**BookFlix Checklist and Guided Notes**

**Use this Guide for the following lessons in the BookFlix Training Class**

* Getting to Know BookFlix
* Using BookFlix
* Using the Educator Tools and Resources

**Getting to Know BookFlix**

**Check off each item as you learn about it from the training site**.

* Two ways to access BookFlix from the INFOhio site
* Basic facts about BookFlix
  + Number of fiction and nonfiction titles
  + Number of Spanish pairs
  + Three types of students to use the resource with
  + Various product features
  + Various facts about user feedback, student engagement, and product awards
* A video overview of BookFlix

**Using BookFlix**

**Fill in the blanks in the text below using words from the training site.**

The featured pair on the BookFlix homepage will\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The site is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, making it easy and natural for students who are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to find just the right book.

At the top right, you will see a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_toggle button, and an icon which links teachers to resources and additional helpful tools.

There are several categories of themes on BookFlix. The titles are arranged by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for easy browsing.

By clicking on the\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, you will find all pairs that support the theme. In the “People and Places” category, pairs include those about important people such as Martin Luther King Jr., Abraham Lincoln, and Jackie Robinson. Places like Australia, New York City, and Antarctica are also in the pairs for this category.

You can find these \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_in other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as well. For example, the pair Antarctic Antics and Antarctica are also featured in the “Animals and Nature” category. Browse the categories and make note of the titles that appear in each.

BookFlix uses paired \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_ titles to enhance \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . This also builds \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and pique student interest. Pairing fiction and nonfiction is one way to help develop critical reading skills.

The fiction titles are popular and often award-winning. These stories are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to students who are learning to read and are accessible and engaging.

The nonfiction titles are paired with these stories by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ can help develop beginning readers' interest in informational text.

The fiction titles are presented as Weston Woods videos. The print book illustrations come to life, accompanied by music and text both read aloud and appearing on the screen. The text is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_as it is read. This is called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ text, and studies have shown that student \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is improved by text that is highlighted and read aloud.

The read aloud feature can turned be off by moving the blue button to the left. This allows you to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_for readers at various levels.

The Puzzlers on the menu to the left of the titles are games that reinforce literacy concepts such as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and identifying fact and fiction.

There are two ways to find the lesson plans. Click the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_at the top of the home and category screen. Click the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_tab. Each \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_is listed on the screen with additional information including author, illustrator, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A link to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_is found at the bottom of the pairs' listing.

The second way to find the lesson plans is to choose a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and click the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_from the pair page. You will be given the option from this page to view the lesson plan or the\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

You can \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ BookFlix using title keywords. For example, search for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and you will get title pairs such as Dot the Fire Dog and Harry the Dirty Dog in your results. But, if you search for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, you will not get any results as the Antarctic pair does not have the word in the title.

**Using the Educator Tools and Resources**

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* Lesson Plans
  + Two ways to find them
  + The book and apple icon
  + Tabs on the Educator Tools and Resources Page
* Title Library
  + Tabs on the Educator Tools and Resources Page
  + Content found on title pairs listing
  + Advanced search with filtering
  + Searching using sorting feature
* Resources
  + Various materials to support BookFlix
  + Downloadable resources
  + BookFlix newsletter
* Help
  + Tips and tricks
  + General directions