



## **VIDEO SCRIPT**

## SPOT: Lady Volume! Developing Reading Fluency (volume)



Scene		Full Transcript
1	Mr.Quiet:	His voice is the softest that I've ever heard. Then he turns up the volume
	Ward:	That's way too soft! I can see Mr. Quiet trying to read from the Secrets of Fluency Handbook, but I can barely hear what he's saying! Send help!
2	Lady Volume:	Here's Lady Volume! It's time to turn it up! Well if it isn't the soft-spoken Mr. Quiet. He always liked keeping it to a whisper. If we listen in, we might be able to hear him.
3	Mr. Quiet:	What did he say? Tell me, what was that word? His voice is the softest that I've ever heard. Then he turns up the volume, Oh yes, now he's clear, He's ready, he's reading, And we can all hear!
4	Ward:	That's pretty quiet and that's not fluent!
5	Lady Volume:	You're right. It's not. Fluent reading is at a volume that is easy to listen to. Good ole Quiet simply reads too softly! Quiet in some parts, fine in others. It just doesn't sound natural.
6	Ward:	But how do you do that?
7	Lady Volume:	Turn up the volume when reading out loud. Project your voice! Make sure everyone in the room can hear what's being said. You always sound louder to yourself than to others. Don't be shy. Speak up! Why don't you give it a go and let Mr. Quiet hear how it should really sound?
8	Ward:	What did he say? Tell me, what was that word? His voice is the softest that I've ever heard. Then he turns up the volume, Oh yes, now he's clear, He's ready, he's reading, And we can all hear!
9	Lady Volume:	Now that's the right volume! Until next time, keep reading and be fluent.

