## **Far** readingpartners

## **Preparing for a Tutoring Session**

## **BEGINNING READERS**

Before each session:

- □ Pick up your student's box.
- **□** Review previous tutor notes and the Roadmap.
- D Pick up the lesson packet your student is working on today.
- □ Read through the materials inside the lesson packet to familiarize yourself with the skills you will teach today.
- □ Create an agenda on a post-it or whiteboard. Use the following as a guide:
  - 1. Tutor read aloud
  - 2. Review vocabulary & add 1-2 new words
  - 3. Word analysis
  - 4. Essential words
  - 5. Comprehension skill
  - 6. Student read aloud
  - 7. Fluency practice (for lessons with a literature text for student read aloud)
  - 8. Take Reading Home

Helpful hints:

- □ Always check in with your site coordinator if you have any questions about notes from a previous session or the contents of the lesson packet.
- □ Have all of the materials prepared before your student arrives at the reading center.