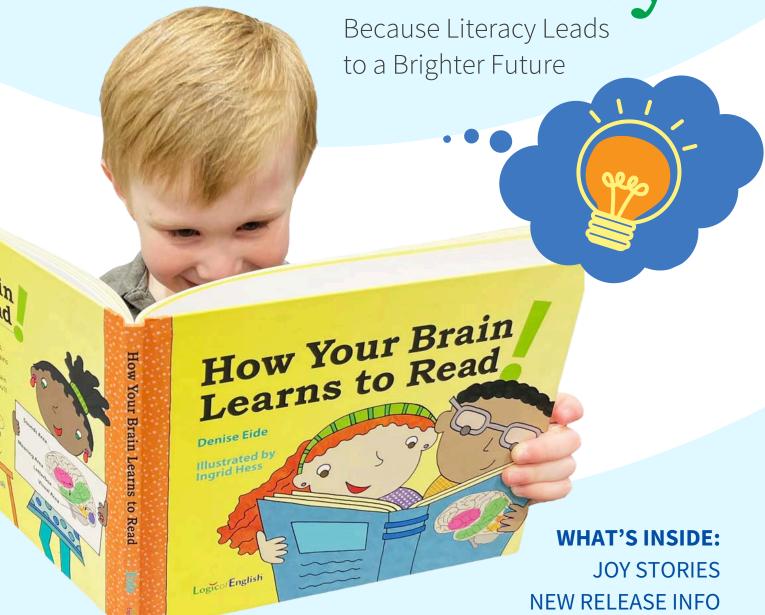
LogicofEnglish







FREE RESOURCES V

Table of Contents



3 Lighting the Way to Literacy

Together we can reverse the literacy crisis by teaching the tools that explain 98% of English words.

4 From Uncertainty to Understanding

Read about a reading specialist's firsthand experience with Logic of English®.

6 Phonograms & Spelling Rules

Phonograms are the key to unlocking English words. Spelling rules help to explain why words are spelled the way they are.

7 Phonogram Mastery Chart

Easily track your students' progress with this mastery chart!

8 Free Resources

Explore resources designed to help you teach reading, spelling, and handwriting with success.

9 FREE Online Training

Access our 2019 Teacher Training at no cost!

10 Introducing Make It Make Sense: Morphology

This new release empowers students to access the knowledge they need to grow their vocabulary!

12 Curriculum Overview

Explore our curriculum lines for all ages!

13 Joy Stories

Share in real-life celebrations from teachers and homeschooling families.

15 About Logic of English

Learn a bit about Logic of English and how to get in touch with us!

Lighting the Way to Literacy



Together, We Can Reverse the Literacy Crisis

Researchers have demonstrated that virtually all children can learn to read when using methods based on the Science of Reading. We believe everyone should have access to accurate phonograms and spelling rules, which are the key to decoding and spelling.

In 2000, the National Reading Panel reviewed over 100,000 studies and came to the conclusion that there are five essential skills to teach reading: phonemic awareness, systematic phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension. If these skills are incorporated into our language arts programs, our students will learn to read and write. Teaching letter-sound correspondences is the fastest way to develop the neural pathways associated with skilled reading.

When the phonograms and rules of English are taught in a systematic manner through solid, multimodality teaching methods that develop visual muscle memory, prevent reversals, and address the needs of all types of learners, we will be on our way to solving the literacy crisis for all its current victims and preventing it in future generations. The logic of English needs to be taught from the very beginning of every child's education so that everyone can succeed.

-Denise Eide

Problem: Many people think English is riddled with exceptions.

Solution: Teach the tools that explain 98% of English words!

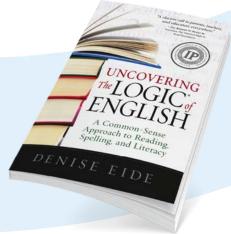


From Uncertainty to Understanding: Uncovering the Logic of English

by Laura Vance

When I was first handed a copy of Uncovering the Logic of English by my principal when I started working at a new school, I had been a reading specialist for several years. To be honest, my initial reaction was to be a little insulted. I thought, "How could there be anything about the English language that I don't already know?" But I was so wrong. By the halfway point of the book, I was in tears. I realized that despite my best efforts, I had missed fundamental aspects of teaching students to read in my career. This revelation hit hard, especially when I thought about my years teaching kindergarten.

"By the halfway point of the book, I was in tears."



I remember how my students and I would encounter questions about the English language. Why is the plural of 'moose' not 'meese' if the plural of 'goose' is 'geese'? Why do we say Y is sometimes a vowel? One question that became a defining moment in my teaching career was from a student named Gabby. She asked me why 'move' and 'love' looked like they should rhyme but didn't. I didn't have the answer, so I just told her, "Because English is the worst." That became our go-to response, almost like a coping mechanism, a way to handle the complexities and inconsistencies of the language without feeling defeated. Deep down, I knew it wasn't the right answer, but it was all I could give them.

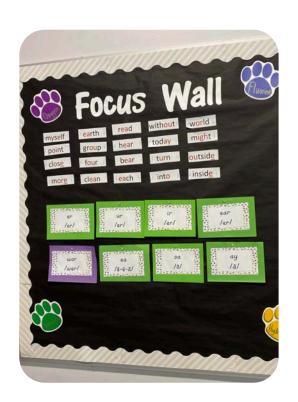
But then I read Uncovering the Logic of English, and it was a game-changer for me. It provided answers, rules, and explanations for the language that I had never known. I was so moved by my newfound knowledge about our language that I actually reached out to Gabby's mom.



I told her that I needed to share with Gabby that the letter O can make more than just the long and short sounds. Some words like "love" were actually spelled with a u in Old English. The sound short /ŭ/ is sometimes spelled with an 'o' because when books were copied by hand, words with too many vertical lines in a row, such as muther, wunder and luve, were difficult to read. I needed Gabby to know that I didn't have these answers when I was her teacher all those years ago, and for that, I was truly and profoundly sorry.

Gabby was in high school by this point and had no recollection of this specific question from kindergarten that had nagged at my brain for the last ten years. Even so, explaining the reasoning gave me a sense of relief. It felt like a redemption of sorts, finally being able to provide the answers that had eluded us for so long.

"I no longer saw English as an impossible puzzle but as a language with a rationale that can be understood with the right tools."



Reflecting on those years in the classroom, I realized that my dismissal of the language's complexity was an attempt to shield my students from feeling inadequate. I didn't want them to think that their misunderstandings were due to their own shortcomings as emerging readers. Labeling the language as "the worst" was my way of protecting them from feeling self-doubt. But Uncovering the Logic of English made it clear to me that the issue wasn't with the language itself; it was with how we taught it.

The book reshaped my approach to teaching reading. I no longer saw English as an impossible puzzle but as a language with a rationale that can be understood with the right tools. It's reassuring to know that we don't have to protect students by telling them that the language they are learning is flawed. Instead, we can equip them with the knowledge of how English works. By providing them with this understanding, we give them the confidence they need to master reading. And for that, this teacher's heart will be forever grateful.

Phonograms & Spelling Rules

Why do words like





Every syllable must have a written vowel.

Spelling rules work together with phonograms to unlock the code behind English words.



31 Spelling Rules

+ Resources for Systematic Instruction



75 Basic Phonograms

+ Free Interactive Chart With Audio & Video

My Phonogram | Mastery Chart |

75 Phonograms are at the core of Logic of English curriculum. Check off the phonograms as you master the sound or sounds each one makes.

☐ Vowels ☐ R-Controlled Vowels

Consonants



A-Z Phonograms

a	e	i *	0	u	y *				
b	C	d	f	g	h	j	k	1	m
n	p	qu	r	S	t	V	w	X	Z

*I and Y have 3 vowel sounds, /i-i-e/, and one consonant sound, /y/.

- 60
100
_
-
<u> </u>
0
4
4
4
r P
P
er P
er P
er P
ter P
ter P
tter P
tter P
tter P
etter P
etter P
etter P
Letter P
Letter P
Letter P
-Letter P
-Letter P
i-Letter P
i-Letter P
ti-Letter P
ti-Letter P
Iti-Letter P
Iti-Letter P
Ilti-Letter P
ulti-Letter P
ulti-Letter P
ulti-Letter P
Aulti-Letter P
Aulti-Letter P
Multi-Letter P
Multi-Letter P
Multi-Letter P

ai _	au _	augh	aw	ay		ee	ei	eigh	ew
ey	ie	igh	oa	oe	oi	00	ow	ou	ough
oy	ui								
ar	ear 	er	ir	or	ur	wor			
bu	cei	ch	ci	ck	dge	es	ed	gn	gu
kn	ng	ph	qu	sh	si	tch	th	ti	wh
wr									







Interactive Phonogram Chart



Phonemic Awareness
Games & Activities



Word Lists by Phonogram



Phonogram Songs



Sound Wall Template



Logic of English
YouTube Channel

Foundations



Progress Monitoring Checklists



Online Supplement Planning Guides



Take-Home Sets

Essentials



Progress Monitoring Checklists



Online Supplement Planning Guides



Take-Home Sets



Empowering Educators by Illuminating How English Works



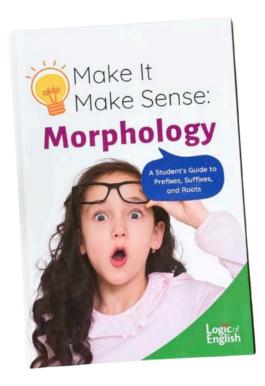
Our mission is to make English accessible to all learners! Our 2019 Teacher Training is available entirely online and entirely free! Use the video lectures, along with their corresponding notes and activities, to gain a better understanding of the English language by exploring topics like the Science of Reading, phonemic awareness, systematic phonics, and more! We hope that this information helps to support and transform your teaching practice. Session topics incude:

- Welcome
- · What is Reading?
- · The Five Strands of Reading
- Introduction to the Logic of English Curriculum
- Phonemic Awareness
- Systematic Phonics
- How To Teach Handwriting
- · Unit 1 Review
- Common Q+A Unit 1
- Phonograms Group 2
- Finger Spelling
- Consonants and Vowels
- Spelling Analysis: One-Syllable Words
- · The Science of Reading
- Word Challenge 1
- Fluency
- Unit 2 Review
- Phonograms Group 3

- Vowels, Syllables, and New Rules
- Spelling Analysis: Multisyllabic Words
- Schwa: The Lazy Vowel and Say-to-Spell
- Spelling Analysis: Multisyllabic Words with Schwa
- Vocabulary
- Word Challenge 3
- Unit 3 Review
- Common Q+A Unit 3
- Reading Comprehension
- Assessments and Mastery
- Composition
- Grammar
- High-Frequency Words
- Logic of English Readers
- Literacy Statistics
- Course Wrap-Up

Access this FREE Training on our website! https://logicofenglish.com/pages/training-2019-part-1





Introducing Make It Make Sense: Morphology

A Student's Guide to Prefixes, Suffixes, and Roots

English is a morphophonemic language which means it is a balance of sound and meaning. One of the key ways to strengthen vocabulary skills is by learning the meaning of morphemes!

When you learn the sounds of the phonograms, you can apply those sounds to many words. For example, once you know B says /b/, you know words like boy, bus, butter, or beautiful start with the letter B.

Likewise, when you learn the meaning of a morpheme, you can apply that knowledge to many words! Learning just one morpheme — like geo, meaning earth — opens the door to understanding new words such as:

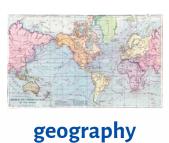
Geography (the study of the Earth's surface)

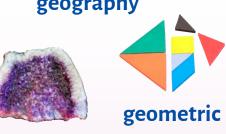
Geode (a rock formation with crystals inside, formed in the earth)

Geometric (relating to shapes and figures, often measured from the earth's surface)

Geology (the study of the earth's structure and history)

When students can identify the morpheme geo, they begin to see patterns and make the meaningful connection that all of these words have something to do with the earth. These connections help infer word meanings and support orthographic mapping — the process by which words become stored in long-term memory for fluent reading and vocabulary growth.











Make It Make Sense: Morphology not only introduces students to morphology concepts like prefixes, suffixes, and roots, but it also serves as a visual guide to over 50 of the most common English morphemes. It empowers students to access the knowledge they need to quickly grow their own vocabulary!

With engaging photos and common examples, students can quickly look up the meaning of different morphemes they may want to know more about!

Free Morpheme Worksheets

Students can practice their morpheme knowledge by using our free, downloadable activities! These activities allow students to practice matching definitions to morphemes, discover the meaning of words by relying on the morphemes in those words, and see how words change when new morphemes are added to words.

Shop Make It Make Sense: Morphology and download free activities on our website!











Easy-to-use tools for a joy-filled learning experience!



Foundations

Phonics, Spelling, Grammar, Vocabulary & Handwriting Curriculum



Rhythm Handwriting



Available in Cursive or Manuscript



Essentials

Phonics, Spelling, Grammar & Vocabulary Curriculum







Game + Sounding Out the Sight Words

Phonics, Reading, Spelling and Vocabulary Mini Lessons & Games for All Ages!









Real-Life Celebrations from Teachers and Homeschooling Families



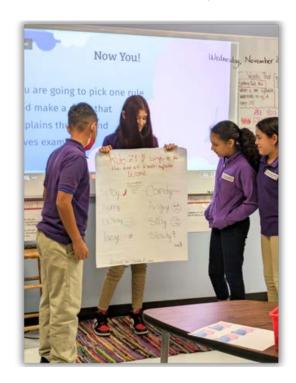
"My mother tongue is Spanish, and I know that I would not have been able to teach my daughter how to read in English without the tools given to us by LOE Foundations." - Alejandra

Foundations

Foundations

Logico English

"As a mother of two, teaching my son to read has been one of my biggest fears! LOE has been a game changer for my family. My son loves the short, bite-sized lessons. If you have the same fear as I once had, DO IT SCARED!" - **Donmetra, LOE User**



"Today I took my 5 year old kindergartner to a reading specialist for an assessment and see what my daughter's reading level is. The reading specialist was impressed: My daughter reads at a mid-1st grade level! My mother tongue is Spanish, and I know that I would not have been able to teach my daughter how to read in English without the tools given to us by LOE Foundations... Thank you for creating such an incredible program!" - Alejandra, LOE User







"I love using the online supplement alongside our Foundations lessons. The activities are fun and interactive and do a great job reinforcing the things we are learning. The video instruction is also a huge help to me. It solidifies my own understanding of the concepts and provides an opportunity for the information to be presented in a new way. So thankful for this option!"

- Brianna, LOE User



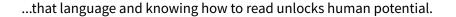
"Logic of English is my favorite subject to teach. It is so well laid out with the right balance of games, worksheets, online videos, and books." - **Emily, LOE User**





About Logic of English

Logic of English provides educators with the knowledge and tools needed to understand and teach accurate spelling rules and phonograms so that their students can decode, become empowered to read and spell, and thrive as learners. We believe...



...that English is a complex language that can be explained.

...that everyone deserves to know how English works.

...in the body of research that illuminates how people learn to read.

...it is possible to improve literacy rates and bring about a shift in the cultural understanding of English.





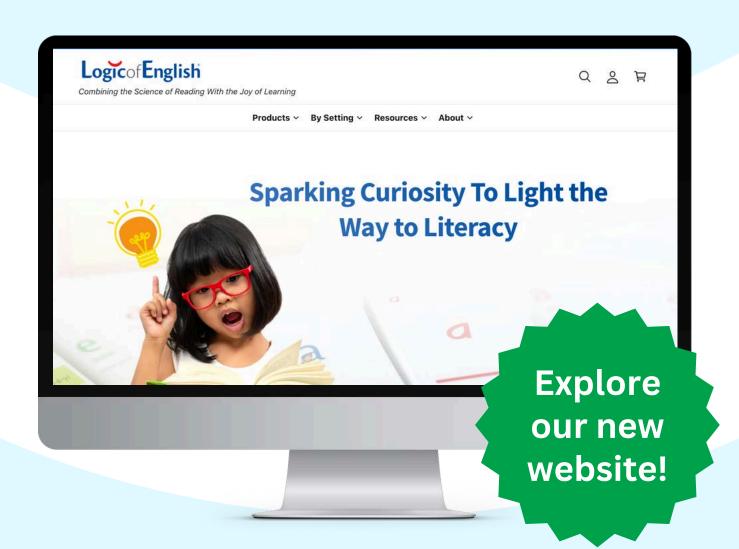
Contact Us

Customer Support: 1-612-808-0585 logicofenglish.com/pages/contact-us

Mailing Address: 4865 19th Street NW, Suite 130 Rochester, MN 55901-6791



Combining the Science of Reading with the Joy of Learning





www.LogicofEnglish.com