



Roaring Rivers Readers' AR Program 2024-2025

E. Rivers students have the opportunity to participate in the Accelerated Reading (AR) Program and win rewards as part of the exciting AR Reading Program: **ROARING RIVERS READERS!** This year our reading theme is **Wild About Reading!**

As part of our Kickoff, we want everyone to dress as your favorite Wild Animal on Aug. 23rd



This year students meeting their AR grade level goal will be acknowledged and awarded at the end of each of four 8 week periods (grade level goals are listed below). Last year we had a record amount of students meeting their goals, and we want to encourage more readers to meet their grade level goals this year!

Accelerated Reader is a computer-based program that is used to monitor reading practice and progress. It helps teachers guide students to books that are on students' reading level and build confidence in their reading. Students take short comprehension quizzes after reading a book. To take AR quizzes students log into in MyBackpack and click on the Renaissance App. Quizzes can be taken at home or at school.

Many books are part of the AR Program – these books can be found in classrooms, in libraries, in your home, or as ebooks on MyOn in MyBackpack. To check to see if a book you own is an AR book, you can log into Accelerated Book Finder at www.arbookfind.com and type the title of your book. Please email me if you have any questions at pboston@apsk12.org.

Readers are Leaders!

Here are the AR grade level goals for each 8 week periods for each grade. Any student who reaches their goal will get a certificate and celebration with Dr. Waller at the end of each period.

- ❖ Kindergarten - 3 points
- ❖ 1st grade - 5 points
- ❖ 2nd grade - 10 points
- ❖ 3rd grade - 15 points
- ❖ 4th grade - 20 points
- ❖ 5th grade - 25 points



There are four 8 week periods:

1. Aug. 1 - Sept. 30
2. Oct. 1 - Dec. 13
3. Dec. 14 - Feb. 28
4. Mar. 1 - May 2

Please encourage your child to read at home each night! Let's get excited about reading, learning new things, and scoring points to show our reading success!