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ONLINE BOOKS/EBOOKS

<p>Capstone Interactive Simultaneous, unlimited access to all 3877 eBook titles Username= continue Password = reading</p>	<p>Tumblebooks (eBooks for K-3) Contact your teacher or librarian for the password or use the direct link on the EH Library website.</p>
<p>Follett Lightbox eBooks - Simultaneous, unlimited access to over 1000 preK-12 Lightbox and AV2 titles. Lightbox eBooks include audio, video clips, activities, weblinks and keyword vocabulary. To access:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Go to destinydiscover.com2. In the Location box, it says "any location." Do not change.3. In the School box, enter "Follett eLearning, McHenry, IL"4. Click on the "Log In" button at top right of the screen. Username= guest Password = follett <p>Try this video that explains how to get logged in.</p>	<p>NC Kids Digital Library (via CHCCS CHPL/OCPL Easy Access account) Things Just For Kids Ebooks and Audiobooks.</p> <p>Libby APP (Library Card Required) Gives you an easy way to read public library ebooks and listen to audiobooks</p>
	<p>Epic (30 Day Free Trial) <i>Free Teacher/Educator classroom accounts. Teachers will send invites to parents for students to connect to their EPIC accounts</i></p>
	<p>Vooks (30 Day Free Trials) Need to sign up for a new account.</p>
<p>AUDIBLE STORIES Free access to story collections on audible in multiple languages.</p>	<p>Abdo Digital (Free Through June 30) Abdo Grades PreK-8 Online Digital Library</p>

[Unite for Literacy](#) Mostly nonfiction ebooks for very young readers. Text displayed in English or Spanish, with read aloud option in 43 languages including Burmese and Karen.

[Spanish Playground](#) Spanish reading for kids, including links to stories online, downloadable stories, and printables.

AUTHOR SHARES AND READ ALOUDS

<p>Kate Messner - Read Wonder and Learn Learn anywhere. Compiled by author Kate Messner</p>	<p>Harry Potter From Home Wizarding World presents Harry Potter from home</p>
<p>Daily Author Readings and Activities The Big List of Children's Authors doing online read alouds and activities</p>	<p>Draw Every Day with JJK Author Jarrett J. Krosoczka's daily drawing lesson.</p> <p>Mo Willems Daily Doodle 1pm Daily Doodle with author Mo Willems.</p>
<p>KidLit TV Author read-alouds, podcasts, book-related crafts & activities.</p>	<p>Storyline Videos featuring celebrated actors reading children's books alongside creatively produced illustrations.</p>
<p>Read Brightly Lots of storytime options with read alouds of some new favorites.</p>	<p>100+ Video Read Alouds Some overlap with other sites, but all in one place for children to click and choose. Courtesy of Indianapolis Public Library</p>
<p>Daily author readings Dan Gutman Lauren Tarshis Grace Lin Peter H. Reynolds</p>	<p>Neil Gaiman's Mouse Circus Author Neil Gaiman's site for kids, with activities and videos of him reading The Graveyard Book and Coraline!</p>
<p>Book Trust Interactive books to read online or watch with signing, as well as related games.</p>	<p>#Operation ASL Storytime American Sign Language Storytimes Youtube Channel</p>
<p>Virtual LitClubs Cultivate hope, joy, and literacy for kids and communities in any environment with these online tools.</p>	<p>Storytime From Space Astronauts reading books from space!</p>
<p>Publisher Guidelines for read-alouds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See updated Publisher list on this School Library Journal article 	

- Please review [copyright guidelines before recording and sharing read alouds HERE](#).

K-5 GENERAL RESOURCES

<p>PebbleGo modules: Animals, Science, Biographies, Social Studies, and Dinosaurs in English and Spanish</p> <p>PebbleGo Next modules for Grades 3-5: States, Science, American Indian History, Social Studies, and Biographies</p> <p>Contact your teacher or librarian for login information.</p>	<p>BrainPop BrainPOP Jr. BrainPop Espanol</p> <p>Videos, guiding questions and activities for a variety of subjects!</p> <p>Ask your teacher or librarian for login information.</p>
<p>PBS for Parents - Finding Ways to Play</p> <p>Educational activities for the whole family</p>	<p>Scholastic Learn At Home</p> <p>Day-by-day guide for kids levels PreK-6+ and has reading, writing, virtual field trips, that work together as a lesson.</p>
<p>World Book (Free Trial)</p> <p>Remote learning support resources</p>	<p>TumbleMath</p> <p>Use this direct link or go the EH Library website, no password required.</p>
<p>Cabin Fever Math</p> <p>Keeping Math Skills Sharp - WITHOUT Screens!</p>	<p>PBS for Parents - Finding Ways to Play</p> <p>Educational activities for the whole family</p>
<p>Wide-Open School</p> <p>Online learning support for families and educators</p>	<p>Wonderopolis</p> <p>Exploring the world around us. Daily questions</p>
<p>BreakoutEDU LIVE</p> <p>Daily Prizes. Go to https://www.breakoutedu.com/live at 2PM each weekday. Play live every weekday. Win prizes! Each game starts with questions for 2nd - 4th grade and then increases in difficulty. Parents can play along.</p>	

PODCASTS FOR KIDS

<p>Brains On: Science for Kids Kids interview scientists on a wide variety of subjects</p>	<p>Wow in the World Hosts Mindy Thomas and Guy Raz guide curious kids and their grown-ups on a journey into the wonders of the world around them.</p>
<p>But Why: A Podcast for Curious Kids This podcast show is led by kids. You ask the questions and they find the answers.</p>	

VIRTUAL FIELD TRIPS

<p>NC 360 Immersive experience to virtually discover some of NC's most popular natural and cultural attractions.</p>	<p>Kennedy Center Digital resources on the Arts for all</p>
<p>Access Mars Explore the surface of Mars on the Curiosity Rover.</p>	<p>Interactive Tour of Ellis Island</p>
<p>Virtual Farm Tours</p>	<p>VR Field Trips Around the World</p>
<p>Explore.org Webcams Live animal cams and location cams around the world.</p>	<p>NC Museum of History - History-At-Home Explore the NC Museum of History digitally.</p>
<p>Zoo Cams San Diego Zoo The Houston Zoo The National Zoo Zoo Atlanta</p>	<p>Aquarium Cams National Aquarium Virtual Tour and Live Web Cam Georgia Aquarium Monterey Bay Aquarium</p>

MAKER/CODING ACTIVITIES

<p>Tami's Tower Smithsonian's Science Education Center presents a fun engineering game for kids</p>	<p>Be a Maker Katey Howes, author of Be a Maker, is posting a Maker activity to Youtube everyday!</p>
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<p><u>Hour of Code</u> Hour-long coding activities for students of all ages.</p>	<p><u>Tynker</u> Free premium coding courses for ages 5+</p>
<p><u>Capstone Activities</u> Free, No login needed. Learning Activities and Science Experiments. Lots of free printables and online instructions</p>	