

# DK SUPER Readers

## Reading is my Superpower



Coming Spring  
2023!



# Enter the wonderful world of nonfiction!

DK Super Readers is an evolution of the ever popular DK Readers series which have sold over **600,000** copies.

For readers aged **3 to 11**, the series explores the exciting world of dinosaurs, animals, natural wonders and more! All while developing vital nonfiction reading skills.

Each title integrates science and social studies topics.

Includes new online support for educators and parents, in line with current best practice in teaching reading.

The **Five Levels** increase in complexity and developmental appropriateness.

Power up your nonfiction reading skills and knowledge, and become a reading hero.



- Pre-level** **Learning to Read** For children ready to enter the world of reading. Introduces children to the wonder of nonfiction.
- Level 1** **Beginning to Read** For children beginning to read with help. Builds vocabulary through a nonfiction world of amazing facts.
- Level 2** **Beginning to Read Independently** For children beginning to read independently. Expands subject knowledge and vocabulary for young readers who want to learn more about the world around them.
- Level 3** **Reading Independently** For newly independent readers ready to advance. Motivates children to improve their nonfiction reading skills and understand more about exciting topics.
- Level 4** **Reading Confidently** For confident readers who are ready for a challenge. Challenges young readers to broaden their subject knowledge and hone their nonfiction reading skills.

# MetaMetrics®: The Lexile® Framework for Reading



The Lexile Framework for Reading is a scientific approach to measuring both reading ability and the difficulty of materials on the same developmental scale.

Reading materials get a measure based on factors such as their vocabulary and complexity. Children receive a Lexile reader measure from an assessment at school. Over 35 million students in all 50 states have been given Lexile measures.

A Lexile measure is an important tool to help find reading materials to match and challenge a child's ability. It also helps teachers personalize learning by providing the best books to boost academic progress and success.

All **DK Super Readers** tiles have a Lexile reader measure. The table below shows the **Lexile range** for each of our levels.

DK Super Reader Level	Lexile range
<b>Pre-level</b>	BR40-300L
<b>1</b>	310L-490L
<b>2</b>	500L-610L
<b>3</b>	620L-790L
<b>4</b>	800L-1010L





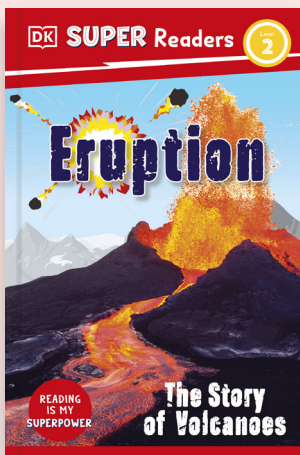
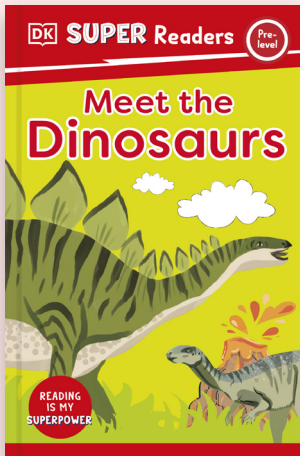
# DK Super Readers Empowers Children

\* Titles/Series can be purchased using Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) funds.

Stanford researchers found reading fluency among U.S. second- & third-graders to be around **30 percent below** average. **DK Super Readers\*** is here to **get learners back on track**. The benefits of nonfiction reading include becoming more knowledgeable and developing a thirst for learning as well as improving cognitive knowledge acquisition, concentration, information gathering, critical thinking and study skills.

The beautifully designed DK Super Readers series:

- ★ covers engaging, motivating, curriculum-aligned topics.
- ★ provides carefully leveled content using the **MetaMetrics Lexile Framework**.
- ★ perfectly supplements core literacy programs.
- ★ builds knowledge while progressing reading skills.
- ★ develops subject vocabulary.
- ★ gradually introduces features for using nonfiction.
- ★ boosts understanding and retention through comprehension quizzes.
- ★ includes six English-Spanish bilingual titles for Pre-level and Level 1 to actively learn either target language while enjoying the wonderful world of nonfiction.



# Look inside!

Progression of subject vocabulary, fonts and introduction of key nonfiction features, such as illustrated contents pages, glossaries, indexes, labelled diagrams and illustrations, fact call-outs and information panels have been carefully considered by experts in this field.

Pre-level



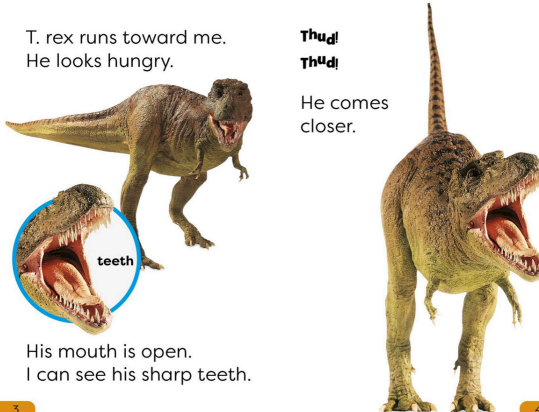
Come and play with me.  
How many colors can you see?

green yellow pink  
blue purple red

T. rex runs toward me.  
He looks hungry.

**Thud!**  
**Thud!**

He comes closer.



teeth

His mouth is open.  
I can see his sharp teeth.

Level 2

### Frog Gallery

There are more than 4,000 kinds of frogs. They are different shapes, sizes, and colors.

**Malayan leaf frogs** look like leaves. This helps them to hide on the forest floor and hunt for food.

**Common frogs** live near ponds and in tall grass.

**Mossy frogs** look just like moss when they hide in rocks.

**Poison dart frogs** bright colors say "I'm poison!"

**Mantellas** are found in many different colors.

**Red-eyed tree frogs** scare enemies with their big, red eyes.

**Tarantula**

This hairy skin was new yesterday. I have to change it often, because I quickly grow out of it. When I feel cramped in my skin, I pump myself up so that it cracks. I pull myself out and there's a new skin underneath. It is called molting and it's like pulling fingers out of a glove. I can't defend myself while I do it, so I seal up my burrow with silk to keep out enemies.

Yes! I'm big and hairy. So what? Spiders cannot shave. Besides, the hairs keep us warm and protect us. They sense vibrations when enemies are close.

*A tarantula pulling itself out of its old skin.*

Level 4

### THE TOY HELICOPTER

1876

Wilbur and Orville Wright couldn't wait to see the surprise their father had brought home for them.  
"Here it is, boys!"  
Their father tossed a small toy into the air. Instead of falling, the toy rose up toward the ceiling. Wilbur and Orville watched in amazement.  
"It flies!" exclaimed Orville.  
"But how does it fly?" Wilbur wondered.

The two brothers studied the toy helicopter and discovered that it was powered by twisting a rubber band. As they let the helicopter go, the rubber band unwound, causing the propeller to spin quickly and the helicopter to fly in the air. As the propeller slowed down, the helicopter wobbled, then fell to the ground. "Let's make our own helicopters, Orville," Wilbur suggested.  
So the boys experimented with their own versions of the toy helicopter. They found that the bigger the helicopter was, the quicker it fell to the ground.  
Later, while inventing the first airplane, the Wright brothers would remember the toy helicopters that were their first flying machines.

**Rubber band** When you stretch or twist a rubber band, it uses force in order to spring back to its usual size. The brothers' helicopter used a twisted rubber band at its center. The boys called their toy helicopters "hubs".

**Wilbur Wright** was born on August 16, 1867. He was hard-working and enjoyed sports.

**Orville Wright** was born on August 19, 1871. As a child, he was often very mischievous. These photos were taken in 1876.

"The captions and the side bar information adds more detail and I think is perfect for kids reading this level"

- Dr. Jennifer Albro  
(Reading Specialist)

# Explore Further Online

Accessed via a **QR code** on the back cover or a link in the eBook, there is a wealth of materials to enhance the learning journey. These resources will also help educators with parent engagement and encourage home-reading.

## For Parents

Reading guides with tips and ideas for reading with children (English, Spanish and Arabic versions)

Level descriptors

Printable games and activities

Reward charts

Reading Record

Seasonal reading challenges with badges



## For Educators

Lesson plans written by expert authors for each level. Divided into areas of study - phonics, reading skills, vocabulary, and writing.

Comprehension quizzes

Level descriptors

Mapping and curriculum alignment documents

Certificates of achievement (number of hours, titles, levels)

Word lists

Seasonal reading challenges with badges

Lexile information for each title will be available on the website

All titles are also available as eBooks!



# DK Super Readers Series

Format: 228 x 150mm MSRP: \$14.99 (HB) \$4.99 (PB)

## ★ March 2023

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