



VIDEO SCRIPT

SPOT: Kid Accuracy
Developing Reading Fluency
(accuracy)



Scene		Full Transcript
1	Lotso Mistakes:	Sk-skip-skipping, adding words some words, and mispronunking
	Ward:	What's that raucous? It's Lotso Mistakes and he's gotten his hand on the Secrets of Fluency Handbook. Ouch! His reading has so many errors; it's painful! Fluency Friends, I've identified reading filled with mistakes. Send help!
2	Kid Accuracy:	They call me Kid Accuracy because I get reading on target! This isn't the first time I've dealt with Lotso and all his mistakes. Ward, stand back and let's listen carefully.
3	Lotso Mistakes:	Sk-skip-skipping, adding words some words, and mispronunking Wh- Wha- What will heep help all this bumpy bumping and dowd da ba bunking An easy read is something all that you ned, "I'm flu-flu-ent, fluent!" soon you'll be annun-king, sing, annuncing.
4	Ward:	Everybody makes mistakes, but is Lotso Fluent?
5	Kid Accuracy:	Ward you are absolutely correct. Everyone stumbles from time to time while reading. Anyone who makes that many mistakes isn't fluent. Readers like Lotso are inaccurate. They lose their place. They omit words, insert words that aren't there, reverse the order of words or letters within words. Often, they substitute different words than what appears on the page. They even mispronounce words, so their reading sounds like non-sense!
6	Kid Accuracy:	These errors take up so much of the reader's energy and make it hard to comprehend the author's intended message. It causes confusion for listeners, too.
7	Kid Accuracy:	Then there are the readers whose only strategy for decoding words is sounding them out. They haven't learned to recognize words automatically. This lengthy process slows down their reading so they are not fluent.
8	Kid Accuracy:	An important guide to remember is that readers should be able to read with about 95% accuracy. That means reading 19 out of every 20 words they encounter accurately without help. If their reading falls below 90% accuracy, then the text is too hard. That means stumbling on more than one out of every ten words. Reading text that is too difficult not only frustrates the reader, it can actually cause their reading to worsen.
9	Ward:	How can I improve the accuracy of my reading?







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10	Kid Accuracy:	To increase accuracy, look carefully at the words on the page.
		Continually ask yourself, "Is what I'm reading matching the text?" "Does it look right?" "Does it sound right?" "Does it make sense?"
		Always be willing to re-read sentences and think about words or parts of words that you know.
		And ask for help. Parents, teachers, and friends can help you make sense of difficult text. You can return the favor by helping other readers!
		Ward, Give Lotso Mistakes an earful of accurate reading.
11	Ward:	Skipping words, adding words, mispronouncing What will help all this bumping and bouncing? An easier read Is one thing you need, "I am fluent!" you'll soon be announcing.
12	Kid Accuracy:	Accurate reading is music to my ears! Until next time, keep reading and be fluent!



