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Year 3 Parent Workshop September 2023

ACCELERATED READER, MYON & SPELLING FRAME

What is Renaissance?

Renaissance is made up for 3 components:

- ► Star reading
- Accelerated reader (AR)
- ► MyOn

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Star Reading

- Online assessment used to determine a child's English reading level.
- ► The program uses computer-adaptive technology, continually adjusting to each child's response during the online assessment. If the response is correct, the difficulty level is increased. If they cannot answer a question, or answer incorrectly, the difficulty is reduced.
- The test uses multiple-choice questions and takes 20-30 minutes.
- From this test a child is given thieir reading range.
- ▶ The assessments online are repeated every half term.

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Reading Range

- ► A reading range gives a child and their teacher understanding of which books the child will be able to read independently and understand so they grow at their own pace.
- The lower end of their reading age will mean they are comfortable reading at that level, the higher end of their reading range will be more challenging.
- Teachers will guide pupils within their reading range based on how well they do in their quizzes.
- It is important not to remember the reading range is their to challenge your child without causing frustration or loss of motivation for reading

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Accelerated Reader (AR)

- AR is a computer program that helps teachers manage and monitor a child's independent reading practice.
- Children pick either a physical book that falls within their reading range or choose to read from the recommended MyOn digital library.
- ▶ When they finish reading, they take a short quiz on the computer passing the quiz is an indication that the child had understood what has been read.



What is MyOn?

- MyOn is a digital classroom resource containing thousands of digitized books.
- Books are recommended for each pupil by their reading range and year group.
- Pupils use this platform to identify their interests so that they get personalized recommendations
- ► They also take an AR quiz straight after reading the book and this links through to AR monitoring platform so teachers can see their progress.



How can I help my child with reading?

- Encourage your child to read daily for 20 minutes at least. This can be their library book or a book on MyOn.
- Support them to explore and identify their interests.
- ▶ Ensure they take the quiz for the book they have read. This is how their teacher will know how well they have done with their independent reading and support them in school.
- ▶ Don't do the quiz for them!



How do we encourage your child to read?

- For each book your child reads, they get points.
- ▶ They also get a percentage score for their quizzing for each book.
- We expect all children to be achieving at least an 85% pass rate on quizzing
- ▶ Each week we nominate super readers of the week for the children who have the highest percentage score and points. This is to ensure that pupils are reward not for just reading but also reading with understanding.
- ▶ Each week we also nominate a reading masterclass based on the level of participation of students in the class.

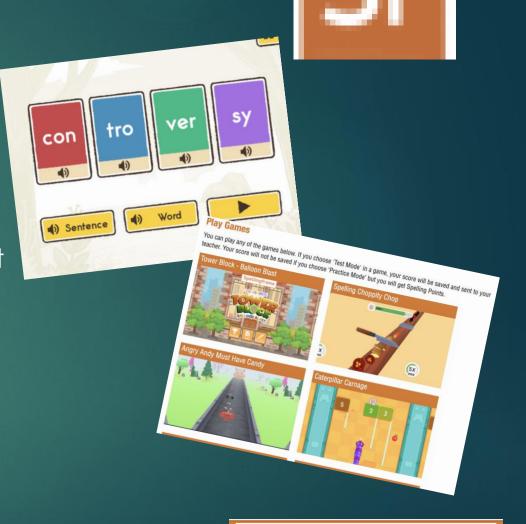


Things to note:

- MyOn and Spellingframe can be accessed from home.
- ► AR is not accessible through a web search.
- AR quizzes need to be done through MyOn if the child has read a book from the MyOn platform.
- If they have read a physical book and need to quiz, this must be taken at school using AR.
- Your children have been trained by their teacher on how to use the platforms. Ask them to show you.
- For MyOn you will need to ensure you search MyOn.co.uk

What is Spellingframe?

- Spellingframe is an online platform which allows teacher to share spelling words with pupils.
- ► The platform allows pupils to practice and test themselves online by:
- Segmenting words
- Spelling tiles
- Word search
- games
- practice exercises



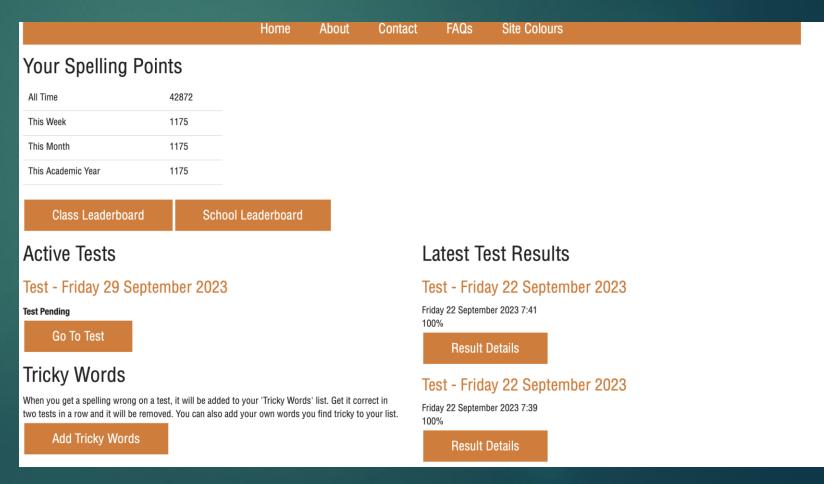
Spellingframe

Your teacher has set some tests that you haven't completed.

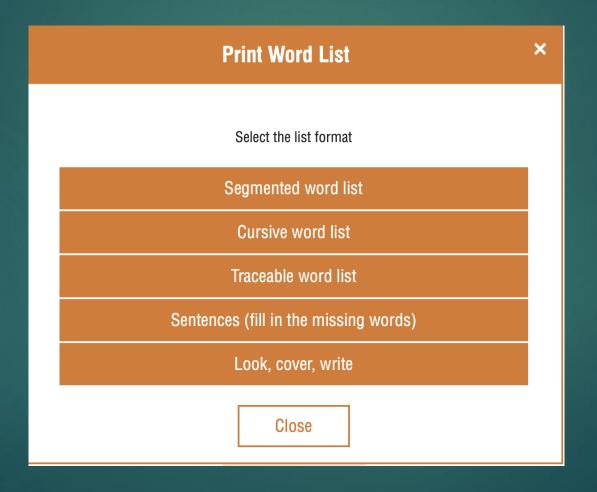
Click here to go to the dashboard to see the list of pending tests.

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Change a spelling rule then change to either practice the spelling or take a test with those words. All words are read aloud (make sure your



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- ▶ If your child is:
- struggling to use or find something on the platform
- Lost their username and/or passwords for platforms

please email your class teacher via the <u>admin@shsharingey.co.uk</u> email address to ask them to support your child.