

## Accelerated Reader

Accelerated Reader (AR) is an individualized reading practice program designed to increase reading comprehension. As partners with Renaissance Learning, the developers of Accelerated Reader, MTC offers access to over 160,000 Accelerated Reader quizzes. These quizzes are designed to measure a student's ability to read and comprehend books in their reading level. Students may only take quizzes at school. Students are encouraged to take their AR quizzes during homeroom, language arts learning centers, library, and technology class.

### **Accelerated Reading Goals:**

Children are assigned AR reading goals which are based on the results of their STAR assessment. Children are encouraged to read beyond their set goal.

### **Accelerated Reading Grades:**

Children earn a number grade on their report card. The number grade is based on the percentage of AR goal achieved.

AR Grade Scale:

- 4 = student achieved 90 – 100% of their goal
- 3 = student achieved 80 – 89% of their goal
- 2 = student achieved 70 – 79% of their goal
- 1 = student achieved 60 – 69% of their goal
- 0 = student achieved 50 – 59% of their goal

### **How to check AR Progress:**

- Click: <https://hosted13.renlearn.com/68821/homeconnect/>
- Login
  - Username: located on front of planner
  - Password: MTC
- Click "Accelerated Reader"
- Click "Progress" located in top right corner