



# Accelerated Reader News

**What is Accelerated Reader?** Accelerated Reader (AR) is a web-based program used at school for grades 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>. When a student finishes a book, he or she can then take an AR test on it and earn points.

The longer the book, the more points it will be. (*Gone With the Wind* is 71 points. *Fly Guy and the Frankenfly* is ½ of a point.)

## **How do I know if a book is in the Accelerated Reader program?**

You can look it up on [www.arbookfind.com](http://www.arbookfind.com). Please note that not every book in our library has an AR test.

**How can I check my child's progress in AR?** I can create a username for you after you follow these steps:

- Go to <http://Hosted224.renlearn.com/210853>
- Click "I'm a Parent" and then "Request Parent/Guardian Access" towards the bottom of the screen
- Put in your necessary information

**What now?** A request will be sent to me, and I will send you an email with your new username and password!

**PLEASE REMEMBER.** Encourage your children to read books that interest and excite them! 😊 AR points can be fun to gain, but the most important thing to me is that our students find books they enjoy reading!

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