

Good morning,

Today, we begin our Accelerated Reader Rumble. This is simply a fun way to encourage our students to read, and to allow families to become more familiar with the Accelerated Reader program at home. In this e-mail, I've attached the Renaissance instruction document that went out in the Fall. It explains how to log on to Accelerated Reader for the first time. I also hope to answer some more questions with this email.

### **What is my child's login information?**

Your homeroom teacher has the login information for every child.

### **My child logged in...now what?**

It is important that your child clicks on the orange Accelerated Reader box when they log in as that is where the reading practice quizzes are available. From there, your child can search for the book on which they would like to quiz.

### **Is my child required to quiz only on school library books?**

No, your child may quiz on any book they've ever read from any location. This includes books from home, other libraries, etc. They may also quiz on books read to them.

### **How do I know which books are in the Accelerated Reader catalog?**

While there are many books in the Accelerated Reader quiz catalog, not every book is included. To see the quizzes that are available, you can search directly for it on the Renaissance/Accelerated Reader website or use <https://www.arbookfind.com/>.

There are also phone apps such as [Points Scan](#) that allow you to scan the book's ISBN number to determine if a quiz is attached. **These are third party apps, so we have no control over the advertisements that are shown.**

In our school library, books with quizzes have colored labels on the spine that indicate the reading level.

Kindergarten – Pink  
1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Orange  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – Green  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – Red  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Yellow  
5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Blue  
Older Grades - White

Should you have any other questions, feel free to contact me at [acamm@bishopmussio.org](mailto:acamm@bishopmussio.org), or by checking out this website: <https://www.renaissance.com/family-resources-accelerated-reader/>.

Thank you,

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