



Lexile Levels by Grade, and Codes

The following Lexile Levels are appropriate to each grade, as shown below:

Lexile Text Range	Grade Levels
190L-530L	1
420L-650L	2
520L-820L	3
740L-940L	4
830L-1010L	5
925L-1070L	6
970L-1120L	7
1010L-1185L	8
1050L-1260L	9
1080L-1335L	10
1185L-1385L	11-12

Some Lexile levels have codes assigned for further information about readability, as explained below:

AD: Adult Directed	better when read aloud to a student rather than having the student read independently
NC: Non-Conforming	good for high ability readers who still need age appropriate content
HL: High-Low	content to engage older students who need materials that are less complex and at a lower reading level
IG: Illustrated Guide	nonfiction materials often used for reference
GN: Graphic Novel	graphic novels or comic books
BR: Beginning Reader	appropriate for emerging readers with a Lexile reader measure below OL
NP: Non-Prose	poems, plays, songs, recipes and text with nonstandard or absent punctuation