

# Apps and Websites

## Reading Stories:

(more websites with stories online are on my webpage and on the students tab under library media center)

~ <https://www.istorybooks.co/home.html>

A variety of fiction and non-fiction to read and listen to (only need to create a free account)

~ <http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/home/reading-owl/find-a-book/library-page>

A variety of fiction and some non-fiction to read and listen to

-can filter by age (tablet friendly/only need to create a free account)

- Also has a kids page where they can play games and print activities

<http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/welcome/home/reading-owl/kids-barn>

~Bookster

Narration from kids their age, learn new vocabulary words, and can **record themselves reading the books** when they've finished! (hearing their voice will help them with their fluency and make it fun to read with feeling and to change their voice for different characters) *iPad, iPhone, iPod Touch, Android; free with first e-book.(2 free books, the rest you have to buy)*

~Me Books

Narrated pictures and text. Children are able to record their voice talking as one of the characters in the picture (Enables your child to gain a deeper understanding of the story by thinking about what this character is doing and why, and how they would sound and feel. Also allows your child to see that pictures help us understand the words but can also teach us something new and different about the character) *iPad, iPhone, iPod Touch, Android?; free with first e-book.(the rest you have to buy)*

~Books by GrasshopperApps.com

Type in I like books and many free books will come up by grasshopperapps.com. These books have a listening option or read to self option where you can click a word and it will tell it to you if you are stuck. Many are non-fiction.

~MeeGenius

## Fluency (Free):

### ~TimeReading Lite

Gives your child an opportunity to work on their fluency. There are 5 stories for each grade level. Pick a story and see how many words per minute you can read. Also use this as a way to work on remembering what they read and comprehending the story.

## Spelling Apps (Free):

### ~Spelling City

Various games to play that work on targeted words by grade level

### ~Spelling Magic 2

Work on consonant blends/ letter sound recognition/ vocabulary

### ~Little Speller Sight Words

Work on spelling sight words and letter sound recognition (can go to setting and choose word length, picture clues, and word clues)

### ~Play Sight Words 2

An easy and hard level option where your child can take a word tour, unscramble, play memory and bingo, or practice their words.

### ~Cimo Spelling

Practice sight words and word families by spelling the word to help Cimo get across the water.

### ~Reading Magic

Reading Magic 1

Reading Magic 2 (consonant blend sampler)

Reading Magic 3 (multiple syllables sampler)

Reading Magic 4 (silent final e sampler)

Practice how to blend, segment, and read words. Helps with sight word recognition and fluency.

### ~Spelling Test Free by FunExam.com

Let's your child create a spelling list. For each word they type in they also say the word. When they go to take the test they play word and then type the word a heard. (A fun and different way to do a practice spelling test)

## Letter Formation (Free):

### ~iWw Lite

A fun way to practice writing their letters neatly or refreshing their memory on the correct way to write the letter (download the letter land writing songs from my website to sing along as you write the letter)