

# Primary Concepts®

## Hands-On Alphabet

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Primary Concepts' *Hands-On Alphabet* addresses the following Common Core State Standards.

<b>Common Core State Standards Kindergarten</b>
<b>Reading: Foundational Skills</b>
<b>Print Concepts</b>
<b>RF.K.1.</b> Demonstrate understanding of the organization and basic features of print.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognize and name all upper- and lowercase letters of the alphabet.</li> </ul>
<b>Phonological Awareness</b>
<b>RF.K.2.</b> Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes).
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Isolate and pronounce the initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme (consonant-vowel-consonant, or CVC) words. (This does not include CVCs ending with //, /r/, or /x/.) <i>(initial sounds only)</i></li> </ul>
<b>Phonics and Word Recognition</b>
<b>RF.K.3.</b> Know and apply grade-level phonics and word analysis skills in decoding words.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrate basic knowledge of letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or most frequent sound for each consonant.</li> <li>• Associate the long and short sounds with the common spellings (graphemes) for the five major vowels. <i>(short vowel sounds only)</i></li> </ul>

<b>Common Core State Standards Grade 1</b>
<b>Reading: Foundational Skills</b>
<b>Phonological Awareness</b>
<b>RF.1.2.</b> Demonstrate understanding of spoken words, syllables, and sounds (phonemes).
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Isolate and pronounce initial, medial vowel, and final sounds (phonemes) in spoken single-syllable words. <i>(initial sounds only)</i></li> </ul>