## **PROGRAM FEATURES**

For more than five decades, Vocabulary Workshop has proven to be a highly successful tool for vocabulary growth and the development of vocabulary skills. It has also been shown to help students prepare for standardized tests. Vocabulary Workshop Achieve maintains that tradition in a newly designed format.

Each of VOCABULARY WORKSHOP ACHIEVE'S 15
Units introduces 20 words in two 10-word
lists—Set A and Set B. Both Set A and Set B
contain exercises to help you develop deeper
understanding of the 10 words in each set.
Combined Sets A and B then provide practice
with all 20 of the words in the Unit. Review and
Word Study activities follow Units 3, 6, 9, 12, and
15 and offer practice with the 60 vocabulary
words in the preceding three Units.

Each level of Vocabulary Workshop Achieve introduces and provides practice with 300 vocabulary words and contains features such as reading passages, writing prompts, vocabulary in context, evidence-based questions, and word study that will help you to master these new vocabulary words and succeed in using skills to comprehend unfamiliar words.

Each Unit in VOCABULARY WORKSHOP ACHIEVE consists of the following sections for Set A and Set B: an introductory Reading Passage that shows how vocabulary words are used in context, Definitions that include sentences that give examples of how to use the words, Using

Context, Choosing the Right Word, and Completing the Sentence—activities that provide practice with the vocabulary words. Each introductory Reading Passage is a nonfiction text that includes most of the vocabulary words from the Unit to which it belongs. In addition, Synonyms, Antonyms, and Vocabulary in Context in combined Sets A and B round out each Unit with practice with all 20 Unit words.

The five Review sections cover all 60 words from their corresponding Units. Vocabulary for Comprehension is modeled on the reading sections of college entrance exams. It presents reading comprehension questions, including vocabulary-related items and evidence-based items that are based on the reading passages.

Word Study sections that contain activities on Idioms, Denotation and Connotation, and Classical Roots follow the Review. These sections will help you develop your understanding of figurative language and practice skills that will help you to determine the meaning of new and unfamiliar vocabulary.

The Final Mastery Test assesses a selection of words from the year and allows you to see the growth you have made in acquiring new vocabulary words and in mastering the comprehension skills you need to understand unfamiliar words.

## **ONLINE RESOURCES**

SadlierConnect.com

Go to SadlierConnect.com to find <code>Words</code>, an audio program that provides pronunciations, definitions, and examples of usage for all of the vocabulary words presented in this level of <code>Vocabulary Workshop Achieve</code>. You can listen to the entire Reading Passage and the 20 Unit vocabulary words one word at a time, or download all of the words in any given Unit.

At SadlierConnect.com you will also find interactive vocabulary quizzes, flash cards, and interactive games and puzzles that will help reinforce and enrich your understanding of the vocabulary words in this level of Vocabulary Workshop Achieve.