



A K-1 EARLY READING INTERVENTION

What is BUILD?

To meet the needs of the K-1 students who have been identified as risk for dyslexia, the staff of the Luke Waites Center for Dyslexia and Learning Disorders at Scottish Rite for Children has developed a 100-lesson reading intervention called *BUILD: A K-1 Early Reading Intervention*. *BUILD* is a small group intervention that addresses five specific components of reading intervention. Each component is taught developmentally using a direct, systematic, cumulative, multisensory method of introduction and practice to meet the specific needs of Kindergarten and first grade students struggling in reading.

The Five Components are:

- 1. Alphabet:** the identification of letters, sequencing skills and alphabetizing.
- 2. Letter/sound knowledge:** the direct instruction of individual letters and sounds, leading to the practice of reading words and sentences.
- 3. Phonological awareness:** the explicit introduction of the relationship between speech-sound production, from rhyme to spelling.
- 4. Vocabulary:** the direct teaching of strategies using context clues to infer the meaning of unfamiliar words.
- 5. Comprehension:** the explicit teaching of specific learning strategies used to identify the basic components of a story.

Who may attend BUILD training?

Any certified teacher, dyslexia interventionist, or CALT is eligible to attend *BUILD* Training and implement this intervention with K-1 students.

What is the cost?

The Shelton training session is \$250. The *BUILD* kits are offered through the Scottish Rite for Children portal for \$750 paid directly to Scottish Rite. Total cost of training is \$1,000.

****The purchase of a kit is required to attend BUILD Training.**** Kit Includes Download of teacher book, unlimited download of student books, the 4 decks, 5 w-charts, and 7 alphabet strips.

When will the BUILD training be offered?

***Shelton online registration available August**
Shelton will offer one-day trainings on:

Wednesday, September 7, 2022

- onsite in person

Wednesday, September 14, 2022

- online only - synchronous

Wednesday, September 28, 2022

- onsite in person

****Please remember the purchase of a BUILD kit is required to attend training.****

For more information see links below:

[Build TSRH Flyer](#)

[How to Order Build Kits](#)

[TSRH Build Video](#)

****Registration for Shelton Build training will open August 25, 2022.**