Accelerate Learning this Summer

with myON



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Dear Educator,

Welcome to the myON summer resources kit! This summer is an opportunity for students to continue learning and growing. We want to help ensure that your students continue their literacy momentum during the summer months.

myON is here to support all types of summer learning, including formal and informal instructional programs and summer school, school and community-based enrichment programs, and even independent learning opportunities.

On the following pages, you will find time-saving ideas and materials to support your students throughout the summer. These letters, engaging activities, templates, and other easy-to-use resources can support your ongoing student and family engagement efforts and keep students excited and engaged in reading throughout the summer.

We are proud to be your partner in success and wish your students a great summer of learning!

The Benaissance Team

P.S. For more resources to support summer learning with Renaissance, please visit: https://www.renaissance.com/summerlearning/

Contact us at any time:

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Additional resources:

Help Articles: https://help2.renaissance.com/myON

Renaissance Everywhere: https://www.renaissance.com/renaissance-everywhere/

Smart Start: https://renaissance.widen.net/s/n9jkpptffs/

View this video to learn more about myON



"Meet myON" Video for Educators

https://videos.renaissance.com/watch/EoQLFs98JmP7eb9Xy2eYre



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"I love that Renaissance Royals is an on-going professional development that I can do at my own pace! They also have some fun rewards for participation and engagement!"

Amanda E. | Teacher | Georgia

With Renaissance Royals, you will have the opportunity to:



Connect with other educators across the nation



Complete engaging activities and earn points



Access Renaissance resources



Learn more and join today!



Renaissance National Honor Roll recognizes educators for their outstanding implementation of Renaissance programs.

Participate in best practice activities for Accelerated Reader, Freckle for math, myON, and Star Assessments. There are only eight bite-sized activities to complete, and the 2022–2023 Honor Roll program begins August 15, 2022.

Educators who earn National Honor Roll will be recognized on our website and receive achievement kits that include a pennant/banner, customizable student and teacher certificates, and more!

Learn more and get started today!

"Participating in Honor Roll activities provides me with help, encouragement, and differing experiences from other educators. The Honor Roll resources have allowed me to find information and data reports that are more beneficial to my class, students, and parents.

By collaborating with other users in the discussions I can see differing ways of teaching, obtaining data, and how to utilize them for the betterment of my classroom and students."

Athena O. | Teacher | Oklahoma





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NOTE: Multiple versions of handouts and templates are available in this kit, including those with and without character graphics, so you can select the best match for your students and families.

Download a quick reference list of these resources here

https://renaissance.widen.net/s/9crn55vctp/527258-myon-summer-2022-quick-reference-list

Build a STEM or STEAM Book-of-the-Day Calendar

Use the template on this page to build your own Book-of-the-Day Calendar that encourages reading among students—and engages families—around these exciting topics.

Example



To find titles that match your learning goals, **Browse** or **Search** the myON library.

Check the **Standards Search** for titles aligned to the National STEM Standards, Next Generation Science Standards, National Council for Social Studies Standards (Science, Technology, and Society subsection), Common Core State Standards, and your own State Standards.

When setting up your calendar, consider a combination of topical titles for each week, a topic-of-the-day, or an assortment of STEM or STEAM titles throughout the week or month.

Template



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Weekly focus:

Week 1: **S**cience Week 2: **T**echnology Week 3: **E**ngineering Week 4: **A**rt Week 5: **M**ath

Daily focus:

Science Monday
Technology Tuesday
Engineering Wednesday
Art Thursday
Math Friday
Fun STEAM Fiction Weekends

Recommended Book Lists:

Click here to download Grades Pre-K-2 Click here to download Grades 3-5 Click here to download Grades 6 & up

Expand Your Book-of-the-Day Calendar to Include Projects

Incorporate projects into your calendar or create a calendar of projects that students complete over the course of one or more days or weeks this summer.

You can find a broad selection of projects to adopt or adapt in the myON Projects Cloud. Access **Projects** from the **Classroom** tab in your myON account and search "STEM" and "STEAM" to view projects created by other educators. Or create your own!

Check out these **Help Articles** for step-by-step instructions:

- How to Create Projects
 https://help2.renaissance.com/myON/how-create-projects-faculty
- How to Copy a Project from the Cloud https://help2.renaissance.com/myON/how-copy-project-from-cloud
- How to Edit Projects
 https://help2.renaissance.com/myON/how-edit-projects-faculty
- How to Add Books to a Project
 https://help2.renaissance.com/myON/how-add-books-projects-library
- How to Assign Projects (Faculty): https://help2.renaissance.com/myON/how-assign-projects-faculty



DIY Reading Challenge Ideas

Reading challenges are fun opportunities to engage students and recognize their efforts during the summer. Use the resources in this kit along with reports within myON to plan challenges that address your summer reading goals.

Getting Started

Plan your challenge(s) and set goals based upon easy-to-access data reports within myON, such as time spent reading or number of books read. This will save valuable time identifying challenge winners.

(You can find information on the data that is available within each report at https://help2.renaissance.com/myON/what-type-data-shown-each-report.)

Personal Best Challenges

Direct students to set their own reading goals and recognize their individual achievements.

For example:

- · Read 20 minutes every day
- Read a specific number of books during one or more months this summer
- Read about a new topic of interest

Competitive Challenges

Determine the criteria for each challenge and how you will group students for these challenges, then provide them with guidelines and a timeline.

For example:

- Top class within a grade or grade-range within your school
- · Top grade within a school building
- Top school in the district

Resources

Use the turnkey resources within this kit to announce your challenge(s) and recognize student achievements.

- Flyer Template: page 12
- Student Certificate Templates: page 13
- Create-a-Sign Template: page 14
- Web/Social Media Badges: page 15



Letter to Families

Adopt or adapt this letter to provide families with information about myON and how they can support their students' reading growth.

Version 1



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Version 2





Family Activities Handout

Use this handout to provide families with simple, fun ideas to engage with their students in reading this summer.

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Student Login Card Template

Use this template to provide login information to students who are new to myON, or whose login process or credentials may have changed.

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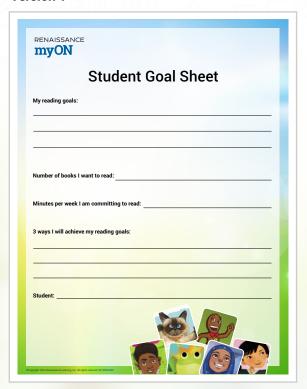




Student Goal Sheet Template

Provide this template to students to help them set their summer reading goals and document strategies for achieving them.

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myON	
•	Student Goal Sheet
My reading goals:	
Number of books I war	nt to read:
Minutes per week I am	o committing to read:
3 ways I will achieve m	ny reading goals:
Student:	

Flyer Template

Use this flyer template to get your summer literacy message and tips out to students and families.

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Example





Student Certificate Template

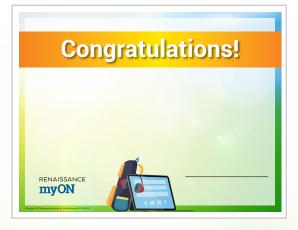
Use this template to create customized certificates that recognize student accomplishments.

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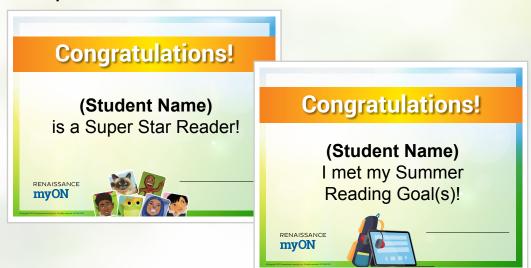
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Examples





Create-a-Sign Template

Celebrate student reading achievements with signs that include simple, impactful messaging. Choose the template size that best fits your needs.

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NOTE: Printer instructions are on the individual sign files

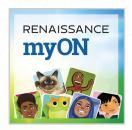
Examples



Web Badges and Sample Messages

Use these badges and sample messages to communicate with students and families through your social media channels and web pages.

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Sample Messages (English)

- Families that read together, grow together.
 Enjoy the fun of reading together and share a book on myON today.
- Looking for a new book idea? Check out myON's Recommended tab and look for your next great summer read.
- Ready to learn something new this summer?
 Books can help you learn a new skill, cook something fun, or experiment with science.
- What makes the perfect summer read?
 Any book that you and your student enjoy together.
- This summer look for STEM books that engage students in science, technology, engineering, and math. Boost learning with a book today!

Sample Messages (Spanish)

- Las familias que leen juntas, crecen juntas.
 Disfruten de la diversión de leer juntos y compartan un libro en myON hoy.
- ¿En busca de nuevas ideas para un libro? Consulten la pestaña de Recomendaciones en myON y busquen su próxima gran lectura de verano.
- ¿Listos para aprender algo nuevo este verano? Los libros pueden ayudarlos a aprender una nueva habilidad, cocinar algo divertido o experimentar con la ciencia.
- ¿Cuál es la lectura de verano perfecta?
 Cualquier libro que usted y su estudiante disfruten juntos.
- Este verano busquen libros STEM que involucren a los estudiantes en ciencias, tecnología, ingeniería y matemáticas.
 Hoy mismo, ¡promuevan el aprendizaje con un libro!

Using Accelerated Reader and myON together

What's better than a whole library's worth of books in myON? Taking an Accelerated Reader quiz and earning points to work toward achieving reading goals! Students have access to Accelerated Reader quizzes for most myON titles.

Three quick steps to get students started:

1. Choose a book

Students can find books within their Accelerated Reader ZPD (the range of books at an appropriate level of challenge) quickly in myON by using the search feature and searching by ATOS book level.

Students can also look at the book's details in myON to see if the ATOS book level and points fit their goals.

2. Read and take the quiz

Students can launch myON and read the book. Once they have finished, they can click a button to launch the AR quiz right away.

3. View reading progress

Once they've read a book in myON and taken the AR quiz, data will flow into the AR reports and goals just like a book they picked out from a library.

Check out the resources for using Accelerated Reader and myON together on the next page!

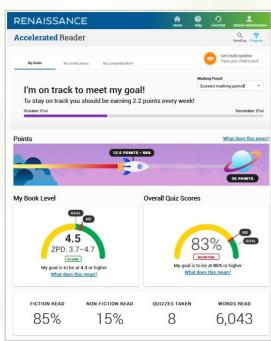
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Resources

Letter to Families

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Flyer Template

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Student Certificate Template

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