# Hill Readers Scope and Sequence

**All Hill Readers Include High-Frequency Words**

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|        |                    |                | Short Vowel Compound Words (redbud) |
|        |                    |                | One-Syllable Root Words with –ed as /t/, /d/, /id/ (planned) |
|        |                    |                | Mixed Suffixes (pinning) |
Book 7

**Hill Reading Level 1 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 2**

CV Words (by)
VCE a Words (date)
VCE i Words (hide)
VCE o Words (robe)
VCE u Words (cube)
VCE e Words (here)
CVCe, CCVCe, and CCCVCe Words (crate)

Book 8

**Hill Reading Level 1 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 2**

Soft c Words (face)
Soft g Words (page)
Soft c and g Words (hinge)
ar Words (car)
or Words (born)
ir, er, and ur Words (her)
Mixed r-Controlled Vowel Words (charm)

Book 9

**Hill Reading Level 1 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 3**

VV ai, ay Words (gain)
VV ee words (bee)
VV ea Words (mean)
VV oa Words (coat)
VV ie and oe Words (die)
Mixed VV Words (Vowel Digraphs) (coal)
Two-Syllable Short Vowel VC/CV Words (bobbin)
Two-Syllable VC/CV Words (letter)

Book 10

**Hill Reading Level 2 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 3**

VV Long oo Words by Families (hoop)
VV Short oo Words (good)
VV oi, oy Words (boil)
VV ou Words (ouch)
VV ow Words (down)
VV ou and ow Words (foul)
VV au and aw Words (launch)
VV ew and ue Words (cue)
Mixed VV Words (Diphthongs) (spout)
Long i and o Words—Exceptions (kind)

Book 11

**Hill Reading Level 2 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 4**

Two-Syllable Compound Words (outside)
Two-Syllable V/CV Words (zero)
Two-Syllable VC/CV and VC/V Words (favor)
ea as Short e (head)
ou Exceptions (would)
igh and eigh (light)
Two-Syllable VC/CV Words with Silent e (costume)
Two-Syllable –Cle Words (bubble)
Two-Syllable Soft c Words (ulcer)
Two-Syllable Soft g words (urgent)
Two-Syllable Soft c and g Words (college)
Two-Syllable ar Words (partner)
Two-Syllable or Words (organ)
Two-Syllable ir, ur, er Words (hermit)
Two-Syllable Mixed r-Controlled (perfect)

Book 12
Hill Reading Level 2 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 4
Two-Syllable ai and ay Words (repaingt)
Two-Syllable ee and ea Words (creature)
Two-Syllable oa Words (charcoal)
Two-Syllable Mixed VV Words (cocoa)
Two-Syllable VC/V Words (planet)
Two-Syllable V/CV and VC/V Words (rigid)
Two-Syllable Long and Short oo Words (balloon)
Two-Syllable Words Ending in –y or –ey as Long e (baby)
Two-Syllable oi and oy Words (employ)
Two-Syllable ou and ow Words (shower)
Two-Syllable au and aw Words (August)
Two-Syllable ew and ue Words (pewter)
Two-Syllable VV Words (bamboo)
ei and ey as Long a (beige)
ie as Long e (priest)
al as /aul/ (ball)
ear and our as /ur/ (earth)
Silent Letter Combinations wr, kn, mb, l (wrap)
Silent Letter Combinations rh, gh, t, bt, gn, mn, ps (rhyme)

Book 13
Hill Reading Level 2 / Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level: Grade 4
Two-Syllable Words with Prefixes (recall)
Two-Syllable Words with Suffixes (richness)