

Module 4.3 How Poor Phonological Skills Hinder Word Reading

- Recall the Alphabetic Principle
 - Alphabetic writing is based upon recording on paper the sounds within spoken words
 - Individuals who have limited access to phonemes in spoken language are at a great disadvantage learning to read and alphabet-based writing system
 - Their difficulties may or may not influence their ability to sound out new words, but will at minimum influence their ability to remember the words they read
- Phonological Skills and Reading
 - There is a naturally occurring interactive/reciprocal relationship between phonological skill development and word-reading skill development
 - The phonological-core deficit can disrupt development in varying ways