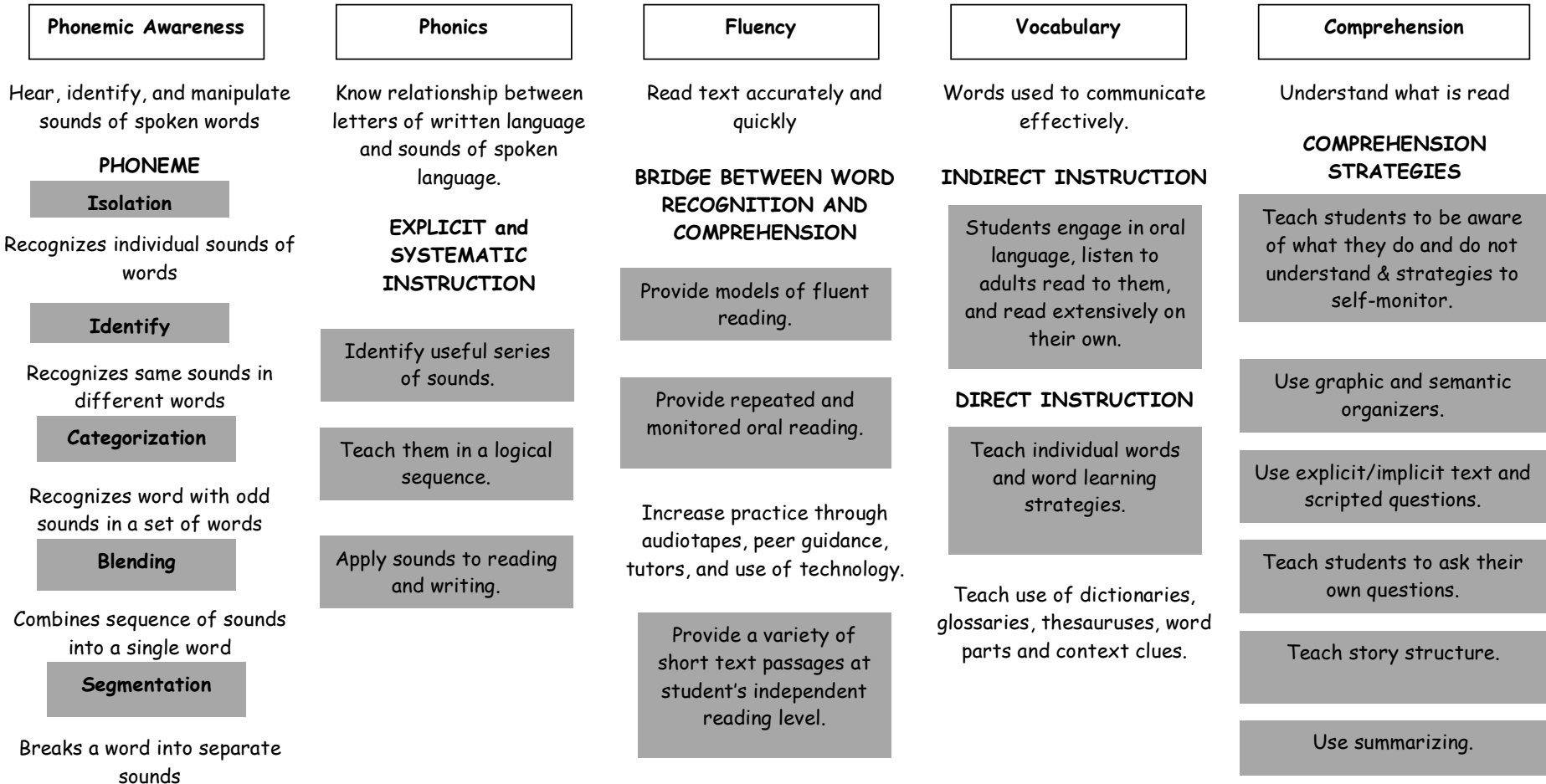


## Effective Reading Instruction



Oral language provides a background and springboard for developing all language skills across the curriculum. It must be an integral and important part of learning. English Language Learners must have opportunities to interweave the learning of listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in a meaningful, functional, and balanced program.

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