



Luna's Bilingual Library

Teacher Guide — Grades K-2

What it is: Interactive illustrated adventure books where children search for Luna the golden puppy in richly detailed scenes — building vocabulary, observation skills, and reading confidence in **both English and Spanish**. Toggle between EN/ES instantly. Audio narration in both languages. Works on any device.

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Find Luna Books

EN + ES

Bilingual narration

K-2

Grade levels

0

Student logins

12

Bonus storybooks

How it works: Share a link. Students open any book on any device — Chromebook, tablet, smartboard. Toggle between English and Spanish. Luna is hidden in every scene. Audio narration plays in either language. No accounts, no data collection, no IT setup.

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How to Use This Guide

Before the first session: Bookmark schools.smartstuffstudios.com on your smartboard or classroom devices. Books work on any modern browser. No student accounts needed.

Universal Activity: Find Luna! (All Books)

Whole-Class Guided Version

1. Open the book on your smartboard. *EN / ES* toggle at top-right lets you switch languages for the whole class.
2. Read the opening page aloud (English). Ask:
"What do you think Luna will find at the zoo/beach/forest?"
3. Navigate through 2-3 scenes as a group. Ask:
"Where do you see Luna hiding? What clues tell you it's her?"
4. Students shout out when they spot Luna. Celebrate discoveries.
5. Switch to Spanish for a second pass. Listen to the audio narration.

Independent / Center Version

1. Students open on individual tablets or Chromebooks.
2. Students work at their own pace through scenes.
3. Audio narration plays by tapping any page — great for ESL learners.
4. Students choose their favorite scene to draw or write about.

 **Pair Activity:** Partner A uses English, Partner B uses Spanish. Each finds Luna and describes the scene in their language. Then compare!

Book Collection



Find Luna at the Beach

12 scenes. Ocean vocabulary, tides, shells. Summer units.



Find Luna at the Zoo

10 scenes. Animal habitats, classification. Zoo trip prep.



Find Luna in the Forest

12 scenes. Woodland animals, ecosystems. Fall nature units.



Find Luna in Space

12 scenes. Planets, astronauts, gravity. Space science.



Find Luna: Dinosaur Valley

7 scenes. Paleontology intro. Kids love the T-Rex scene.



Find Luna in Atlantis

6 scenes. Underwater ruins, sea creatures. Imagination.



Find Luna on the Farm

10 scenes. Farm animals, crops. Community helpers units.



Find Luna in the Snow

8 scenes. Winter animals, snowflakes. January units.



Find Luna at the Library

7 scenes. Book genres, library skills. Back-to-school.



Luna's Best Friend Lucy

7 scenes. Friendship, animals, empathy. SEL-aligned.



Find Luna: The Park

7 scenes. Community spaces, geography. Neighborhood units.



+ 12 Bonus Storybooks

AI-illustrated picture books. New art styles every book.

Grade-Band Lesson Plans

Kindergarten — "Luna Loves Learning"

Lesson 1: Zoo Adventure (Find Luna at the Zoo) — 20 min | CCSS.RL.K.1, ELD.PI.K-5.Exchanging

1. **Warm-up (3 min):** Show book cover on smartboard. Ask: "Have you ever been to a zoo? What animals did you see?"
2. **Read-aloud + Find (10 min):** Navigate 4-5 scenes. Read page text aloud. Ask: "Do you see Luna? Where is she hiding?"
3. **Language toggle (4 min):** Switch to Spanish. Play Spanish audio. Ask: "What is different? What is the same?"
4. **Wrap-up (3 min):** "Draw Luna in your favorite zoo scene."

Lesson 2: Beach Vocabulary (Find Luna at the Beach) — 20 min | EN+ES vocabulary building

1. **Preview:** Show first beach scene (no narration). Elicit vocabulary — chart in EN.
2. **Spanish intro:** Same scene in Spanish. Play Spanish narration. Teach: crab = cangrejo, wave = ola, sand = arena.
3. **Find Luna:** Navigate to find Luna in 2 beach scenes.
4. **Exit ticket:** "Name one thing at the beach in English AND Spanish."

Grade 1 — "Adventures in Reading"

Lesson 1: Dinosaur Detectives (Dinosaur Valley) — 30 min | CCSS.RL.1.1, CCSS.RL.1.2

1. **Activate knowledge (5 min):** "What do you know about dinosaurs? What do you want to find out?"
2. **Guided reading (15 min):** Go through scenes. Pause: "Where is Luna? What dinosaur is near her? How does the clue help you know?"
3. **Retell (7 min):** After finding Luna everywhere: retell the adventure in order. Chart 3 key events.
4. **Spanish extension (3 min):** Play Spanish narration. Students repeat key vocabulary.

Lesson 2: Compare Two Environments (Beach vs. Forest) — 30 min | Compare/contrast, EN+ES

1. Create a Venn diagram on the board: "What is the same? What is different?"
2. Navigate both books together. Students name 3 animals Forest only, 3 Beach only, 2 in both.
3. Students write 2 comparing sentences (scaffolded: "In the forest I saw _____. At the beach I saw _____. They are the same because _____.")

Grade 2 — "Deep Reading Adventures"

Lesson 1: Character Response (Atlantis) — 35 min | CCSS.RL.2.3, WIDA.ELDS.2-5.Imagining

1. **Book talk:** "This is a special underwater city. Luna found it. Let's see what happens."
2. **Guided reading:** All 6 scenes. Ask: "How does Luna feel? What clue tells you?" (Emotional vocabulary: excited, curious, surprised, brave.)
3. **Character chart:** Scene | Luna's feeling | What she does.
4. **Writing prompt:** "Write 3 sentences about a time YOU felt brave like Luna."

Dual-Language & ESL Activities • Assessment

Dual-Language Classroom Activities

Parallel Reading (All books — 20 min/week)

Students read one scene in their heritage language, then switch to their new language. Compare: "Is the word for beach the same? Is the story the same?" Builds cross-linguistic awareness.

Role Play — "Luna's Scene" (20 min)

Students act out a favorite scene. One student is Luna, others are the animals. Scripted lines in both languages: "Hola, Luna. ¿Dónde estás?" / "Hello, Luna. Where are you hiding?"

Vocabulary Sheet

English	Spanish	Picture
beach	la playa	[draw]
ocean	el océano	[draw]
crab	el cangrejo	[draw]

Write Your Own Luna Page (30 min)

Students draw a new scene for their favorite Luna book. Write 1-3 sentences in English AND Spanish describing where Luna is hiding. Compile into a class book.

Weekly Bilingual Literacy Rotation

Day	Activity	Book	Language Focus
Monday	Whole-class read-aloud (EN)	Zoo or Beach	Vocabulary building
Tuesday	Center rotation — independent (ES)	Student's choice	Fluency in Spanish
Wednesday	Compare/contrast activity (EN + ES)	Forest vs. Beach	Cross-linguistic
Thursday	Vocabulary + writing extension	Space or Dinosaur	Informational writing
Friday	Creative response (draw/write/act)	Student's choice	Self-expression

Observation Checklist

Skill	Beginning (1)	Developing (2)	Proficient (3)
Book navigation	Needs help navigating	Navigates with reminders	Navigates confidently, finds Luna in all scenes

EN vocabulary	Names 0-2 objects	Names 3-5 with cues	Names 6+ in sentences
ES vocabulary	Recognizes 0-2 Spanish words	Recognizes 3-5 with support	Reads 5+ words independently
Retell	Unable to retell in order	Retells 2-3 events with prompting	Retells all key events in sequence
Character response	Cannot describe Luna's feelings	Names 1-2 feeling words	Names feelings + explains clues from scene

Standards Alignment • Tech Notes

Standards Alignment

Standard	Description	Luna Activity
CCSS.RL.K.1	Ask/answer questions about key details	Find Luna in each scene; discuss clues
CCSS.RL.K.7	Connect illustrations to story	Describe how scenes match the narration
CCSS.RL.1.1	Ask/answer about key details	Scene-based detail hunts
CCSS.RL.1.2	Retell stories, including key details	Oral retell after completing a book
CCSS.RL.2.3	Describe character response to events	Character response chart (Atlantis lesson)
ELD.PI.K-5.Exchanging	Exchange information in both languages	Pair: EN student + ES student compare scenes
ELD.PI.K-5.Imagining	Interpret and create multimodal texts	Draw your own Luna page

Differentiation Guide

 **Below level:** Play audio narration in student's stronger language while they follow along — builds confidence without pressure. Use the EN/ES toggle as a scaffold.

 **Above level:** "Write the next Luna scene" creative extension + Spanish vocabulary challenge (can you find 10 Spanish words and use them in a sentence?).

 **On level:** Independent reading with EN/ES toggle as natural scaffold. Encourage Spanish-first reading for ESL students.

Technology Notes

Works great on:

- Chromebooks (school-provided or BYOD)

IT requirements:

- Any modern browser (Chrome, Safari, Edge)

- iPads / Android tablets
- Classroom smartboards
- Desktop computers in computer lab
- Student smartphones (if school policy allows)
- Internet connection (first load; cached after)
- **Zero admin permissions required**
- No app install needed
- No Flash or plugins

Privacy — State It Loudly:

No student accounts. No data collection on children. No ads. No third-party trackers. COPPA + FERPA compliant. 符合儿童在线隐私保护法. We are happy to sign your district's DPA — contact us at **schools.smartstuffstudios.com** or call **404-825-1118**.

Family Connection Letter

Dear Family,

*This week in class, your child is reading **Luna's Bilingual Library** — interactive adventure books in English and Spanish! To practice at home:*

- 1. Visit **schools.smartstuffstudios.com** — use your class code: [CODE]*
- 2. Read one scene together in English, then switch to Spanish.*
- 3. Ask: "¿Dónde está Luna?" / "Where is Luna?"*

Reading in both languages strengthens both. Thank you for supporting our bilingual journey!
— [Teacher Name], [School]