at home.

- Patron Letter (English)
  Patron Letter (Spanish)
  Customize and distribute this letter to let patrons know how to access BookFlix at home.

- Book Mark
  Print and distribute this book mark to raise awareness of BookFlix in your school or library.

- Customizable Book Mark
  Customize this version of the BookFlix book mark to include specific access information for your school or public library.

- Poster
  Print and display this poster for display in your classroom or library.

- Tech Spec
  Refer to these guidelines to ensure that your school's or library's technology can access BookFlix.

CLOSE

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Bookmarks and Poster

Help

- Pair elements features

- System Requirements

- FAQs

- Troubleshooting

- and more

Promotional Materials from POWER Library

For Librarians page → Promotional Materials

      https://www.powerlibrary.org/librarians/e-resources/marketingpr

Printable bookmarks, graphics for magnets, posters, and more!

POWER Kids Materials

- TrueFLIX Bookmark [Web PDF] [High Resolution PDF]
- POWER Kids BookFLIX Bookmarks [PDF for In-house Print Jobs] [PDF for Print Shop Jobs]
- POWER Kids BookFLIX Magnet – Artwork for 4 1/4" x 3" – [JPG]
- POWER Kids Logos
- POWER Kids 5" x 7" Graphic Advertisement [JPG] [PDF]
- Press Release Template [DOC]
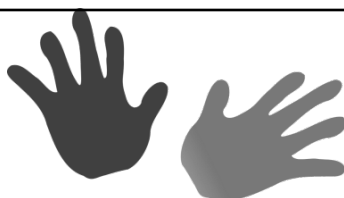
BookFLIX Live Demo

Questions?

Discussion

How might you use these resources for:
• Constitution Day?
• Black History Month?
• Promoting literacy skills in early readers?
• To promote award-winning titles?

If you have experience teaching with BookFLIX and TrueFLIX please share your success stories!

Hands-on time!

BookFLIX

• Use the Browse All feature to see the awards for each title
• Pick a theme and check out the pairings (maybe even watch an animated picture book!)
• View some of the available lesson plans for pairings
• Take a peek at the customizable letters for parents and teachers

TrueFLIX

• Choose a unit and look at the lesson plans for some of the titles in that unit

• Browse some of the units and take a look at the available titles

• Take a look at some of the websites found under the Web Links tab