

High Frequency Words

## Testing Strips Words 1-500



Directions: Give the student the strip with the words you want to test. As he reads the words, check them off on the Student Record Sheet. Use a different colored pen each time you test the same list, and date it. Allow students to use bookmarks to help them keep their place.

# High Frequency Words Testing Strips 

Many states use high frequency words as benchmarks of a child's progress through reading standards. These testing strips are handy for keeping the word lists together, organized, and easy to use. Each strip contains 25 high frequency words, numbered and in order. The pattern at the top of each strip corresponds with the pattern used for all the materials presented by Integreat! Thematic Units, so it's simple to coordinate the testing strips with the materials you have been using. Corresponding Student Record Sheets are available, as well. Just pull out the testing strips, gather your record sheets, and you, or a classroom volunteer, can quickly assess the progress your students are making in learning sight words.

Preparing the Materials: Run the Testing Strips off on cover stock or manila tag board. Laminate them and cut them apart on the dotted lines. Punch a hole in the top, left corner of each card, put them in order, and attach them with a ring.

Using the Testing Strips: When you're ready to individually test your kiddos, give a student the strip that has the words (s)he is working on. Let him use a book mark to keep his place, if you feel that is appropriate, and have him read down the strip of words. You can quickly check off the words she knows on the record sheet. If you want to keep track of progress made, you could use a different color ink each time you test the words - that way you'll see what new words have been mastered and what the child still needs to work on. Keep the record sheets in a notebook, or have a file of benchmark materials for each student. If it's difficult for you to find the time to individually test each child yourself, you could use a classroom volunteer or an older student tutor, as long as this is acceptable in your school district. I hope this will make your task a little easier!


## $\star$ List 1 非 List 2

1. the
2. of
3. and
4. a
5. to
6. in
7. is
8. you
9. that
10. it
11. he
12. for
13. was
14. on
15. are
16. as
17. with
18. his
19. they
20. at
21. be
22. this
23. from
24. I
25. have
26. or
27. by
28. one
29. had
30. not
31. but
32. what
33. all
34. were
35. when
36. we
37. there
38. can
39. an
40. your
41. which
42. if
43. said
44. their
45. do
46. will
47. each
48. about
49. how
50. up
51. out
52. them
53. then
54. she
55. many
56. some
57. so
58. these
59. would
60. other
61. into
62. has
63. more
64. her
65. two
66. like
67. him
68. see
69. time
70. could
71. no
72. make
73. than
74. first
75. been
76. its
77. who
78. now
79. people
80. my
81. made
82. over
83. did
84. down
85. only
86. way
87. find
88. use
89. may
90. water
91. long
92. little
93. very
94. after
95. words
96. called
97. just
98. where
99. mos $\dagger$
100. know
101. get
102. through
103. back
104. much
105. before
106. go
107. good
108. new
109. write
110. our
111. used
112. me
113. man
114. too
115. any
116. day
117. same
118. right
119. look
120. think
121. also
122. around
123. another
124. came
125. come
126. work
127. three
128. word
129. must
130. because
131. does
132. part
133. even
134. place
135. well
136. such
137. here
138. take
139. why
140. things
141. help
142. put
143. years
144. different
145. away
146. again
147. off
148. went
149. old
150. number
151. great
152. tell
153. men
154. say
155. small
156. every
157. found
158. still
159. between
160. name
161. should
162. Mr.
163. home
164. big
165. give
166. air
167. line
168. set
169. own
170. under
171. read
172. last
173. never
174. us
175. left
176. end
177. along
178. while
179. might
180. next
181. sound
182. below
183. saw
184. something
185. thought
186. both
187. few
188. those
189. always
190. looked
191. show
192. large
193. often
194. together
195. asked
196. house
197. don't
198. world
199. going
200. want

| 201. school | 226. liv |
| :---: | :---: |
| 202. important | 227. page |
| 203. until | 228. got |
| 204. money | 229. earth |
| 205. form | 230. need |
| 206. food | 231. far |
| 207. keep | 232. hand |
| 208. children | 233. high |
| 209. feet | 234. year |
| 210. land | 235. mother |
| 211. side | 236. light |
| 212. without | 237. parts |
| 213. boy | 238. country |
| 14. once | 239. father |
| 215. animals | 240. let |
| 216. life | 241. night |
| 217. enough | 242. following |
| 218. took | 243. seen |
| 219. sometime | 244. picture |
| 220. four | 245. being |
| 221. head | 246. study |
| 222. above | 247. second |
| 223. kind | 248. eyes |
| 224. began | 249. soon |
| 225. almost | 250. times |

251. story
252. boys
253. since
254. white
255. days
256. ever
257. paper
258. hard
259. near
260. sentence
261. better
262. best
263. across
264. during
265. today
266. others
267. however
268. sure
269. means
270. knew
271. it's
272. try
273. told
274. young
275. miles
276. sun
277. ways
278. thing
279. whole
280. hear
281. example
282. heard
283. several
284. change
285. answer
286. room
287. sea
288. agains $\dagger$
289. top
290. turned
291. didn't
292. learn
293. point
294. city
295. play
296. toward
297. five
298. using
299. himself
300. usually

## List 13

List 14
List 15
List 16
301. living
302. black
303. eat
304. short
305. United

States
306. run
307. book
308. gave
309. order
310. open
311. ground
312. cold
313. really
314. table
315. remember
316. tree
317. course
318. front
319. American
320. space
321. inside
322. ago
323. sad
324. early
325. I'll
326. learned
327. brought
328. close
329. nothing
330. though
331. idea
332. before
333. lived
334. became
335. add
336. become
337. grow
338. draw
339. yet
340. less
341. wind
342. behind
343. cannot
344. letter
345. among
346. able
347. dog
348. shown
349. mean
350. English
351. rest
352. perhaps
353. certain
354. six
355. feel
356. fire
357. ready
358. green
359. yes
360. built
361. special
362. ran
363. funny
364. town
365. complete
366. oh
367. person
368. hot
369. anything
370. hold
371. stare
372. list
373. stood
374. hundred
375. ten
376. fast
377. felt
378. kept
379. notice
380. can't
381. strong
382. voice
383. probably
384. area
385. horse
386. matter
387. stand
388. box
389. start
390. that's
391. class
392. piece
393. surface
394. river
395. common
396. stop
397. am
398. talk
399. whether
400. fine
401. round
402. girl
403. either
404. gone
405. moon
406. power
407. deep
408. beautiful
409. game
410. shall
411. ice
412. fact
413. distance
414. heart
415. rain
416. lay
417. miss
418. main
419. stay
420. wide
421. happened
422. else
423. rock
424. walk
425. map
426. dark
427. road
428. held
429. finally
430. animal
431. problem
432. heavy
433. everyone
434. system
435. dry
436. ship
437. third
438. although
439. real
440. suddenly
441. size
442. pattern
443. someone
444. itself
445. least
446. foot
447. gold
448. tall
449. check
450. friend
451. past
452. blue
453. already
454. summer
455. mind
456. longer
457. carefully
458. leave
459. bring
460. within
461. themselves
462. quite
463. sat
464. simple
465. leaves
466. wild
467. sky
468. center
469. boat
470. tiny
471. care
472. build
473. alone
474. fall
475. language
476. ball 477. instead
478. warm
479. understand
480. outside
481. winter
482. follow
483. everything
484. watch
485. floor
486. begin
487. carry
488. possible
489. snow
490. easy
491. weather
492. walked
493. field
494. question
495. hour
496. low
497. glass
498. bottom
499. poor
500. job

