Moving Beyond the Page Reading Placement Questionnaire

Use this questionnaire to determine which level of Reading your child is ready for. If you answer "no" to a question, your child should probably be placed in that level.

	yes	no
Does your child recognize all upper- and lowercase letters?		Age 4-5
Can your child write all upper- and lowercase letters?		Age 4-5
Does your child know the basic sound each letter makes?		Age 4-5
Can your child read and comprehend simple picture books?		Age 5-7
Can your child read one-syllable words that contain short, long (e.g., <i>ai</i> , <i>igh</i> , <i>oa</i>), and R-controlled (e.g., <i>ar</i> , <i>er</i> , <i>ir</i>) vowel sounds?		Age 5-7
Does your child recognize common blends (like <i>st, cr, pl</i>) and digraphs (like <i>ch, sh, th</i>)?		Age 5-7
Can your child decode (sound out) two-syllable words?		Age 6-8
Can your child understand and read possessive nouns and contractions?		Age 6-8
Can your child decode (sound out) words with common prefixes and suffixes?		Age 6-8
Can your child read simple chapter books (like <i>Penny and Her Marble</i> by Kevin Henkes or <i>Mouse Soup</i> by Arnold Lobel) and answer basic comprehension questions about the story?		Age 6-8

Notes:

- In the Age 4-5 level, all Kindergarten-level Reading standards are fully integrated into the daily unit studies.
- If you answered yes to all of these criteria, your child shouldn't need additional reading instruction.
- In the Age 7-9 level and beyond, our literature-based language arts program covers all Reading standards directly in the unit studies.

If you have questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at <u>help@movingbeyondthepage.com</u> or (979) 314-9938.