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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope the start of this unusual summer term finds you all happy and well.

To support your child reading at home and accessing age appropriate material please look at the following resources.

All pupils can access <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/books/free-ebooks/> there are many books that match their reading materials that they read in school already, including RML books for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.

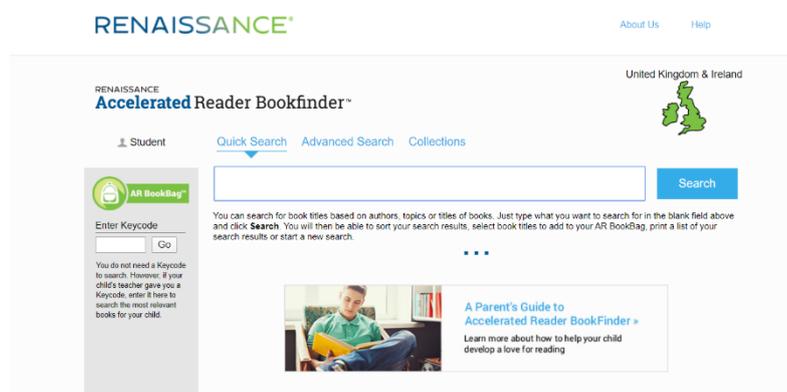
If your child is in Year 2 through to Year 6 they will for the foreseeable future be able to access Accelerated Reader at home here: <https://ukhosted85.renlearn.co.uk/2243696/default.aspx>



Your child will already have their login which is usually the first letter of their name and then the first 4 letters of their surname e.g. Polly Jones = pjone and the password is ABC (not case sensitive). Your child should also have been given their 'reading range - ZPD score' e.g. 2.3-3.1. By reading books within this range they are reading at the right challenge level which will enable progress.

You can check if a book is in your child's reading range of a book by checking it on:

<https://www.arbookfind.co.uk/UserType.aspx?RedirectURL=%2fdefault.aspx>



- Select student and click submit
- Type the title of the book or article and it will tell you the ZPD range



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If you have any problem logging or your child does not have their 'reading range' you can email me at support@stjosephs.greenwich.sch.uk and I will text you your child's login or reading range.

Once logged into Accelerated Reader there are Articles that your child can read and then take a quiz on. Renaissance have also given free access to myON which is suitable for Year 1 - Year 6.

You access myOn here: <https://readon.myon.co.uk/>



- Pupils from Year 1 - Year 6 can also access for the foreseeable future myON - at no cost
- Parents can select the Year group to select appropriate material -click on Search icon - Select Year Level and then choose from Year 1 - Year 6



- myOn has a range of fiction and non-fiction books to select from which are also audio books and can be enlarged for visual impairment
- There is a dictionary tool on the right of the page to look up definitions of words
- Each week day articles are added to a News section - 5 articles everyday they are available in English, Spanish or French.
- The articles are current and are age appropriate
- Children can then take quizzes on what they have read
- Most of the material on myON can be quizzed on Accelerated Reader too
- Many of the books on Oxford Owl can be quizzed on too

I really hope these resources help support reading at home, you can of course use any resource you have available to you. There are many more resources available online and I will be updating the Home Learning tab with lots of free reading and English resources which you can find on the school website on our Home Learning ideas at: <https://stjosephs.greenwich.sch.uk/home-learning-2/>

If you have any questions or resources to share please do email me on the support@stjosephs.greenwich.sch.uk email.

Looking forwards to seeing you all again in the near future,

Kindest regards,

Mrs England

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