

Wordly Wise 3000° and Quizlet: Vocabulary practice with a twist

HOMEWORK THE STUDENTS ASK FOR. NO, REALLY.

In Laurena Mott's fourth grade classroom, something remarkable happens every school day. Laurena assigns *Wordly Wise 3000* vocabulary homework to her students – and they like it.

"I assign them a different Quizlet mode every night. Spell mode really helps them get the spelling of the word. Gravity mode helps with spelling too, because they have to type the word really fast." When given the choice, she reports, "100% of the class prefers doing homework with Quizlet."

Laurena tracks her students' progress and sees whether they've completed their homework assignments with the help of her upgraded Quizlet Teacher subscription, part of the *Wordly Wise 3000* Refill Set.

"I love to wake the students up on Monday mornings with a few rounds of Quizlet Live. It fully engages them while they review their vocabulary words and sets the tone for an energetic and fun day at school."

FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT

Quizlet Test enables Laurena to know which words her students are mastering and which ones are giving them pause, informing which she'll spend more time on. Laurena has definitely seen improvement since using Wordly Wise 3000 and Quizlet together. The students are incorporating the vocabulary words into their writing, and she observes that "it makes their writing better."

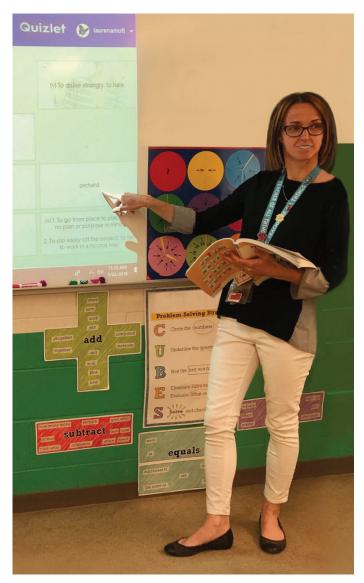


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WORDLY WISE 3000

Laurena has taught with Wordly Wise 3000 for five years and loves the exposure to different words it gives her students. The printed workbooks help them practice and learn their vocabulary and spelling. For her own part, Laurena has found Wordly Wise 3000 makes lesson planning a breeze. She spends two weeks on each Wordly Wise 3000 lesson, typically focusing on spelling one week and definitions the next, plus she uses the fun activities available in the updated 4th edition.

QUIZLET

As a long-time Quizlet user, Laurena was thrilled to see that her new Wordly Wise 3000 workbooks came with codes to access pre-made Quizlet sets. She enthuses that having the lists already loaded for her is "just awesome."

STEALTH LEARNING

Laurena plays Quizlet Live in the classroom for review and collaboration. She sometimes adds novelty to the Quizlet Live games by adding playful rules, like letting only one student speak for each group.

"They love Quizlet Live. It's one of their favorite things to play," she reports. "There are always cheers from the students when I tell them we're going to play." At the end of each round, the class congratulates the winning team to show good sportsmanship and then reviews any words the class missed. Laurena shares that the games have an ending any teacher can appreciate: "After each round, they always ask for one more round!"

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Wordly Wise 3000 is available for grades K-12 in both Print and Online formats. Each student workbook (2-12) includes 12-month access to Wordly Wise 3000 approved study sets via Quizlet. To find out more about Wordly Wise 3000 and Quizlet, visit eps.schoolspecialty.com/ww4th or call your sales representative.