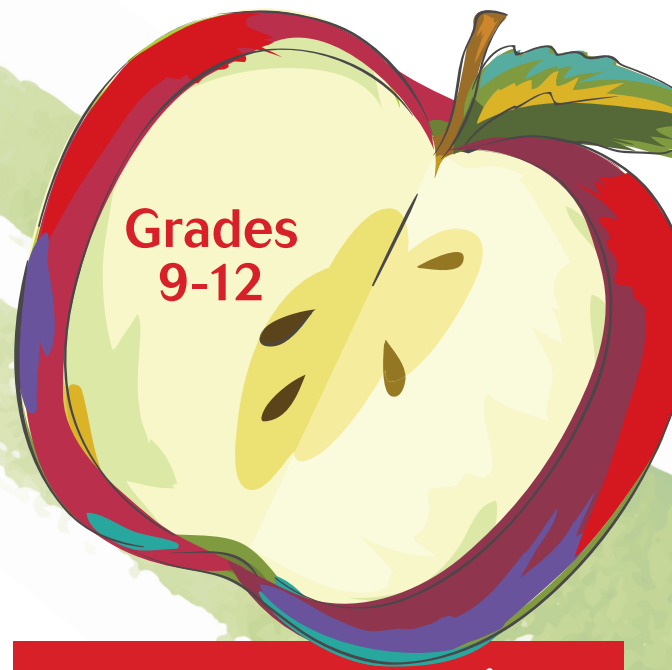


Attainment's Core Curriculum Solution: **HIGH SCHOOL**



Celebrate differences! Attainment's High School

Solution helps you teach every student with ease and consistency using engaging yet rigorous curricula. It has 9 ready-to-teach programs covering English language arts, math, science, and social studies. These curricula provide a blended approach to learning through print, manipulatives, interactive software, videos, and apps. Teaching is made easy with age-appropriate, standards-based content that applies to real-life situations. To further simplify implementation, lessons are differentiated so you can reach all students in your classroom. This **Solution** offers a continuum of resources that allow your students to move seamlessly from one curriculum on to the next.

Attainment Company has been providing superior technology and curricular resources to special educators and students for 40 years! Our programs are research-based, align to state standards (including the Common Core), and use evidence-based practices, data reporting, and differentiated instruction.

Core Curricula Shared Features:

TEACHER

- Easy-to-follow lesson plans
- Comprehension exercises
- Assessment checklists
- Age-appropriate content
- Student-directed approach to increase independence

STUDENT

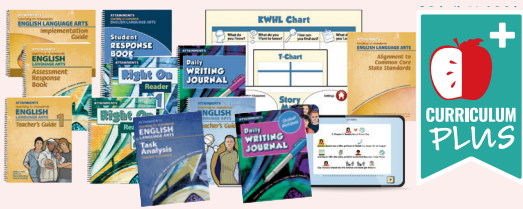
- Step-by-step lessons
- Blended learning using both print and technology
- Real-life connections
- Access to grade-level standards
- Hands-on activities



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Teaching to Standards:
English Language Arts



aligns to grade-level standards. Genres include fiction, nonfiction, plays, and poetry.

At a Glance. . .

- 1. Start with Step 1 of the scripted task analysis, choosing the appropriate level for your student.
- 2. Read grade-level literature like **Holes** and **The Outsiders** with symbol-supported text in the **Right On Readers**.
- 3. Encourage students to write opinions about the stories they’ve read in their consumable **Daily Writing Journals**.
- 4. Connect the stories to other content area with ideas from Appendix D.
- 5. Strengthen students’ understanding with the **ALA App**.

Overall Objective:

Complete grade-level language arts lessons in fiction, nonfiction, poetry, and research and apply skills to additional literature.

Explore Biology Curriculum



is a full year course that highlights concepts like Cells and DNA, Diseases, and Genetics.

At a Glance . . .

- 1. Review the lesson content, specifically the *Introductory Script* and talking points.
- 2. Integrate the **Reference Guides** and animations to enhance instruction.
- 3. Point out the noted *Connections* to students when a concept relates to previous lessons.
- 4. Adapt the curriculum as needed with *Write About It* sentence strips and GoWorksheet activities for the iPad.
- 5. Assess student progress with one of two term test types.

Overall Objective:

Understand grade-level biology concepts and their real-life implications.

Read to Learn



is a blend of life skill and language arts instruction. Features three books with corresponding software and PDFs.

At a Glance . . .

- 1. Choose one of three books from the **Read to Learn Series** to bring a functional component to your ELA curriculum.
- 2. Print copies of lesson worksheets for all students from our PDF CD.
- 3. Evaluate student comprehension with quizzes and activities.
- 4. Discuss how similar real-life scenarios impact your students’ lives.
- 5. Support students with interactive software and/or apps that highlight and read text.

Overall Objective:

Read and discuss life skill stories and relate skills to everyday life.

Teaching to Standards: Science



uses an inquiry process to teach science. Covers Earth, Biology, Waters, and Chemistry.

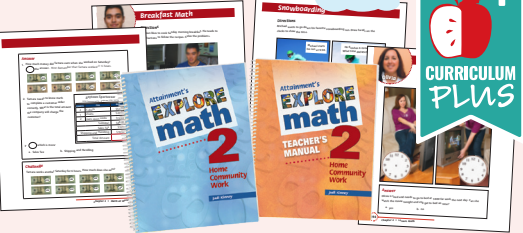
At a Glance . . .

- 1. Prepare for the lesson by reading through the 12-step inquiry process in the **Implementation Guide**.
- 2. Enhance student participation with ready-made response boards for each step of the experiment.
- 3. Use experimental materials so students become active participants in science.
- 4. Increase student involvement with the KWHL chart.
- 5. Extend the lesson by completing a **ScienceWork** activity.

Overall Objective:

Study grade-level science concepts and generalize them to a broader context.

Explore Math 2



expands the mathematical concepts presented in book one and links them to a character’s everyday life.

At a Glance . . .

- 1. Gather the materials listed for each lesson.
- 2. Review the teaching procedure outlined in the **Teacher’s Manual**.
- 3. Present the vocabulary words for the lesson.
- 4. Assign the lesson worksheet.
- 5. Incorporate the optional challenge activities into the lessons when appropriate.

Overall Objective:

Learn math concepts that are functional and key to future independence.

Explore American History



is a chronological curriculum incorporating important social study tools like maps, timelines, graphs, videos, and photos.

At a Glance . . .

- 1. Follow the lesson outline in the **Teacher’s Manual**.
- 2. Continue the lesson with role plays, challenge activities, and the discussion points provided.
- 3. Tie the lesson to one of 25 biographies.
- 4. Incorporate one of nine hands-on social study tools to enrich student understanding.
- 5. Watch videos to offer a different learning approach.

Overall Objective:

Gain appreciation for historical events of the United States.

Explore Budgeting



teaches how to set and keep a budget. Student exercises reflect real-life situations and are enhanced with photos and clear graphics.

At a Glance . . .

- 1. Familiarize students with the cost of clothing, food, and other everyday items.
- 2. Teach the chapter vocabulary by reading the word and definition.
- 3. Read how characters (e.g., José) create and use a budget.
- 4. Solve math problems that center around the character’s budget.
- 5. Develop a daily, weekly, and monthly budget with your students.

Overall Objective:

Learn how to set and keep a budget.

Explore World History Curriculum



presents simplified text that is heavily illustrated with important social study tools, like timelines, maps, and tables.

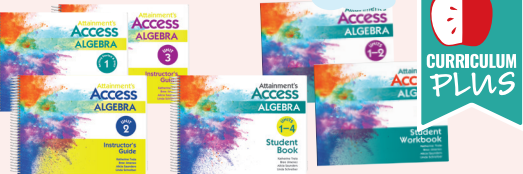
At a Glance . . .

- 1. Review the lesson sequence, paying attention to the *Introductory Script*, talking points, and *Word Study*.
- 2. Connect lessons to biographies of key historical figures.
- 3. Scan the QR codes for the video and satellite images to differentiate instruction.
- 4. Enrich lessons with the *Write About It* activity using sentence strips, study cards, or photos.
- 5. Monitor student comprehension with quizzes from the consumable **Student Workbooks**.

Overall Objective:

Develop a basic understanding of the world’s history and its noteworthy figures.

Access Algebra



tackles high school algebra concepts with the adaptations and support students need to succeed.

At a Glance . . .

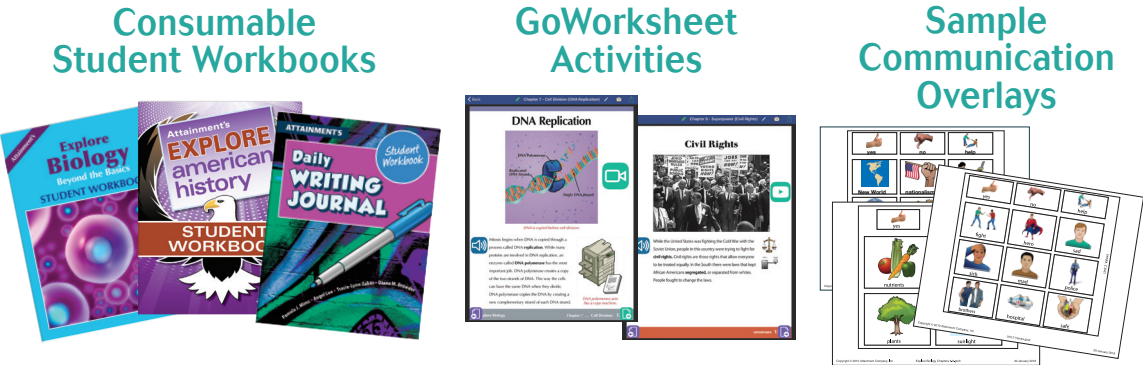
- 1. Review *Foundational Understandings, Mastery, and Challenge Objectives* for the lesson.
- 2. Follow the *Teacher Task Analysis* step by step.
- 3. Present the challenge problem to students who are ready for it.
- 4. Reinforce the concepts taught with the GoWorksheet activities for the iPad.
- 5. Encourage full student participation with the communication overlays provided.

Overall Objective:

Connect algebra concepts to typical scenarios of young adults.

CURRICULUM PLUS KITS

Attainment’s **Curriculum Plus Kits** include: The Curriculum plus a total of 10 consumable Student Workbooks, the GoWorksheet Maker iPad App, a set of corresponding GoWorksheet activities, and samples of communication overlays.





Sample Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 9:30	Teaching to Standards: ELA	Teaching to Standards: ELA	Teaching to Standards: ELA	Teaching to Standards: ELA	Teaching to Standards: ELA
9:30 - 10:00					
10:00 - 10:30		Explore American History	Explore American History	Explore American History	
10:30 - 11:00	Explore Math 2 or Access Algebra	Explore Math 2 or Access Algebra	Explore Math 2 or Access Algebra	Explore Math 2 or Access Algebra	Explore Math 2 or Access Algebra
11:00 - 11:30					
11:30 - 12:00		Explore Budgeting	Explore Budgeting	Explore Budgeting	
12:00 - 12:30	LUNCH				
12:30 - 1:00	Teaching to Standards: Science	Read to Learn	Teaching to Standards: Science	Read to Learn	Teaching to Standards: Science
1:00 - 1:30					
1:30 - 2:00	Explore World History	Explore Biology	Explore Biology	Explore Biology	Explore World History

The instructional time used in this sample schedule reflects the time allocated to teach each curriculum in the research. This can be modified to suit individual student needs.

Curricula Comparison

Difficulty Level
↑
3
2
1

	 Explore Math 2	 Explore Budgeting	 Access Algebra	 Explore Biology	 Explore American History	 Explore World History
	 Teaching to Standards: ELA			 Teaching to Standards: Science		

Content Area: **ELA**

Math

Science

Social Studies

Videos

Teaching to Standards: ELA
Empower students with English language arts



Explore World History
Complement lessons with historical video clips



Explore Biology
Enhance instruction with animations



Teaching to Standards: Science
Achieve success with science

