Vocabulary Workshop™ Achieve (Grades 6-12+) is a research-based vocabulary program that teaches **two sets of 10** words in each unit. Words are taught in context to promote deep word knowledge, word learning strategies, word consciousness, and critical thinking. *Achieve* chunks **300 high-utility words per level into two sets of 10** per unit to allow for purposeful focus on fewer words to deepen understanding of each word's meaning. Students experience multiple exposures in a variety of exercises and interactive games. Digital resources include differentiated passages and audio support for pronunciation, meaning and use in a sentence.

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Input Strategies

- Systematic explicit and direct instruction
- Unit-driven high utility word lists
- Words introduced in context – informational text passages
- Meaningful discussion of nuances of meaning
- Multiple exposures and opportunities to apply vocabulary
- Vocabulary learning skills, e.g., Word Study
- Ongoing assessment
- Exposure to leading standardized test format

Input Components

Student Edition (print/interactive)
Annotated Teacher Edition (print/digital)
Online Assessment System
Unit Test Prep Booklet with Answer Key
Standardized Test Prep Booklet with Answer Key
Professional Development
Digital Resources on SadlierConnect.com

Activities

Students build deep knowledge through multiple exposures using a variety of exercises, interactive games, and digital resources.

Unit Practice and Application
- Unit Passage and Differentiated passage (with audio, Set A and Set B)
- Definitions (Set A and Set B)
- Using Context (Set A and Set B)
- Choosing the Right Word (Set A and Set B)
- Completing the Sentence (Set A and Set B)
- Synonyms/Antonyms (Sets A & B combined)
- Writing: Words in Action (Set A & B combined)
- Vocabulary in Context

Review Units (Every three Units)
- Vocabulary for Comprehension Part 1: Test Prep
- Vocabulary for Comprehension Part 2: Test Prep
- Synonyms
- Two-Word Completions

Word Study (Every three Units)
- Idioms
- Classical Roots
- Denotation and Connotation

Cumulative Review(Every three Units)
- Cumulative Test
- Two-Word completion

Digital Resources on SadlierConnect.com
- Unit Passage and Differentiated Passage (with audio)
- Definitions/Instructional Videos (IE, Set A, Set B)
- Vocabulary in Context
- Unit Test
- Games and Study Aids
- Interactive graphic organizers
- Word Structure: Greek and Latin Roots
- Pronunciation Key
- *iWords™*

Unit Review
- Standardized Test Prep
- Games and Study Aids
- Student Resources

Cumulative Review
- Cumulative Test

Assessments

Outputs

Number/type of completed activities
- Unit Passage and Differentiated Passages (with audio, Set A and Set B)
- Definitions/Instructional Videos (Set A and Set B)
- Using Context (Set A and Set B)
- Choosing the Right Word, (Set A and Set B)
- Completing the Sentence (Set A and Set B)
- Synonyms/Antonyms (Sets A & B combined)
- Writing: Words in Action (Set A & B combined)
- Vocabulary in Context

Number/type of completed Review Activities

Number/type of completed Word Study Activities

Number/type of completed Digital Resource Activities

Number of Unit Review

Number of Cumulative Review

Number/type of Assessments
- Beginning-of-Year Pre-Test
- Beginning-of-Year Diagnostic
- Unit Practice Test
- Unit Test
- Standardized Test Prep Exams
- Final Mastery Test
- End-of-Year Post-Test
- Customized Assessment (item bank)

Short-term Outcomes

Students develop:
- Increased knowledge of Tier 2 and 3 words
- Greater motivation to read from early success
- Ability to apply vocabulary acquisition strategies to new reading challenges
- Confidence to tackle unfamiliar words

Medium-term Outcomes

Students demonstrate:
- Deeper reading comprehension
- Greater conceptual understanding
- Enhanced higher-order critical thinking skills
- Improved performance on standardizes tests
- Improved communication skills

Long-term Outcomes

Students demonstrate:
- Comprehension of complex text
- Success in other courses through fluency with academic vocabulary
- Reinforcement of lifelong literacy skills: reading, writing, listening, and speaking

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