

Characteristics of Emergent Readers Levels A-B

- Become aware of print
- Use meaning and language in simple texts
- Hear sounds in words
- Recognize and name some letters
- Use information from pictures
- Make connections between printed words and student names
- Notice spaces between words
- Read orally
- Match one spoken word to one printed word while reading 1 or 2 lines of text
- Use spaces and some visual information to check on reading
- Read left to right
- Recognize a few high frequency words
- Begin to identify some letter sounds and match them to letters