

# What Is

## **SRA** *Core Resource Connections?*

*Core Resource Connections* provides resources for teachers and materials for extra support for students in the **Corrective Reading** Decoding program. Resources in the book are organized as follows.

- 1 Ideas for providing **Levels of Support for Students with Intellectual Disabilities**, so that **all** students have the opportunity to achieve success with the program materials.
- 2 Tips and suggestions for **Differentiating Instruction** to help teachers enhance learning for **all** students. Instructional tips provide important suggestions to enhance academic success for approaching-mastery, at-mastery, and ELL students. These tips and suggestions align with assessments found in the **Corrective Reading** program.
- 3 A guide to **Professional Development** for Fluency Building and Reading Level Determination provides an overview of fluency as it pertains to **Corrective Reading** Decoding as well as a Reading Checkout Chart illustrating number of words per reading checkout, time of checkout, error limits, minimum words correct per minute for reading checkout, and independent, instructional, and frustrational reading levels. Also included are the Hasbrouck & Tindal Oral Reading Fluency rate table and the NAEP Oral Reading Fluency Scale.
- 4 **Leveled Passages for Comprehension and Vocabulary Practice** designed to help students improve their overall comprehension and vocabulary and to give students additional practice applying reading strategies and skills to leveled passages.
- 5 A **Scope and Sequence Chart** provides an overview of the skills taught in each major component of the program level. In a quick glance, teachers can see what skills are taught in each piece of the program.
- 6 A correlation to the **Common Core State Standards** showing how and where the **Corrective Reading** Decoding curriculum provides the materials and skills students need to meet these critical standards.
- 7 **Additional Activities** are provided to augment teaching and learning. These activities can be used to supplement instruction where and as needed. These blackline masters are also available online for use as whole-class interactive whiteboard activities and/or as student-centered activities for individuals or pairs. Students can complete their work on a computer in or out of the classroom and can save and print the completed work for teacher review.
- 8 A set of **Writing Frames** provides practice in a variety of writing genres, enhancing writing instruction and allowing students to produce and publish writing using digital tools. The Writing Frames are blackline masters that can also be accessed online for use as whole-class interactive whiteboard activities and/or as student-centered activities for individuals or pairs. Students can complete their work on a computer in the classroom or at home.