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**PROMOTING READING TO STUDENTS THROUGH
SKITS ON MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS.**





5TH GRADE MILLIONAIRES

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**READING
ENJOYING**

**SETTING GOALS
ACHIEVING
COMPETTING
SELF-SATISFACTION
MOTIVATION
INSPIRATION
RECOGNITION
LOVING BOOKS
ADDICTED TO READING
OPENING DOORS TO A NEW WORLD
ESCAPING TO AUTHOR'S WORLDS** 5

Oh, the places you'll go!

**“THE MORE YOU READ,
THE MORE YOU LEARN,
THE MORE YOU LEARN,
THE MORE YOU'LL EARN”**





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**Use Accelerated Reader to
determine the total amount of words
each student has successfully read
in AR books.
SUPER EASY!**

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

Inherent throughout this idea packet is the development of the love (intrinsic) of reading and the (extrinsic) reward and recognition of students' efforts

and successes in reading (ongoing, of course, are increased test scores).

**FLORIDA K-12 READING and LANGUAGE ARTS
STRANDS/STANDARDS**

NEXT GENERATION SUNSHINE STATE STANDARDS

READING PROCESS

**Concepts of Print
Phonological Awareness
Phonemic Awareness
Phonics/Word Analysis
Vocabulary Development
Reading Comprehension**

LITERARY ANALYSIS

**Fiction
Nonfiction**

INFORMATION AND MEDIA LITERACY

**Informational Text
Media Literacy
Technology**

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**SSS 2008-09
LANGUAGE ARTS**

LA.A.1.4 The student uses the reading process

effectively.

LA.A.2.4 The student constructs meaning from a wide range of texts.

LA.D.2.4 The student understands the power of language.

LA.E.1.4 The student understands the common features of a variety of literary forms.

LA.E.2.4 The student responds critically to fiction, nonfiction, poetry, and drama.

ADDITIONAL OBJECTIVES

Setting Goals

Problem Solving

Self Esteem

Math Solutions (#pages per day = 1,000,000 words)

WHY READ?

The MILLIONAIRE CLUB gets readers hooked and encourages more and more reading.

Open the cover of a book and enter a new realm of discovery, a phenomenal journey, an adventure within the pages, far away from where one sits at the moment. Time travel through history. Investigate fantasy. Zoom into the future. Step into the being of a character. What marvelous beings are brought to life through the author's pen. Escape into the mystical and magical covers of a book.

Fiction, nonfiction, multiple genres, all have a place as we read about and obsess with the characters, waiting for the next moment, the next incident that makes us memorized by the author's words.

Magical, mystical words, details, and events enveloping the reader's mind. The author's skill places the contents of the book into the reader's mind and emotions.

Realer than real, compelled to continue, chapter after chapter.

The Millionaire Club challenges students to read what they love. It magically transcends them into 10 another world, another realm, through the authors pen.

Although the author relates images with words, every reader translates those words into their own perceptions. A million seller book creates subtleties of a million different images into the readers' minds.

Unlike a video, or real life, the words in a book are

**interpreted by each reader to form a unique image.
What a wonderful way to promote reading!**

The moment you begin reading a book, it becomes a part of you. You've entered into the literature realm. You will never be the same again. The treasure of books has connected with you and seeped into your body like the sudden rumble of thunder or the scent of a rose garden.

A book holds a special discovery...secrets waiting to be told. Open a book and become absorbed inside!

READ \$\$\$\$

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OVERVIEW

The best part of this Idea Packet is that it can be used and adjusted to any grade level K-12, or exceptionality, and it is SUPER EASY to implement!

You will need Accelerated Reader in your school and AR books in your media center or library.

When 1,000,000 words are read, celebrate and join the Millionaire Club!

Following are the simple steps to attaining the number of words each student has read.

GETTING STARTED

First, be sure you have AR. Encourage students to read AR books. Here are some techniques:

Advertise the Millionaire Club through Posters, Morning Announcements, Home Flyers, etc, Show the prizes or awards (PTA and business partners) and make a big deal about reading a million words.

Every time a student reaches 1,000,000 words, make it a huge PR event. Horns, confetti, certificates, anything to gain attention. Use the morning announcements. Post the Millionaire's photo around the school.

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PROCEDURE

The Millionaire Club can be generated for individual students throughout the school, reaching 1,000,000 AR words successfully read.

The Millionaire Club can be competition with grade level classrooms. The first classroom to reach a total

of 1,000,000 words, and goals and thereafter.

Some K, 1st, ESL, ESE, and special classes may have interim goals...celebrations at 250,000 500,000, words (remember, many AR books are written in Spanish).

One of the major advantages of using Accelerated Reader, is that the students must take the AR tests, verifying comprehension of the books read.

Access to the number of words read is so easy with AR. Simply follow the steps and screens from Renaissance AR and you are on your way.

CELEBRATE every AR Millionaire!

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ACTIVITIES and AWARDS

The best thing about this IDEA PACKET is that it can be replicated with very little money (free)...Recognition during announcements, local newspapers , PAT newsletters, and certificates.

The recognition of the members of the MILLIONAIRE CLUB can also be recognized (possibly with more finances) by implementing some of the following:

**Video clips of the students suggesting readings
(advertisements) from their favorite books on morning
announcements**

VIP seating at assemblies

Homework passes

Special classroom chairs painted gold/green with \$\$\$\$

Coupons for the School Store

No Homework Coupons

Reward Millionaire Field Trip

Trophies

Plaques in the school which add names of Millionaires

Eating out at a restaurant with administration 14

Eating in the school with the Administration

A limo ride to a food establishment

Certificate from a bookstore

Coffee or Tea for Parents of Millionaires

Etc.....

**CAUTION
FYI**

Some book AR tests are available in both English and Spanish. Check that the students are not doubling their points by taking the test in 2 languages and only reading the book once.

Students should not share passwords because others can take tests for them.

Go to your Renaissance Place Welcome page and log in using your username and password:



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Once logged in to the Home page, select “Reports” in the Accelerated Reader section.

Renaissance Place
Home

Home
Welcome Tom Aaron

Renaissance Place [Hide Details](#)
Consolidated Reports
School Years
Personnel, Students, and Parents
Product Administration
Data Consolidation Status
Last Consolidation: 7/21/2009
Next Consolidation: 7/22/2009

Live Chat Support
 Live Chat: Available

 **Go to Dashboard**

Renaissance Home Connect [Hide Details](#)
What is Renaissance Home Connect
Informational Letter

Accelerated Math [Show Details](#)

Accelerated Reader [Hide Details](#)
Class Record Books
Reports
Manage Quizzes
Preferences
Resources






Select the Word Count report at the bottom of the screen.

Report Category Reading Practice Vocabulary Practice Literacy Skills Other Reading School Management	School: East Elementary School	
	Frequently Used Reading Practice Reports	
	Report	Description
	Diagnostic - Reading Practice	Summarizes student performance on Reading Practice Quizzes, shows progress toward goals and identifies potential problems.
	Student Record	Shows individual student performance on each quiz.
	TWI	Summarizes students' To, With and Independent reading.
	Reader Certification Levels	Shows the Reader Certification levels each student has achieved.
	Goal History	Shows student performance toward goals over time.
	Schoolwide Summary*	Summarizes Reading Practice Quiz results for each class.
	*You do not have access to view the Schoolwide Summary Report.	
	Additional Reading Practice Reports	
	Report	Description
	Reader Certification Certificates	Recognize student's achievement of new Reader Certification levels.
	Favorite Books	Lists books students have quizzed and voted on, and ranks them in order of preference, from favorite to least favorite.
	Marking Period Progress	Shows progress of the class as a whole from Marking Period to Marking Period.
Point Club Summary	Lists students who qualify for point clubs.	
Quiz Takers - Reading Practice	Lists students who have taken selected Reading Practice Quizzes during a specific date range.	
Quiz Usage	Shows how often a Reading Practice Quiz was taken, passed and the average score.	
Student Points	Lists the number of points each student has earned, been awarded, used and has available.	
Team Standing Chart	Shows each team's progress toward meeting team goals.	
Team Status	Shows each team member's progress toward meeting individual goals.	
Word Count	Indicates how many words each student has read.	

On the Report Options page, you will be able to customize the report to your needs. Then select the “View Report” button.

Cancel

View Report

Customization Options	
Select Students	All My Classes  Or Select Specific: Students Classes
Reporting Parameter Group	All Demographics [Default]  Or Create New or Edit Selected
Reporting Period	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Predefined Date Range: 2008 - 2009  <input type="radio"/> Custom Dates: 8/1/2008  to 7/31/2009 
Sort By	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Student Name <input type="radio"/> Word Count (Highest to Lowest) <input type="radio"/> Word Count (Lowest to Highest)
Group By	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Class <input type="radio"/> Do not group
Filter Student Quizzes Not valid if 'Do not group' is selected	<input type="checkbox"/> Use only quizzes taken for the specific class
Page Break Not valid if 'Do not group' is selected	<input type="checkbox"/> Page break after each group
Print Report Options	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Print the selected report options on the report

Adobe Reader will generate your report, which you can save or print for use.

Accelerated Reader Tom Aaron

Home > Reports

Select a Different Report | Customize this Report

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Word Count Report

Printed Tuesday, July 21, 2009 4:33:29PM

School: East Elementary School Reporting Period: 8/1/2008 - 7/21/2009
(2008 - 2009 to today)

Report Options

Reporting Parameter Group: All Demographics [Default]

Sort By: Student Name

Group By: Class

Filter Student Quizzes: No

Class: Mr. Aaron's class

Teacher: Aaron, T.

Student	Reading Practice Quizzes			Other Reading Quizzes			Total Word Count
	Passed	Taken	Word Count	Passed	Taken	Word Count	
Avila, Adriana	137	143	127,425	0	0	0	127,425
Barnett, Prachi	161	170	74,825	0	0	0	74,825
Candelario, Joel	86	93	154,088	0	0	0	154,088
Hines, Julia	121	123	16,657	0	0	0	16,657
Hullett, Walker	142	148	488,592	0	0	0	488,592
Miles, Brad	107	110	87,601	6	7	8,786	96,387
Salgado, Priscilla	150	155	68,425	5	6	2,082	60,607
Sawyer, Jacob	167	168	68,657	0	0	0	68,657
Seals, Christopher	145	180	63,715	0	0	0	63,715
Vu, Lara	144	145	23,646	0	0	0	23,646
Windham, Durette	175	198	74,330	2	7	2,054	76,384
Total	1,525	1,609	1,227,061	13	19	12,902	1,240,863

RESOURCES

Accelerated Reader

MILLION WORD COUNT

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APPENDIX

Tarja,
Good Morning.
My name is Cindy Flugaur, and I am a Supervisor in the Technical Support

Department at Renaissance Learning, Inc. It is my understanding that you would like permission to copy pages from Accelerated Reader to distribute to your teachers. That would be just fine, as the reason the information is there is so that it can be utilized by teachers. We are also looking forward to seeing the packets you are creating, and see how you are using the program.

Please let us know if there is anything else you are in need of.

Thank you and have a wonderful day!

Cindy Flugaur

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