

## **Built on the Basics. Powered by Technology. Driven by the Belief that Every Student Can Achieve.**

At ODYSSEYWARE, we're committed to educating today's students. Although technology helps us provide interactive and engaging instruction to your students, the rigor, relevance, and effectiveness of our courses has always been our priority.

Ensuring our courses are **grade-level appropriate** is essential to the academic success of online students who must read, interact, and react to course content in a student-driven learning environment. Beginning with course design, each ODYSSEYWARE course is carefully crafted with the right amount of content to challenge students while allowing them a reasonable opportunity for success.

Our attention to age-appropriate design can be seen through all elements of the course:

- Course content
- Multimedia support
- Examples
- Dynamic learning activities (DLA)
- Assessment (both constructed and selected response)

Instructional text in ODYSSEYWARE courses is intentionally written at an academic level that is appropriate to both the subject matter being taught as well as the student's academic ability. Presenting students with engaging and challenging content is a central focus of our curriculum development philosophy. At the same time, we have recently added student tools to help them increase their reading comprehension as they continue to pursue academic success.

While all our courses are designed on grade level, the flexibility of our curriculum allows teachers to quicken or slow the pace at which individual students can work through lessons. In this way, each student has the opportunity to understand, learn, and feel the satisfaction of academic success.



