Proven Method. Proven Results.

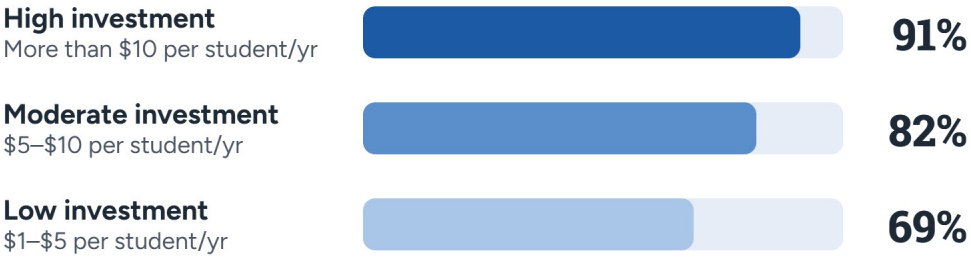
GRADES K–6

MEETS ESSA LEVEL 3

Zaner-Bloser Handwriting

Zaner-Bloser Handwriting works. New research from Alabama shows the results. Under **Lexi's Law (2016)**, Alabama public schools must teach cursive by the end of Grade 3 and report Grade 3 handwriting proficiency each year—the data behind this study.

The Evidence: More investment in Handwriting, more proficient writers.



Percent of Grade 3 students proficient in handwriting, Spring 2023, by each school's annual per-student investment in Zaner-Bloser Handwriting (2019–2022). Correlational study.

Zaner-Bloser Handwriting

Click Here For AL Research Study

4,759
Grade 3 students in 54 Alabama schools

+22 points
Proficiency gap between high- and low-investment schools

18%
Greater likelihood of proficiency with each added $1 per student per year

The Zaner-Bloser Method

Proven to help students write fluently, legibly, and confidently in just 15 minutes per day.

Method At-a-Glance

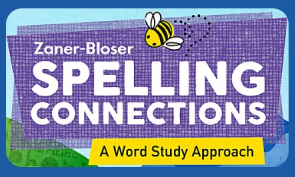
- ✓ Daily systematic instruction
- ✓ Simple, student-friendly language
- ✓ Consistent sequence of instruction
- ✓ Colorful Student Edition workbooks and interactive Handwriting Quests
- ✓ Slanted cursive that's easy to write and read
- ✓ Real-world opportunities to practice and apply writing skills

Instruction That's More Than Core

Most core reading programs weren't designed to deliver the explicit instruction, robust daily practice, and self-assessment Zaner-Bloser provides. Multisensory print materials and integrated technology engage every student.



More Awesome Literacy Support From Zaner-Bloser



Spelling Connections builds spelling-pattern knowledge alongside phonics, morphology, and vocabulary.

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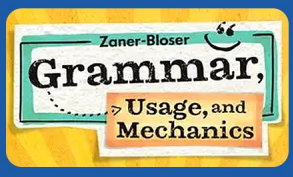

Grammar, Usage, and Mechanics delivers 15-minute lessons for Grades 2–5, with handwriting practiced in every unit.

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Turn Over for Math Support: Whole Class, Small Group, and Intervention →

ZANER-BLOSER MATH SOLUTIONS · GRADES K–5 · ENGLISH & SPANISH

Math Support for Every Learner

KICKSTART Math Intervention

Confidence in Numbers!

Scripted lessons use hands-on manipulatives, visual models, and partner talk to rebuild the prerequisite skills students need to thrive in their core curriculum.

60 days to complete 1 stage

20 minute lessons for push-in or pull-out groups

6 students per small group

3 skills-specific programs for Grades K–5

0 math expertise required to facilitate

FULLY SCRIPTED DAILY MATH INTERVENTION



A staged, skills-specific path

- ✓ **Placement:** a quick test puts each student in the right stage
- ✓ **Progress monitoring:** built-in checks show when students are ready to move on
- ✓ **Non-linear path:** targeted stages follow each student's needs, not one fixed sequence

Kickstart: Counting and Number Sense

Supports Grades PreK–3 skills

One-to-one correspondence, counting, subitizing, place value, adding, subtracting, and regrouping

Kickstart: Operations

Supports Grades 3–5 skills

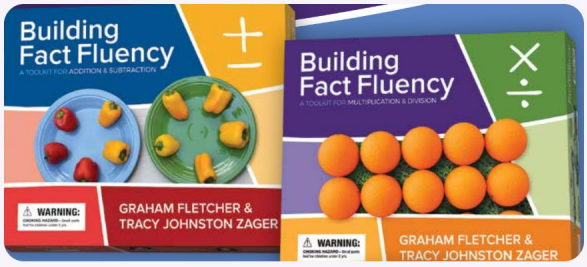
Place value, comparison, rounding, decimals, and adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing

Kickstart: Fractions

Supports Grades 3–5 skills

Equivalent fractions, mixed numbers, common denominators, least common multiples, and fraction operations

Building Fact Fluency



"Every time my students uncover a new strategy, they build their fluency and become flexible number thinkers."

—Laura Vizdos Tomas, K–5 Math Coach, Palm Beach County, FL

WHOLE CLASS & SMALL GROUP FACT FLUENCY · GRADES K–5

Fluency through real-world contexts

By Graham Fletcher & Tracy Johnston Zager

Each research-based toolkit teaches every strategy through three real-world contexts, with Image, Tool, and Number Talks, 3-Act Math Tasks, and games, so students build understanding and fluency together.

Who it's for: an ideal supplement to any curriculum

- ✓ K–5+ classrooms
- ✓ English language learners
- ✓ After school, summer school, and tutoring
- ✓ Intervention
- ✓ Special education

Addition & Subtraction Toolkit

Grades K–2 · 7 strategies

Sums within 5; plus and minus 0, 1, 2; combinations for 10; 10 and some more; doubles; near doubles; and pretend-10/make-10

Multiplication & Division Toolkit

Grades 3–5 · 10 factor sets

2s, 10s, 5s, 4s, 3s, 6s, 9s, 8s, 7s, and squares and near squares, with 0s and 1s woven throughout

Learn more: zaner-bloser.com/building-fact-fluency

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