
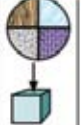



Improving literacy skills and attainment levels

Read&Write GOLD FOR SCHOOLS is Texthelp's leading literacy support software designed to assist pupils with dyslexia, literacy difficulties and English as a Second Language. The software will assist pupils with reading, writing, comprehension and research and is proven to raise attainment levels.

NEW Features include:

- ✓ Picture Dictionary to improve comprehension
- ✓ Verb Checker to identify correct verb conjugations
- ✓ Vocabulary Tool to expand vocabulary
- ✓ Enhanced Text-to-Speech on any text
- ✓ Enhanced Speech Maker for converting text to audio
- ✓ Enhanced Spelling, Homophone and Confusable words

Vocabulary List			
Date	21/12/2010		
Word	Meaning	Symbol	Notes
volcano	A mountain with a large hole in the top out of which gas and lava sometimes burst, or used to burst in the past. "The volcano erupted and destroyed an entire town".		
surface	The outer or top layer. "She wiped the surface of the table".		
earth	The planet that we live on. "Earth is very pretty from space".		

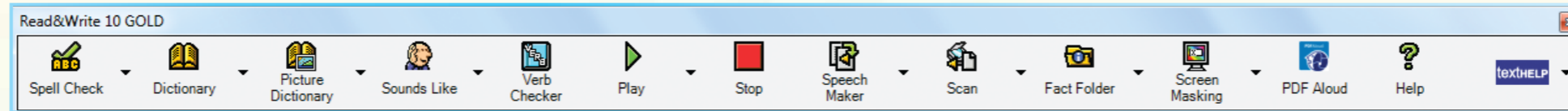
"We have been using Read&Write GOLD software to support pupils at the school for ten years now and I know it has made such a difference to so many pupils over that time. Text-to-speech is important as it allows dyslexic pupils to proof read their work and correct anything that doesn't sound quite right."

Stephanie Thomas, Head of School's Learning Support Dept, Dean Close School, Cheltenham

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Read&Write GOLD FOR SCHOOLS

Read&Write GOLD for Schools provides pupils with a unique set of tools to assist them with learning in the classroom and at home. The software helps pupils to improve their reading skills, to enhance the accuracy of their writing and to organise research for school projects.



Reading



Play

Read&Write GOLD reads text aloud and highlights each word as it is spoken. The high quality voices are human sounding and customisable. Paper documents can be scanned into a variety of formats, and then can be read aloud using text-to-speech. Screen tinting options are also available to assist with tracking and prevent glare from the screen.



Scan



Screen Masking

Comprehension



Dictionary

The talking dictionary in Read&Write GOLD allows pupils to find definitions of words quickly and easily. It also provides alternative words to help pupils expand their vocabulary. The picture dictionary provides a visual image to identify the meaning of an unknown word.



Picture Dictionary

Accuracy



Verb Checker

The verb checker provides verb tables for more than 1,500 verbs and helps pupils find the correct verb conjugation. The word prediction tool also improves accuracy by suggesting words as the pupil is writing.



Prediction

Writing



Spell Check

Read&Write GOLD solves complex spelling and homophone errors, including phonetic mistakes. Dictionary definitions are provided allowing pupils to learn from their errors whilst improving the quality of their work.



Sounds Like

Organisation



Fact Folder

Read&Write GOLD has excellent study skills tools to assist any pupil to fulfil research projects independently. Pupils can store images and text from the web into their Fact Folder, and use it to organise their material, before producing a Word document with an automatic bibliography included. The Fact Mapper is an easy way of getting ideas down quickly by brainstorming them into a mind map.



Fact Mapper

Flexibility



Speech Maker

Read&Write GOLD promotes flexible learning by converting text into sound files, allowing pupils to access information on the move. This is an excellent tool for slower readers. The software can be used both in School and at home.

Read&Write GOLD for Schools will generate:

- ✓ Increased pupil attainment levels
- ✓ Improved quality of pupils' work
- ✓ Better support for EAL/ESL learners
- ✓ Enhanced pupil confidence & self-esteem
- ✓ An inclusive learning environment
- ✓ Activity logs showing progress





Texthelp Systems provides the following support:

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Read&Write 10 GOLD for Schools is available:

- **On a disk**
(single or multiple copies)



- **On a USB keydrive**
(single or multiple copies)



- **On your School network**
(site licence)



- **In School and at Home**
(School & Home licence)



“Assistive technology such as Read&Write GOLD is transforming our students’ ability to consistently produce high quality written work, whereas they may have previously struggled to construct a single paragraph. We emphasise the importance of regular testing and reviewing students’ progress to identify hidden learning disabilities, whilst recognising the vital role that Read&Write GOLD can have in supporting them.”

Peter Trythall, Headmaster, Stanbridge Earls School, Romsey

Minimum System Requirements:

- Pentium 4 1.8GHz Processor
(Recommended: Pentium 4 2.4GHz or greater)
- 512 MB RAM (Recommended: 1 GB RAM or greater)
- 2 GB Free Disk Space
- Windows XP SP3 or Above
- Sound Card
- Good Quality Speakers
- Microphone (for Speech Input)
- DVD Player (for Install purposes only)

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