

Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level Score

The Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level Score rates text on a U.S. school grade level. The formula for the Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level score is:

$$(.39 \times \text{ASL}) + (11.8 \times \text{ASW}) = \text{Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level Score}$$

ASL = average sentence length (the number of words divided by the number of sentences)

ASW = average number of syllables per word (the number of syllables divided by the number of words)

Example: A score of 8.0 would indicate that an eighth grader can understand the document.

Project Breathe Tutorials	Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level Score
Core Lessons	
Lungs (Respiratory System)	8.9
Heart (Circulatory System)	8.4
Protecting the Lungs	8.2
Enforcer (Tobacco Related Laws)	8.6
Advanced Lessons	
Careers in Respiratory Health	12.0
Healthy and Unhealthy Choices	
Tobacco Facts	8.3
Tobacco Advertising	8.0
Quitting Smoking (Cessation)	6.5
Refusal Skills	6.1
Conditions	
Understanding Asthma	7.8
Lung Cancer	8.8
Gateway Drugs	8.6
Smoking and Pregnancy	10.0
Average	8.6

Project Breathe is written at a 7.2 grade level. Due to the introduction of terms and definitions, the tutorial reading levels vary.