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Townsend Vocabulary instruction. The importance of vocabulary knowledge has long been recognized in the  
development of reading skills. As early as 1924, researchers noted that growth in reading power means  
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and verbal fluency skills and understand story structure and meaning.