

# Accelerated Reader



# Home Quizzing

At Browney Academy, quizzing on Accelerated Reader is not usually permitted or encouraged at home. The main reason for this is so that teachers can monitor consistent quiz practice in the classroom in order to assess children's understanding and guide them effectively on successful reading practice.

However, due to these exceptional circumstances and our commitment to promoting a culture of reading for pleasure and a love of reading, we have made the decision to allow our children to quiz at home during the school closures. Children enjoy taking quizzes and receiving instant feedback on their comprehension and we want to encourage our children to continue their reading journey, particularly as we know that daily reading leads to the greatest gains.

### How to quiz at home

Children will be permitted to quiz during the hours of 9am – 3pm and will be limited to one quiz a day. The link to our school AR site is below. Your child is being issued with a new AR password to use at home which will be handed out tonight or sent to you electronically if your child is already at home.

Most children have been quizzing since September in school and therefore know how to log on, search for a book and take a quiz. After completing the quiz, they will receive instant feedback and can review any incorrect answers. Finally, they can view their progress towards their target.



https://ukhosted108.renlearn.co.uk/6710038/





## Supporting with quizzing

We advise students complete quizzes unaided. If you wish to support your child, your can do so in the following ways:

- Discuss the book with your child as the book is being read.
- Ask your child to read the question aloud during the quiz.
- Re-word questions for your child, if necessary.
- Ask your child which answers are not correct.

#### Additional reading

We always urge our children to read within their ZPD range in school and although teachers have already sent additional books home, we do appreciate that your children will want to read further reading materials during the closure. This will of course be fully encouraged and we welcome any reading of books or e-books online through Oxford Owl.

#### Is there a quiz for my book?

You can use the Accelerated Reader Bookfinder website (https://www.arbookfind.co.uk/) to search for any book to see if an AR quiz is available.

Once schools reopen, access to quizzing from home will be reversed.

Thank you for your continued support.

Happy reading and quizzing!

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask and I will try to help.

#### Mrs Martindale

