

Accelerated Reader

Powers....

ACTIVATE... *Let's Read!*



Accelerated Reader helps students enhance their reading skills by providing reading practice and regular feedback to teachers on their progress. Each student selects a book based on his or her interests and reading level. Following the reading, students will take a computerized quiz to test their understanding of the book's content and vocabulary. Student quiz performance allows teachers to monitor progress and identify those who require additional support with on-grade-level texts or acceleration in Lexile level. Every week, students are limited to selecting one book out of their Lexile Zone to read for pleasure, which helps foster a love of reading. Book choices that include fiction and nonfiction in each student's reading goal are critical.

District Alignment: Students will know their Lexile Levels and select self-dependent reading materials accordingly.



Accelerated Reader Certification Levels

READY READER: Accumulate **5 points** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the READY READER board on your hall.

Reward: Candy/Pencil/Bookmark



INDEPENDENT READER: Accumulate **10 points** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the INDEPENDENT READER board on your hall.

Reward: Reading Selfie/Reading Bracelet

RISING READER: Accumulate **15 points** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the RISING READER board on your hall.

Reward: Lanyard with Reading Pin



SUPER READER: Accumulate **20 points** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the SUPER READER board on your hall.

Reward: Reading Pin/Eat Lunch on Stage/Ice Cream Party

STAR READER: Accumulate **30 points** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the STAR READER board on your hall.

Reward: Reading Pin/Popcorn/Movie Party

CLASSIC READER: Accumulate **40 points** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the CLASSIC READER board on your hall.

Reward: Reading Pin/Pizza Party with Principals



HONORS READER: **Read all books listed on the Richmond Reads grade-level book list** with an overall average of 80% or better. Sign the HONORS READER board on your hall.

Reward: Reading Pin/Gaming Truck/TIK TOK Station/SPECIAL SUPRISE



It is highly recommended for teachers to make it a priority to schedule weekly visits to the Media Center for their students. This is because focusing on reading skills is crucial for enhancing academic development. To determine appropriate materials, it is suggested that teachers refer to students' STAR Reading and iReady assessment results, specifically their Lexile Level. Teachers should regularly review progress reports and make necessary adjustments to students' reading levels.

Ms. Boutry (TAP Master Teacher) and Ms. Story (Media Specialist) will assist with pulling weekly AR reports to monitor the progress of students.

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