



Lavinia RISE™ Summer Learning Program MATERIALS LIST

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Lavinia RISE™ Summer Learning Program Materials List



The table below outlines the classroom and curriculum materials required for the Lavinia RISE Summer Learning Program. The following pages provide guidance and recommendations for ordering these materials.

Curriculum Component & Grade Level (Name and intended audience)	Classroom Items (To purchase or secure)	Curriculum Materials (Digitally accessible on RISE portal)
RedThread RISE Foundations (Rising 1st - 2nd)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Magnetic strips - 1 set/class · Blue, Yellow, Purple, Red, Card-stock - 1 pack/color · Index cards - 15/student each day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Teacher guides - 1 guide/teacher · Phonics letter cards - 1 set/class · Phonics keyword image cards - 1 set/class · Phonics posters - 1 set/class · Student portfolios - 1 portfolio/student · RedThread RISE Readers (Decodable texts) - see FAQs
RedThread RISE Knowledge (Rising 1st - 9th)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Unit books <p><i>Note: For Summer 2026, Rising 3rd–5th grades will use new books, and some previously listed books for Rising 1st grade have been removed.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Teacher guides - 1 guide/teacher · Student portfolios - 1 portfolio/student
Close Reading for Meaning™ (Rising 3rd - 9th)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · None 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Teacher guides - 1 guide/teacher · Student portfolios - 1 portfolio/student · Instructional posters - 1 set/class
Math for Meaning™ Story Problems (Rising 1st - 9th)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Chart paper - 60 sheets/teacher · Markers - 1 8-pack/teacher · Rising 1st-3rd: Unifix cubes (stored in sticks of 10) - 40/student · Rising 4th-9th: Graph paper - 1 8-pack/student 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Teacher guides - 1 guide/teacher · Student portfolios - 1 portfolio/student
Math Routines (Rising 1st - 9th)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Student whiteboards - 1 set/class · Dry-erase markers - 1 set/class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Teacher guides - 1 guide/teacher



CLASSROOM ITEMS

All classroom items can be purchased through a vendor of your choice. For book purchases, we recommend [Mackin](#) or setting up an Amazon Business account in partnership with the Lavinia RISE Program. Please click [here](#) for directions on how to do so.

? TO DECIDE:

Which [classroom items](#) or books are already available within the building, and which need to be purchased?

▶ NEXT STEPS:

Use [this tool](#) and accompanying [explanation video](#) for quantity guidance when placing your orders.

CURRICULUM MATERIALS

All curriculum, except the RedThread RISE Readers for Rising 1st and 2nd, is provided digitally through our Summer School portal. In addition to having digital access, you may choose to order printed curriculum materials for your site. If you choose to do so, the RedThread RISE Readers (Decodable texts for Rising 1st - 2nd Literacy) are provided in your purchase.

? TO DECIDE:

Will your summer educators access curriculum materials only digitally, or will you order printed materials?

▶ NEXT STEPS (IF DIGITAL ACCESS ONLY):

You will receive access to the digital curriculum in late April through the RISE Summer School Portal.

For Rising 1st & 2nd:

- You will need to order the decodable texts for Rising 1st and 2nd [here](#).
- You will also need to print the following curriculum materials from the RISE Summer School Portal:
Printing and display guidance for these items can be found [here](#).
 - Phonics Letter Cards
 - Phonics Keyword Image Cards
 - Phonics Posters

For Rising 3rd-9th:

- You will need to print the instructional posters from the RISE Summer School Portal for Close Reading.

▶ NEXT STEPS (IF ALSO PURCHASING PRINTED MATERIALS):

You will receive access to the digital curriculum portal in late April. You will be responsible for placing your order on [this website](#). Materials will ship directly to your site. Printed Curriculum FAQ's can be found [here](#).

For Rising 1st & 2nd:

- RedThread RISE readers, phonics letter cards, phonics keyword image cards, and phonics posters are included in the printed materials order, so you do not need to place a separate order for these.

For Rising 3rd-9th:

- Printed and shipped materials will include instructional posters for Close Reading.

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Returning Partners: Please review this list carefully, as some books have been added or removed for Rising 1st and Rising 3rd–5th.

Rising 1st

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780140565072	Apt. 3	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780140564402	Goggles	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9781894786331	Hana Hashimoto, Sixth Violin	Uegaki, Chieri	1 copy/teacher
9780670885466	Hi, Cat!	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780142500354	Jennie's Hat	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780140564426	Letter to Amy	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780142400807	Louie	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780140567618	Louie's Search	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780525581130	Nana Akua Goes to School	Elam Walker, Tricia	1 copy/teacher
9780142300008	Pet Show!	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780140564419	Peter's Chair	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780425287682	Poem for Peter	Pinkney, Andrea Davis	1 copy/teacher
9780670011377	Regards to the Man in the Moon	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780140501827	The Snowy Day	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher
9780140502022	Whistle for Willie	Keats, Ezra Jack	1 copy/teacher

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Rising 2nd

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9781478868880	Abuelita's Secret	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher
9780689812897	Dear Peter Rabbit	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher
9780689874093	I Love Saturdays y Domingos	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher
9780689802171	My Name is Maria Isabel	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher
9780689825835	Tales our Abuelitas Told: A Hispanic Folktale Collection	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher
9780689870613	With Love, Little Red Hen	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher
9780689844522	Yours Truly, Goldilocks	Flor Ada, Alma	1 copy/teacher

Rising 3rd

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780374308346	Jasmine Toguchi, Mochi Queen*	Florence, Debbi Michiko	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student
9781250903754	Bodega Cats: Picture Purrfect*	Burgos, Hilda Eunice	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

*New book for RISE 2026

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Rising 4th

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780061992278	The One and Only Ivan*	Applegate, Katherine	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

Rising 5th

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9781416971719	Out of My Mind*	Draper, Sharon M.	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

Rising 6th

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780735228528	The Night Diary	Hiranandani, Veera	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

*New book for RISE 2026

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Rising 7th

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780147510426	The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind, Young Reader's Edition	Kamkwamba, William	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

Rising 8th

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780399555497	Before We Were Free	Alvarez, Julia	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

Rising 9th

ISBN	TITLE	AUTHOR	ORDERING GUIDANCE
9780544935204	The Crossover	Alexander, Kwame	1 copy/teacher & 1 copy/student

Lavinia RISE™ Summer Learning Program Frequently Asked Questions



GENERAL CURRICULUM QUESTIONS

What comes with the curriculum?

The RISE curriculum includes 5 weeks (20 instructional days) of lessons with teacher guides for all math and literacy components, along with student lesson materials.

When will the RISE Summer School Portal be available?

In spring 2026, the designated points of contact for each site will receive access to the RISE Summer School Portal. From there, it is each leader's responsibility to roster their educators so that teachers can access all digital curriculum materials and other program resources. Additionally, the RISE Summer School Portal will house the 2026 Registration Form, where leaders will provide key programmatic information.

Who should I contact for questions about materials?

If you encounter issues accessing the portal or have questions about materials, please reach out to the Lavinia RISE Team at summer.learning@laviniagroup.org.

How will I access curriculum materials?

You have two options for accessing curriculum materials for the RISE Summer Program — digital access only (through the RISE Summer School Portal) or digital access with printed curriculum. Please see the [ordering and procurement guidance](#) on page 2 for additional details.

What standards are addressed in the curriculum?

RISE aligns to the Common Core State Standards and recognizes that states may present standards differently, even when addressing similar concepts. Using "crosswalks," the program translates Common Core-aligned content to each state's specific requirements (available on the RISE Summer School Portal). RISE prioritizes power standards, the most critical grade-level skills and concepts, and intentionally targets standards from the previous grade to bridge learning gaps. For example, students entering 5th grade engage with 4th-grade standards to reinforce foundational skills before tackling new content in the fall. This approach helps students build deeper mastery within the limited summer timeframe.

PRINTED CURRICULUM ORDERING QUESTIONS

Do we have to purchase printed curriculum materials?

No, purchasing printed materials is completely optional! Every educator participating in RISE gets access to our digital curriculum platform.

Where do I order printed curriculum materials?

RISE Printed Curriculum is only available for purchase [HERE](#).

What is included in printed curriculum materials?

We are offering separate printed literacy and math materials kits for Rising 1st - 9th Grade.

What is included in a literacy kit?

RISING 1ST-2ND GRADE LITERACY KITS

10 STUDENT KIT	25 STUDENT KIT
2 literacy teacher guides	2 literacy teacher guides
2 sets of each phonics card deck	2 sets of each phonics card deck
10 student portfolios	25 student portfolios
10 copies of each RedThread Reader (decodable text)	25 copies of each RedThread Reader (decodable text)
10 student pre-tests	25 student pre-tests
10 student post-tests	25 student post-tests
2 teacher assessment scoring guides	2 teacher assessment scoring guides
1 copy of each phonics poster	1 copy of each phonics poster

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PRINTED CURRICULUM ORDERING QUESTIONS

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What is included in a literacy kit?

RISING 3RD-9TH GRADE LITERACY KITS

10 STUDENT KIT	25 STUDENT KIT
2 literacy teacher guides	2 literacy teacher guides
10 student portfolios	25 student portfolios
1 copy of each instructional poster	1 copy of each instructional poster
2 teacher scoring guides	2 teacher scoring guides
You may choose to include: 10 student pre-tests 10 student post-tests	You may choose to include: 25 student pre-tests 25 student post-tests

What is included in a math kit?

RISING 1ST-2ND GRADE MATH KITS

10 STUDENT KIT	25 STUDENT KIT
2 math teacher guides	2 math teacher guides
10 student portfolios	25 student portfolios
10 student pre-tests	25 student pre-tests
10 student post-tests	25 student post-tests
2 teacher assessment scoring guides	2 teacher assessment scoring guides

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Do I need to order both literacy and math kits for each grade level?

It is not mandatory to purchase print literacy and math curriculum kits for each grade level!

What if I don't have 10 or 25 students in a class?

Please purchase any combination of sets in order to meet your enrollment needs.

If I purchase the Rising 1st and 2nd grade literacy kits, do I need to purchase RedThread RISE Readers separately?

No, RedThread RISE Readers are included in the Rising 1st and Rising 2nd grade literacy kits.

Do Rising 3-9 literacy and math kits include printed pre- and post-assessments?

We recommend students in rising 3rd - 9th grade take the assessments on our digital platform, LinkIt, however we do provide the option to purchase printed assessments.

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PRINTED CURRICULUM ORDERING QUESTIONS

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Can I purchase the print curriculum materials with a credit card?

Yes, the storefront supports credit card purchases. Please note there will be an additional 3% credit card processing fee added at check out.

Can I purchase the print curriculum materials using a Purchase Order?

Yes, the storefront supports quote generation and purchase order purchases.

When can we expect delivery?

For orders submitted by the end of April, the RISE curriculum will be shipped in early May 2026. After early May, orders submitted will be shipped using ground shipping and may take up to two weeks for delivery.

Can I purchase the printed RISE Curriculum to be sent to multiple locations?

Currently the storefront supports one delivery location for each order. As such, partners with multiple locations/sites can either submit one order for all sites with one delivery location and internally manage distribution to each site or submit separate orders for each site.

What is the shipping cost?

The shipping cost varies depending on order size and shipping destination. This cost is calculated at check out.

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REDTHREAD RISE READERS QUESTIONS

(For Rising 1st-2nd Literacy Students):

What are RedThread RISE Readers and which curriculum component do they accompany?

RedThread RISE Readers are decodable texts written and published by Lavinia Group for our RISE Summer School curriculum! They are used within the RedThread RISE Foundations block and are also intended for students to take home so they can continue applying their phonics skills and build their at-home reading collection.

Are we required to purchase the RedThread RISE Readers?

Yes, these texts are integral to the RedThread RISE Foundations curriculum for rising 1st and 2nd-grade students.

Where do we buy the RedThread RISE Readers?

RedThread RISE Readers are only available for purchase [HERE](#).

Are the same texts used for both rising 1st and rising 2nd grade students?

No; each grade level has eight texts, which make up a set, aligned to reading standards appropriate for that grade level.

How many texts come in a set?

There are two purchasing options for each grade level: a set of 10 (for a total of 80 individual books) or a set of 25 (for a total of 200 books).

What if I don't have 10 or 25 students in a class?

Please purchase any combination of sets in order to meet your enrollment needs.

What if I won't know how many rising 1st or rising 2nd grade students we have in our program until much closer to the program start date?

We recommend submitting your order as soon as possible using your best estimate for enrollment.

Do teachers need a copy of the RedThread RISE Readers?

Yes, we recommend that teachers have their own copies of the RedThread RISE Readers for intellectual preparation and planning purposes.

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Will we be able to access digital versions of the RedThread RISE Readers on the RISE Portal?

No, there will not be digital versions available on the RISE Portal.

What if we need more of the RedThread RISE Readers during our summer school program?

You can order during your program; however, the printer cannot guarantee expedited delivery, so we advise you to order in advance.

Can extra RedThread RISE Readers be returned?

No. However, we recommend using any additional texts during small group lessons, phonics instructions throughout the school year, or to save for usage in future summers.



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