# ORIGO STEPPING STORES CORE MATHEMATICS

# Implementation Guide

# Common Core





# Using This Guide

This implementation guide has been created to help teachers successfully use ORIGO Stepping Stones to teach mathematics in the classroom.

The guide has been written to step teachers through the program in a sequential order. It is recommended to work through it from beginning to end. Accessing Stepping Stones online while viewing the guide is ideal so teachers can try the features real-time, as they are explained on the page.

Short videos have been created to accompany this guide. These videos are identified by the icon. The videos can be accessed by visiting http://goo.gl/gGW4Vo

Throughout the guide small tasks are assigned to help teachers practice what they have learned. These tasks are identified by the \_\_\_\_\_\_ icon.

Taking notes is recommended and space is provided on some of the pages. It is advised that teachers keep a copy of this guide with them as it will answer most questions on Stepping Stones.

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# Getting Started – Logging In

To access Stepping Stones you must have a Slate account.

If you have a Slate account go to origoslate.com (you might like to bookmark this web address). Enter your username and password in the fields provided and click login. If appropriate, check the remember me box.

Login Create a FF	REE Slate Account
Username	
Password	
Remember Me	login
	Forgotten Password
	Pricing Calculator



Record your username and password here.

Us

Username:	
Password:	



# Getting Started – Slate vs. Stepping Stones

Slate is ORIGO Education's digital hub that contains ORIGO's online resources. Some of these resources are free and some are available through a subscription. Stepping Stones is a core mathematics program. You can find this channel with ORIGO's other digital products under the Channels tab in the Slate menu.



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# Getting Started – Welcome and Overview

ORIGO Stepping Stones is a world class core math program written and developed for elementary schools.



Create a classroom where math makes more sense with Stepping Stones. For the first time, a core program provides access to all online content from all grades, giving teachers the confidence and knowledge to successfully accommodate mixed abilities in the classroom.

# Getting Started – Overview



Stepping Stones is delivered online to give teachers one central location to access all their lesson plans, student activity pages, and teaching tools. Each license gives instant access to all content for Grades K–5.



The student books that accompany the online program are available in both print and as a digital app for most tablet devices. The student journals provide stepped-out lessons where concepts from the online program are broken into manageable sections. Ongoing practice pages are also provided in each grade's practice book.



ORIGO Big Books are large-format storybooks designed for classroom use. This series helps teachers introduce key mathematical concepts in Grades K–2. There are 12 Big Books titles written into lessons in each of these grades.



The Number Case gives teachers ready-made resources to help students develop an understanding of number and operations. Some of these materials may be well known. Other visual models that develop thinking strategies for computation are unique to ORIGO.



ORIGO Stepping Stones gives you instant access to ORIGO's online support resources. Lessons contain quick links to ready-to-use digital tools, games, and images so you can start teaching immediately. Links to professional learning videos appear in each module.



# Getting Started - Slate Interface

Once you have logged in, the Slate interface will load.





Using the glossary tab, search for the definition of **addition**.

Write the definition.



### Lessons Navigating to a Lesson

# Navigating Lessons - Breadcrumb

Stepping Stones gives you access to all grade level content from K through 5. Each grade level is comprised of 12 modules. For Grades 1 through 5 there are 12 lessons in each module. Grade K has six lessons per module.

### Grades 1–5

To navigate to a lesson, click on start, then select the grade, then select the module, then select the lesson, then select steps. The breadcrumb (pictured) shows the pathway to the lessons.



### Grade K

To navigate to a lesson, click on start, then select the grade, then select the module, then select the lesson, then select whole class.

Included with the whole class lessons are two related small group activities. To access these activities, select small group (1 or 2) after you have selected the lesson.

Navigate to Grade 2, Module 11, Lesson 10.

slate	channels	Stepping	stones	
start	grade K	module 3	lessons	lesson 1 whole class

slate	channels	Stepping	Stones		
start	grade K	module 3	lessons	lesson 1	small group 1



### Terms:

Breadcrumb

Navigational aid that allows users to keep track of their path.



# Navigating Lessons – Lesson Steps and Features

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2.2 Navigating Lessons Lesson Steps and Features

# Relating Multiplication and Division (Sharing)

In this lesson, students demonstrate that multiplication is the inverse of division by relating the twos number facts for multiplication and division. The mathematical practices Look for and make use of structure (SMP7) and Look for and express regularity in repeated reasoning (SMP8) are embedded in this lesson.

step 1 preparing the lesson

- You will need: • ORIGO Big Book, The Pirates' Gold
- interactive whiteboard (Note: Use
- physical resources if not available.)
- 24 yellow counters or plastic bottle tops 2 empty egg cartons (with lids removed)
- that each hold 12 eggs

Each pair of students will need: • sharing mat for 2 from *The Number Case* • 24 counters

- Each student will need:
- Student Journal 11.10
  40 base-10 ones blocks

step 2 starting the lesson

Show the students the cover of the book, *The Pirates' Gold*, and read the title. Ask the students to share what they think the story might be about. Read the story without discussion. Afterward, ask, What is happening in the story? What is happening in each picture? Encourage students to explain that an increasing number of pirates are coming to shore and expecting to share the 24 pieces of gold.

- step 3 teaching the lesson
- Act out the story by placing the 24 counters into the egg cartons. Place the cartons side by side where all the students can see them. Read the story again and have students act the part of the pirates coming to shore. The remaining students can identify the pieces of gold in each pirate's share. As the story progresses, ask, What do you notice about the pieces of gold in each pirate's share? What happens as more pirates come to shore? Bring out the fact that as the number of pirates increases, the pieces of gold in each pirate's share decreases.
- Show 16 counters in the large section of the mat. Have the students place counters on their mats to match. Ask, How many counters will be in each small section when we share these 16 counters back to the groups? Invite individuals to make predictions and explain their thinking. Then have the students move the counters to check.
- Project the Step In discussion and work through the questions with the whole class. Read the Step Up and Step Ahead instructions from Student Journal 11.10 with the students.
   Distribute copies of the support page and counters so that each student has a sharing mat and 40 counters. Make sure they know what to do and then have them work independently to complete the task.

step 4 reflecting on the work

Teacher Guide Grade 2 Module 11 Lesson 10

### Lesson Note Tools







Correlates lessons to other state standards



Identifies the learning that may be observed



Identifies the learning that is evidenced by students' work samples



Provides suggestions on how to support English language learners during the lesson

A	Sticky note – click to create a quick note that is saved to the page
B	Zoom in – click to zoom in on the lesson page
C	<mark>Zoom out</mark> – click to zoom out on the lesson page
D	Print – click to print the lesson notes
	Full screen – click to toggle between normal and full screen views

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# Teaching a Lesson: The Basics – Lesson Flow

Lesson Flow



Find the **Student Journal** page(s) for your grade level and navigate to the associated lesson. Then skim through the lesson and consider how the **Student Journal** fits within the lesson notes.



Student Journal Grade K Module 3 Lesson 1



Student Journal Grade 1 Module 3 Lesson 2



Student Journal Grade 2 Module 11 Lesson 10

untain. greater than to make the statement true.	Mount Washburn	Observation Peak	E	untain. Then write < or > to make the statement true	Peak b. Dunraven Peak Prospect Peak		s Peak a. Prospect Peak Cook Peak	tion Peak f. Folsom Peak Hedges Peak	E	in order from <b>greatest</b> to <b>least</b> .	least	_		a base of the state of the stat	na is contusea by the symbols < ana >. J would say to help them remember.					
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Student Journal Grade 3 Module 4 Lesson 6

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Student Journal Grade 4 Module 11 Lesson 2



Student Journal Grade 5 Module 5 Lesson 1



# Teaching a Lesson: The Basics - Resource Tab

2.3 Teaching a Lesson: The Basics Resource Tab and Viewer



Resource Tab



Click on the **Resource Tab** and select 'teach all' to launch the viewer.

Terms:	
Resource Tab	The access point for the collection of digital resources required for the lesson.
Playlist	A sequence of digital tools that you can project for your students to view as you teach a lesson.
Viewer	The display mode that projects the digital tools in the playlist.



# Teaching a Lesson: The Basics – Viewer

2.3 Teaching a Lesson: The Basics Resource Tab and Viewer





Practice navigating through the resources in the playlist using the navigating buttons described above.



### 2.3 Teaching a Lesson: The Basics Differentiation and Ongoing Practice

# Teaching a Lesson: The Basics – Differentiation

Stepping Stones includes two or three differentiation activities for each lesson.

These activities are intended to provide support to students at 3 levels.

- Extra help for students who need additional support learning the concepts or skills taught in the lesson. This often involves an activity that reinforces a prerequisite understanding or skill.
- Extra practice for students who would benefit from additional practice to solidify the concepts or skills taught within the lesson.
- Extra challenge for students who are ready to deepen their understanding of a concept or to extend the skills they have developed within the lesson.

To view these differentiation activities select differentiation from the current lesson menu.





Click on the **Differentiation** tab and browse through the activities associated with this lesson.



### 2.3 Teaching a Lesson: The Basics Differentiation and Ongoing Practice

# Teaching a Lesson: The Basics - Ongoing Practice

Ongoing practice is an essential element to the scope and sequence of Stepping Stones.

To view the ongoing practice select ongoing practice from the current lesson menu.



### Ongoing Practice Framework – Kindergarten

or basic facts	and Skills	Computation Practice**
•	•	
	•	•
•	•	
	•	•
•	•	
	•	•
	•	•         •           •         •           •         •           •         •           •         •           •         •           •         •           •         •

\* Modules 2 – 8 \*\* Modules 9 – 12

In kindergarten, every lesson has one or two ongoing practice pages that provide essential practice of skills such as the writing of numerals. In the later modules, these pages also provide practice for number facts.

In Lessons 1, 3, and 5 there are additional projectable tools specifically designed to develop fluency of counting and subitizing. In the later modules these also include basic fact practice. Use the Resource Tab to project or print these pages.

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Click on the **Ongoing Practice** tab and browse through the ongoing practice pages or projectable tools associated with this lesson. Be sure to pick a lesson from each of the columns shown in the above table to see how the ongoing practice is different for each category.



# Teaching a Lesson: The Basics - Ongoing Practice

2.3 Teaching a Lesson: The Basics Differentiation and Ongoing Practice

Ongoing Practice Framework – Grades 1–5

	Developing Fluency of Basic Facts	Maintaining Concepts and Skills	Written Computation Practice
Lesson 1	•		
Lesson 2		•	
Lesson 3			•
Lesson 4		•	
Lesson 5	•		
Lesson 6		•	
Lesson 7			•
Lesson 8		•	
Lesson 9	•		
Lesson 10		•	
Lesson 11			•
Lesson 12		•	

In lessons 1, 5, and 9, Stepping Stones provides a projectable tool specifically designed to develop and maintain fact fluency for the four operations. This tool is provided right through Grade 5, even though students are expected to be fluent in all facts before then. The Resource Tab provides a list of facts that can be read or projected by the teacher. You get to control the duration in which the students can solve each fact.

For the even-numbered lessons 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12, the ongoing practice helps students maintain previously learned concepts and skills. Stepping Stones provides one practice page that incorporates questions that revisit content from three previous modules or lessons.

Generally, Question 1 comes from **a previous** module of work. Early in the school year, this content is found in the previous year's work. Question 2 comes from **the previous** module and Question 3 comes from **the current** module. Simply roll over the question to see the related module and lesson.

In lessons 3, 7, and 11, the ongoing practice provides written reinforcement and practice of mental computation strategies the students have been learning. Roll over the page to reveal the focus of the content.



Click on the **Ongoing Practice** tab and browse through the ongoing practice pages or projectable tools associated with this lesson. Be sure to pick a lesson from each of the columns shown in the above table to see how the ongoing practice is different for each category.



# Planning a Module – *Module Contents*

### 2.4 Planning a Module Module Contents





# Planning a Module – Mathematics Tab



	start grade 2			Provides an overview of the lessons found in each module
	contents		B	Provides a list and dates of changes made
C	updates			for that grade level.
	module 1	>		
	module 2	>		
	module 3	>		
	module 4	>		
	module 5	>		
	module 6	>		
	module 7	>		
	module 8	>		
	module 9	>	Step	bing Stones gives you access to all grade
	module 10	>	level	content from K through 5. Each grade
	module 11	>	throu	gh 5 there are 12 lessons in each module.
	module 12	>	Grad	e K has six lessons per module.

### Grade 2 • Module 11 Contents

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE
11.1	Extending the Count-Back Strategy to Three-Digit Numbers
II.2	Using Place Value to Subtract Two-Digit Numbers from Three-Digit Numbers
II.3	Using Place Value to Subtract Three-Digit Numbers
11.4	Consolidating Subtraction of Two- and Three-Digit Numbers
II.5	Using a Place-Value Strategy to Subtract Three-Digit Numbers
11.6	Using a Place-Value Strategy to Solve Subtraction Problems
11.7	Introducing the Multiplication Symbol (×)
II.8	Using Multiplication (Equal Groups)
11.9	Using Division Language (Sharing)
11.10	Relating Multiplication and Division (Sharing)
.	Using Division Language (Grouping)
11.12	Relating Multiplication and Division (Grouping)



Navigate to Module 1 for your grade level and use the **Focus** and **Research into Practice Tabs** to determine the main mathematical ideas in the module.

### Grade K • Module 1 Contents

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE		
1.1	Creating Groups of Objects		
1.2	Creating Groups to Match Pictures		
1.3	Creating Groups to Match Numerals		
1.4	Creating Groups to Match Numerals and Number Names		
1.5	Showing the Sorting		
1.6	Sorting in Many Ways		

### Grade 1 • Module 1 Contents

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE		
1.1	Identifying Quantities I to 6		
1.2	Identifying Quantities I to IO		
1.3	Writing Numerals 0 to 9		
1.4	Matching Representations of I to IO		
1.5	Recognizing Quantities by Sight		
I.6	Analyzing Teen Numbers		
1.7	Representing Teen Numbers		
1.8	Comparing and Ordering Two-Digit Numbers		
1.9	Comparing Teen Numbers		
1.10	Ordering I to 19		
1.11	Reading Ordinal Number Names		
1.12	Matching Ordinal Number Names and Symbols		

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE				
1.1	Writing Tens and Ones, and Number Names				
l.2	Writing Two-Digit Numbers				
1.3	Reading and Writing Two-Digit Numbers				
1.4	Exploring the Relative Position of Two-Digit Numbers on a Number Track				
1.5	Exploring the Relative Position of Two-Digit Numbers on a Number Line				
1.6	Working with Two-Digit Numbers on a Number Line				
1.7	Comparing Two-Digit Numbers on a Number Line				
l.8	Comparing and Ordering Two-Digit Numbers				
1.9	Exploring the Properties of Odd and Even Numbers				
1.10	Solving Number Puzzles on a Hundred Chart				
1.11	Sorting Data in Different Ways				
1.12	Interpreting and Constructing One-to-One Picture Graphs				

### Grade 2 • Module 1 Contents

### Grade 3 • Module 1 Contents

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE			
1.1	Using Place Value with Three-Digit Numbers			
l.2	Writing Three-Digit Numbers in Words			
1.3	Comparing and Ordering Three-Digit Numbers			
1.4	Rounding Three-Digit Whole Numbers			
1.5	Reviewing Multiplication Concepts			
I.6	Reviewing the Array Model of Multiplication			
1.7	Introducing the Tens Multiplication Facts			
1.8	Introducing the Fives Multiplication Facts			
1.9	Reinforcing the Tens and Fives Multiplication Facts			
1.10	Introducing Gallons			
1.11	Working with Parts of a Liter			
1.12	Solving Word Problems Involving Liquid Volume (Capacity)			

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE			
1.1	Reading and Writing Four-Digit Numbers			
1.2	Analyzing Four-Digit Numbers			
1.3	Comparing and Ordering Four-Digit Numbers			
1.4	Building a Picture of Ten Thousand			
1.5	Reading and Writing Five-Digit Numbers			
1.6	Analyzing Five-Digit Numbers			
1.7	Comparing and Ordering Five-Digit Numbers			
1.8	Rounding Five-Digit Numbers			
1.9	Reinforcing Rounding with Five-Digit Numbers			
1.10	Investigating Square Number Patterns			
1.11	Following and Identifying Pattern Rules			
1.12	Writing Word Rules for Patterns			

### Grade 4 • Module 1 Contents

### Grade 5 • Module 1 Contents

LESSON NUMBER	LESSON TITLE			
1.1	Analyzing Six-Digit Numbers			
1.2	Building a Picture of One Million			
1.3	Reading and Writing Seven-Digit Numbers			
1.4	Locating Large Numbers on a Number Line			
l.5	Using Place Value to Compare and Order Seven-Digit Numbers			
1.6	Reading and Writing Eight- and Nine-Digit Numbers			
1.7	Working with Millions Expressed as Fractions			
1.8	Reviewing Multiplication Patterns			
1.9	Reviewing the Double-and-Halve Strategy for Multiplication			
1.10	Factoring to Multiply Two-Digit Numbers			
1.11	Using Partial Products to Multiply (Distributive Property)			
1.12	Comparing Mental Strategies for Multiplication			



# Planning a Module – More Math (Grades 1 – 5)\*



\* More Math is not available for Kindergarten. Two small group activities are provided for each lesson as an alternative.

### Investigations

Each module in Stepping Stones Grades 1 through 5 has three investigations. These give students the opportunity to apply the mathematics they have learned by posing a question for students to consider. These questions are open in nature and often require the students to collect, represent and analyze data.

### **Problem Solving Activities**

Each module in Stepping Stones Grades 1 through 5 has at least three problem solving activities. Teachers can draw from these activities to provide more opportunities to develop the Mathematical Practices. In Grades 3 to 5 there is an additional page of problem solving activities in each module.

### **Enrichment Activities**

Some modules provide additional enrichment activities to enhance student learning.

### **Cross Curricula Links**

The mathematics of each module can often be used or explored further in other key curriculum areas such as science, PE or English. Therefore, cross-curricula activities are suggested for each module of the Stepping Stones program.



Grade K Task: Explore the small group activities found in Module 1.

Grade 1-5 Task: Explore the More Math section in Module 1.



# Assessment: The Basics – Overview

start grade 2 module 11 assessment	Provides a chart to show the assessment options of the module
overview     B formative	B Assessments used to make informed decisions to guide instruction
c summative >	C Assessments designed to take place at planned intervals after instruction
P recording	Provides options for recording student achievement of the learning targets

Quarterly tests can be selected from the Assessment Tab in modules 3, 6, 9, and 12 for each grade.

		FORMATIVE			SUMMATIVE		
STANDARD	LEARNING TARGET	PRE-TEST	OBSERVATION/ DISCUSSION	JOURNAL/ PORTFOLIO	CHECK-UP	PERFORMANCE TASK	INTERVIEW
OPERATIONS	AND ALGEBRAIC THINKING						
2.OA.2	Fluently add for totals within 20 (beyond the facts)	•					•
>3.OA.I	Represent multiplication using concrete materials, pictures, and equations	٠	•	٠	٠		
>3.OA.2	Represent division (sharing model) using concrete materials, pictures, and sentences	٠	•	٠	٠	•	
	Represent division (grouping model) using concrete materials, pictures, and sentences	•	•	٠	٠	•	
NUMBER AND OPERATIONS IN BASE TEN							
2 NRT 7	Use a strategy (place-value) to subtract any number from three-digit totals (without bridging)	٠	•	٠	•		
2.1101./	Use a strategy (count-on and count- back) to subtract any number from three-digit totals (without bridging)	•	•	•	•	•	

### Grade 2 • Module 11 Assessment Overview

> (Standard): Working toward the standard

(Standard) >: Working beyond the standard

Terms:	
Learning Target	Describes what students should be able to do at the end of the teaching and
	learning sequence

# Assessment: The Basics – Learning Targets vs. Standards

2.5 Assessment: The Basics Learning Targets vs. Standards



STANDARD	LEARNING TARGET				
OPERATIONS	AND ALGEBRAIC THINKING				
2.OA.2	Fluently add for totals within 20 (beyond the facts)				
>3.OA.I	Represent multiplication using concrete materials, pictures, and equations				
	Represent division (sharing model) using concrete materials, pictures, and sentences				
~3.UA.Z	Represent division (grouping model) using concrete materials, pictures, and sentences				
NUMBER AND	NUMBER AND OPERATIONS IN BASE TEN				
2 NDT 7	Use a strategy (place-value) to subtract any number from three-digit totals (without bridging)				
2.001.7	Use a strategy (count-on and count- back) to subtract any number from three-digit totals (without bridging)				

**3.OA.2** Interpret whole-number quotients of whole numbers, e.g., interpret  $56 \div 8$  as the number of objects in each share when 56 objects are partitioned equally into 8 shares, or as a number of shares when 56 objects are partitioned into equal shares of 8 objects each. *For example, describe a context in which a number of shares or a number of groups can be expressed as 56 ÷ 8.* 

# Assessment: The Basics – Formative Assessments

Formative assessments are used to make informed decisions to guide instruction. These decisions could range from reviewing content, reteaching concepts, or providing additional work for students who require extra assistance or challenges. Formative assessment can occur informally during lessons with observations of students working and their discourse, or formally with written instruments such as pre-tests or journal entries. Stepping Stones includes three different options for formative assessment.

- **Pre-tests** an optional assessment component of **Stepping Stones** designed to inform teachers on what students already know and can do before instruction begins.
- Observations and discussions provides suggestions for teachers on which lessons and activities are better suited to observe how students' understanding of concepts and skills are developing.
- Journals and portfolios provides suggestions for teachers on which lessons and activities are better suited for generating work samples as evidence of the learning that has occurred.



Roll over this icon in lessons and activities to identify the learning that may be observed.

STANDARD	LESSON	STEP IN DISCUSSION	WHAT TO LOOK FOR		
Working Toward 3.OA.I	II.8	II.8	Can the student interpret a multiplication fact as a number of objects in a number of groups?		
Working Toward <b>3.OA.2</b>	11.9, 11.11	11.9, 11.11	Can the student interpret a division fact as a number of objects in a number of shares?		
2.NBT.7	II.2, II.3, II.4, II.5, II.6 (all: subtract)	11.2, 11.3, 11.4, 11.5, 11.6 (all: subtract)	Can the student add and subtract within I,000 using concrete models, and a variety of strategies?		



Roll over this icon in lessons and activities to identify the learning that is evidenced by students' work samples.

STANDARD	STUDENT JOURNAL	PROBLEM SOLVING	INVESTIGATION	LEARNING
Working Toward 3.OA.I	II.8	II.3		Can the student interpret a multiplication fact as a number of objects in a number of groups?
Working Toward 3.OA.2	11.9		11.3	Can the student interpret a division fact as a number of objects in a number of shares?
2.NBT.7	II.3, II.6 (all: subtract)		11.1	Can the student add and subtract within 100 using concrete models, and a variety of strategies?

# Assessment: The Basics – *Summative Assessments*

Summative assessment generally takes place at planned intervals after instruction. It is used to sum up what students know, and then using data generated by these assessments, teachers are able to report on student performance. Summative assessments are mostly formal by nature and should be linked to pre-assessments. If used wisely, summative assessment can also serve a formative role to modify future instruction. Stepping Stones includes three different options for summative assessment.

- **Check-ups** provides questions that require the student to select the correct answer or to provide a short written response.
- **Performance tasks** used to measure depth of understanding. A rubric accompanies each performance task.
- Interviews used to assess certain concepts and skills such as the fluency of rote counting or mental computation.

# Assessment: The Basics – Recording

Stepping Stones provides multiple options for recording student achievement of the learning targets. The options allow teachers to record student achievement during a module, over several modules, or over the course of an entire year.

Go to the recording page of Module 1 to download a Microsoft Excel® recording spreadsheet to record student achievement over the course of the year.



Explore the assessment options for Module 1 in your grade level.



# Stepping Stones Structure – Teaching Sequence

Stepping Stones embeds a unique teaching sequence for helping students develop deep understanding of mathematical concepts and fluency of skills.



2.6 Stepping Stones Structure SS Structure 

Stepping Stones Structure – Teaching Sequence

	Mod. 12		
	Mod. 11	sixes st facts ther facts	
	Mod. 10		extend
I R sixes	Mod. 9		
<u>a</u>	Mod. 8	tens fives fours sights nines fives twos fours fours	ractice
tens 🔲	Mod. 7		
eights ones zeros	Mod. 6	tens fours eight ones zeros	orce
	Mod. 5		R reinf
	Mod. 4	fours fours	ce
wos —	Mod. 3		introdu
	Mod. 2	tens fives	
tens fives	Mod. 1		
lessons student journal	TOPIC multiplication	ongoing practice <i>book and</i> fluency tool*	

fluency by end of year



# Stepping Stones Structure - Language Stages

Stepping Stones also embeds a developmental sequence for teaching the language associated with mathematical concepts.





# Stepping Stones Structure – Sequence Navigator

2.6 Stepping Stones Structure Sequence Navigator

Stepping Stones gives every teacher access to content across all grade levels. The quickest way to move across the content of Stepping Stones is to use the sequence navigator. Content in the sequence navigator is organized in two ways; Chronological and General Topics.

Click the  $\checkmark$  button to show the topic sequence drop-down menu. The default current sequence is set to General Topics. Click on the  $\checkmark$  button next to General Topics to change the current sequence to Chronological.



### Chronological sequence

As the name suggests, the Chronological sequence gives the teacher access to the content moving from one lesson to the next in the chronological order. To move to the previous lesson in chronological order click on (A). To move to the next lesson in chronological order click on (B).







# Terms: Sequence Navigator Allows quick access to the mathematical topics covered within Stepping Stones

### General Topics sequence

The General Topics sequence organizes content into broad concepts. By viewing the content in this order a teacher can move up or down the topic sequence by clicking on **A** or **B**.

Hover over the highlighted grade to reveal the lessons that cover a particular topic.

Clicking on the lesson takes you to the lesson notes page for that lesson.



# Online Resources Overview - Related Resources

ORIGO Stepping Stones gives you instant access to ORIGO's online support resources. Stepping Stones lessons contain quick links to ready-to-use digital tools, games, and images so you can start teaching immediately. Stepping Stones modules have links to professional learning videos.

These online tools are part of the many resources that <u>Stepping Stones</u> provides to help you create a more engaging classroom.

To access all of ORIGO's online resources click on Channels in the top menu. You will see a list of all the online resources available through Slate. Some of these resources will require a separate subscription to be able to use these resources.

To view one of these resources, simply click on the icon.



### **ORIGO MathEd**

Stepping Stones gives you hours of online professional learning when it is needed the most. Over 70 short videos are embedded at the start of modules to assist teachers in acquiring the content and pedagogical knowledge they need to be effective.



### Flare

Although interactive whiteboards are not essential for the implementation of Stepping Stones, various high-quality and flexible tools are embedded in the program and available at a click of a button. Flare are dynamic and flexible interactive whiteboard teaching tools. Currently there are over a dozen tools to choose from.







### Fundamental Gameboards

Digital board games for two players allow the teacher to play against the class. Pairs of students can also take turns for further practice or differentiation. These games have simple rules and serve to reinforce and practice thinking strategies. There are over 160 games to choose from.



### **ORIGO Big Book Tools**

The Big Book Teaching Tools bring to life the characters from the ORIGO Big Books series. These engaging and easy-to-use interactive tools allow teachers and students to change the mathematics and further develop the concepts from all 36 titles in the series.



### **ORIGO Big Book Tunes**

Use these engaging Big Book Tunes to really bring your mathematics classroom alive. There are 36 tracks – a song for every title in the storybook series. The Big Book Tunes can be accessed through their own channel or through the Big Book Tools.



Explore the related resources for Stepping Stones.



# Online Resources Overview - Other Resources

# Honey Pot

Honey Pot is a free channel on Slate that provides an ever-growing bank of blackline masters covering the full range of elementary math topics.

# Zupelz\*

ZUPELZ develops logical thinking in number through puzzles. This Slate channel has 600 puzzles for Grades 1–6. Teachers have the option to progressively reveal all hints, clues, and answers. The easy-to-use interface is suitable for group and independent work.





### **ORIGO STaRT\***

ORIGO STaRT challenges students to explain, analyze, and justify their thinking thereby promoting students' engagement in the Standards for Mathematical Practice. Each task allows students to apply the mathematics that they are learning to solve real mathematical problems.

### Stepping into Financial Literacy\*

Stepping into Financial Literacy builds students' capabilities to make informed decisions with their financial resources. Delivered online, it provides K-5 educators with comprehensive lessons for teaching money management. Each lesson contains activities for differentiation and assessments.





Explore the other resources in the channels menu.

\* Requires separate subscription



# Online Resources Overview – Launching and Filtering

### Launching a resource

To launch a digital resource in the viewer, make your selection from the Channels tab. When the resource opens, click start and then titles.

The list of resources available for this channel is displayed.

To display the resource in the viewer, click on the title and it will launch the viewer.





### Filtering online resources

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You can filter the list of resources using the filtering menu. You can filter resources by strand, grade, or content, or any combination of the three.



# Using Playlists – Editing Existing Playlists

To edit a lesson's playlist, click edit from the top menu of the Resource Tab.



### The Playlist Tab interface

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Edit the playlist for **Module 1 Lesson 1** of your grade level.



# Using Playlists - Creating a New Playlist

To create a playlist, click playlists from the top menu in Slate.

Click + from the playlist menu to create a new playlist. Name the playlist by clicking on the title.

### Adding an online resource from a channel

Go to the Channel Tab and choose a resource to add to the playlist. Click on start and select titles. Click + and choose add to selected playlist. As you hover over add to selected playlist the name of the selected playlist appears.

### Adding an online resource from the viewer

Go to the Channel Tab and choose a resource to add to the playlist. Click start and select titles. Click on the title to launch it in the viewer. With the viewer open click + in the menu at the bottom of the screen and then select add to selected playlist.

# Adding an online resource from another playlist

Go to the Channel Tab and select Stepping Stones. Navigate to a lesson and select steps. Open the Resource Tab. Click + on the online resource you wish to add and then choose add to selected playlist.

# Adding an online resource from the Favorites Tab

If you have added a resource to your Favorites Tab you can add it to a playlist. Select favorites and click + on the online resource you wish to add and then choose add to selected playlist.

Create a new playlist and practice adding online resources to the new playlist.















# The Playlist Tab interface







# Using Playlists – Advanced Work with Playlists

# The Playlist Tab interface



### Adding a PDF to a playlist

You can add any PDF (not larger than 2 MB) to a playlist that you have permission from the author to use. Click PDF manager to access the PDF manager window. From this window click browse to find the PDF on your computer and then select upload.

ORIGO will require that you confirm that you have permission to upload this to the PDF manager. Once the document has been uploaded you can add it to a playlist by clicking +. Each Slate user can upload 50 MB of PDFs to the PDF manager.

### Importing a playlist

You can import a playlist by selecting import playlist(s) from the Playlist Tab menu. You will then be asked if you would like to add this playlist permanently or on a temporary basis. If you select 'permanent' it will be saved to your Playlist Tab. Selecting 'temporary' will make the playlist available until you log out and finish your Slate session.







# Using Playlists – Advanced Work with Playlists

### Exporting a playlist

You can export a playlist by selecting export selected playlist(s) from the Playlist Tab menu. You will be asked to check the box of the playlist(s) you wish to export. You will then be prompted for a name and location for this file.

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Practice importing and exporting playlists. It may be helpful to practice this with a colleague.

### Adding a web object to a playlist

You can add a web page or a web video to a playlist. Click web object manager to access the web object manager window. In the playlist label field create a name for the web object. This will be the label that appears in your playlist. Playlist labels should be at least 6 characters long but no more than 51 characters.

For a website, enter the website URL in the web object snippet field. For a web video, enter the iframe embed tag. Web object snippets should be at least 6 characters long and fewer than 2000 characters. Check the view full screen box if you want the web object to be viewed full screen. Click + to add this web object to a playlist.

If you have added a web page and it is from a different security domain than Slate then it cannot be shown in the viewer. When the time comes to view this resource, you will be notified that this web page will be opened in a new window.

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Practice adding a PDF (that you have permission from the author to use) and a web object to an existing playlist.



# Using Digital Books - Interface

### Digital Book interface





Explore the features of the Digital Books interface.

# Getting Support and Troubleshooting

ORIGO Education is committed to supporting teachers using Stepping Stones. There are several options for getting service, support and advice.

For technical support try the following:

- **Quick Start Guides** these short guides give you easy step-by-step instructions on a variety of issues. Visit www.origoeducation.com/slate-support-faqs/ for access to the guides.
- Implementation Guide keep a copy of this document close by. It is full of technical information handy for any user of Stepping Stones.
- Slate Forum find and share solutions with our community of Stepping Stones users. Access the Slate Forum by selecting it from the list under the Support Tab.

### Accessing the Forum

Click Support in the top Slate menu bar. Then select forum. If this is your first visit to the forum you will be asked to create a forum alias.

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For content support try the following:

- Slate Forum find and share solutions with our community of Stepping Stones users. Access the forum by selecting it from the list under the Support Tab.
- Implementation Guide keep a copy of this document close by. Several chapters are devoted to informing teachers about the structure and approach of Stepping Stones.
- Feedback button if you would like to send feedback to ORIGO, send a message via the feedback button in the Support Tab.



Click on Slate Forum and create an alias. Then explore the discussions posted on the site.

# Stepping Stones Implementation Workshop – Feedback

Thank you for participating in the Stepping Stones Implementation Workshop. Please let us know what went well and what we can improve by ticking the most appropriate response and providing supporting comments.

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