

# GO! TWERL Phonics and Tween Emergent Readers

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SET (INCREASES WITH DIFFICULTY)	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	
<p><b>What you can expect with these books:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Designed to develop specific decoding skills (see below for skills in leveled sets)</li> <li>Engaging storylines are tween-centric and represent a wide variety of genres</li> <li>Dynamic full-color photos</li> <li>Short in length</li> </ul> <p><b>Prior Knowledge</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Teachers will benefit from an assessment which informs which set and level to start with</li> </ul>	<p><b>Level 1</b></p> <p>CVC, plural -s, inflectional ending -s, sight words</p>	<p><b>Level 2</b></p> <p>All level 1 skills PLUS hard/soft c and g, CVCC words, sight words</p>	<p><b>Level 3</b></p> <p>All level 1 and 2 skills PLUS open syllable long vowels in single syllable words, CVCe, consonant vowels, y used as a vowel (pronounced long e or ñ), sight words</p>	
	<p><b>Level 4</b></p> <p>All levels 1-3 skills PLUS long vowels in CCVe where the first two consonants are a blend, sight words</p>	<p><b>Level 5</b></p> <p>All levels 1-4 skills PLUS final consonant blends, common long vowel pairs, and change y to i and add -es to make plural</p>	<p><b>Level 6</b></p> <p>All levels 1-5 skills PLUS beginning, middle, and final consonant digraphs, (ph and gh with /f/ sound), silent letters, plural endings for base words (s, ss, ch, sh, x, or z), sight words</p>	<p><b>Level 9</b></p> <p>All levels 1-8 skills PLUS multisyllabic words with VCV and consonant + le patterns, words with the schwa sound (singular and multisyllabic), words that end in schwa + r, contractions, and singular possessives</p>
	<p><b>Level 7</b></p> <p>All levels 1-6 skills PLUS vowel digraphs and r-controlled vowels, sight words</p>	<p><b>Level 8</b></p> <p>All levels 1-7 skills PLUS vowel diphthongs, compound words, and -ed and -ing endings, sight words</p>	<p><b>Level 9</b></p> <p>All levels 1-8 skills PLUS multisyllabic words with VCV and consonant + le patterns, words with the schwa sound (singular and multisyllabic), words that end in schwa + r, contractions, and singular possessives</p>	
	<p><b>Below are emergent reader libraries.</b></p> <p><b>What you can expect with these books:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The look of a novel, but accessible for emergent readers</li> <li>Enticing fiction and non-fiction topics supported by dynamic, full-color photographs</li> <li>Highlighted words and phrases to support comprehension and build fluency</li> <li>Builds critical reading skills: comprehension, vocabulary, and fluency</li> </ul> <p><b>Prior Knowledge</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will benefit from being able to decode most words</li> </ul>			
<p><b>GO! Emerge [1]</b></p>	<p>This set is designed for struggling readers in <b>grades 4-8</b>. These materials focus on <b>early literacy skills by incorporating sight words and high-interest, low-level (Hi-Lo) content to engage readers</b>. The collection offers a range of books that <b>help tweens build foundational reading skills</b> while maintaining <b>age-appropriate topics and formats</b>. This set has a reading level equivalent to <b>grades 0-0.5 and Lexile scores from BR to HL20L</b>. The goal is to make reading accessible and enjoyable for students who are at an emergent level, helping them develop confidence in their literacy journey.</p>			
<p><b>GO! Engage [2]</b></p>	<p>The set is aimed at <b>grades 4-8</b>, offering engaging <b>fiction and nonfiction</b> designed for emergent readers. It focuses on <b>sight words and vocabulary</b>, with content that appeals to tweens, motivating struggling readers to keep reading. With a reading level equivalent to <b>grades 0.6-1.0</b> and Lexile scores from BR to HL130L, this set provides essential literacy support for developing readers.</p>			
<p><b>GO! Excel [3]</b></p>	<p>This collection is designed to support students in <b>grades 4-8</b> who are reading at beginner levels (<b>approximately grades 1.1 to 1.5</b>). This set offers engaging <b>fiction and nonfiction</b> materials that focus on emergent <b>sight words</b> and are structured to promote <b>vocabulary growth and reading fluency</b>. With Lexile levels ranging from 80L to 190L, the texts aim to help struggling readers build foundational skills and confidence through age-appropriate content.</p>			