

Raz-Kids

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What is Raz-Kids

- ▶ A way to get access to many on-level books for your child
- ▶ Students can listen to reading
- ▶ Practice Their Reading
- ▶ Record Their Reading to listen to their fluency
- ▶ Check their reading comprehension with quizzes

Raz-Kids Introductory Video

- ▶ <https://www.raz-kids.com/main/VideoLibrary/id/670>

Why Raz-Kids?

Instructional programs and materials used by a state educational agency or school district must focus on the five key areas that scientifically based reading research has identified as essential components of reading instruction—phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and reading comprehension.

United States Department
of Education (2002)

One-size instruction never fit anyone. It is time to discard old patterns and redesign reading instruction with diverse students in mind.

Ivey (2000; p. 42)

Systematic phonics instruction is a valuable and essential part of a successful classroom reading program.

National Institute of Child Health
and Human Development,
National Reading Panel (2000)

Why Raz-Kids?

Fluency is important because it exerts an important influence on comprehension; that is, to experience good comprehension the reader must be able to identify words quickly and easily.

Samuels (2002)

Reading comprehension strategies can be acquired independently (informally) and through direct instruction (formally).

National Institute of Child Health
and Human Development,
National Reading Panel (2000)

Positive Reinforcement

- ▶ Students Earn Points
- ▶ Build Robots
- ▶ Build Rocket Ships

How to Get Access to Raz-Kids

► <https://www.raz-kids.com/>



The screenshot shows the Raz-Kids website homepage. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Learning A-Z, Reading A-Z, Raz-Kids, Headsprout, Science A-Z, Writing A-Z, Vocabulary A-Z, ReadyTest A-Z, and Kids A-Z. A 'Member Login' button is also present. Below the navigation bar, the Raz-Kids logo is displayed along with statistics: 'Books Read: 3,193,096,763' and 'Readers Online: 29,376'. There are buttons for 'Order Now' and 'Free Trial'. A search bar and links for 'Manage Students' and 'Teacher Corner' are also visible. The main content area features a large banner with a cartoon robot character and a 'KIDS LOGIN' button. Below the banner, there is a section titled 'RAZ-KIDS' with the text 'The award-winning website where K-5 students go to read — anytime, anywhere!'. This section includes three buttons: 'Get Free Samples', 'Start My Free Trial', and 'ORDER NOW'. To the right of this section is a video player titled 'Introducing Raz-Kids' with a play button. Below the video player is the text 'New to Raz-Kids? Watch our quick video introduction!'. At the bottom of the page, there is a navigation bar with tabs for 'Overview', 'Leveled Reading', 'Benefits', and 'Mobile Apps'. The 'Mobile Apps' tab is selected, and the content below it is titled 'Students can read on-the-go from their favorite mobile device'. This section includes an image of a tablet and a smartphone displaying the Raz-Kids app. The text states: 'Raz-Kids is now on the iPhone, and iPod Touch!' and 'Besides the iPad, Android, and Kindle Fire tablets, students can now access their assignments right from their iPhones or iPod Touches! [Read More](#)'. A bullet point below this text reads: 'On top of being accessible 24/7 via the Web, Raz-Kids also delivers reading access through its free apps, meaning your students can read and take quizzes on their iPad, Android, and Kindle Fire tablets.'

How to Get Access to Raz-Kids

- ▶ Enter teacher username



Kids A-Z

Student Activities: 3,277,405,214 | Students Online: 29,779

Teacher >

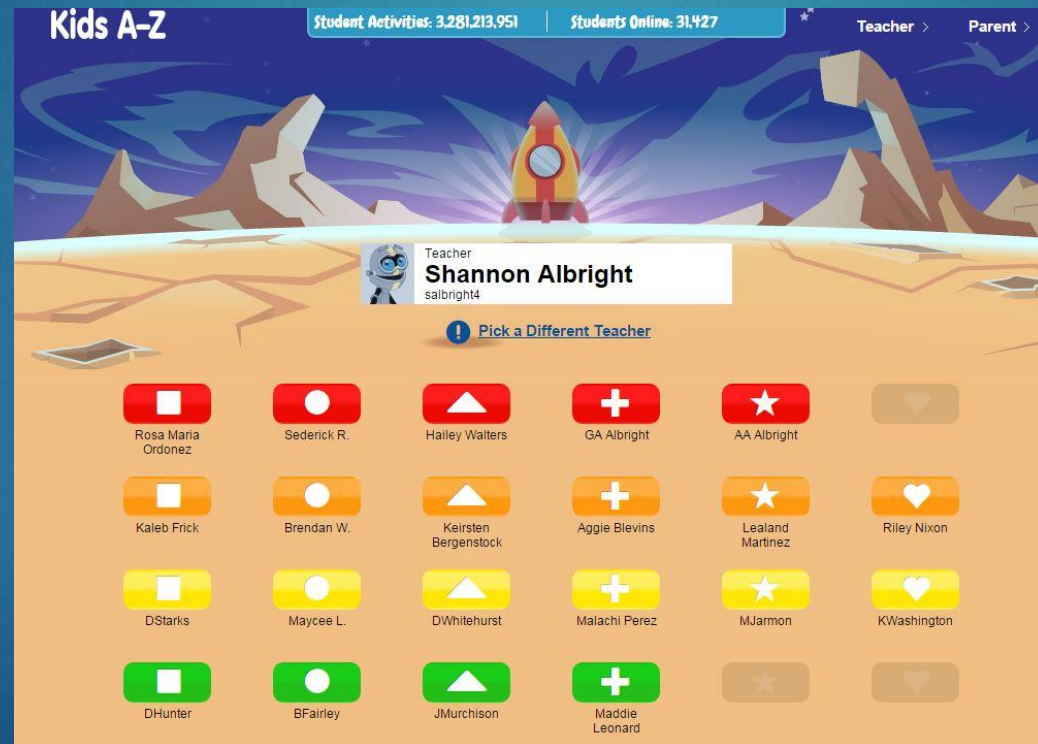
Teacher Username

GO

Need Help?

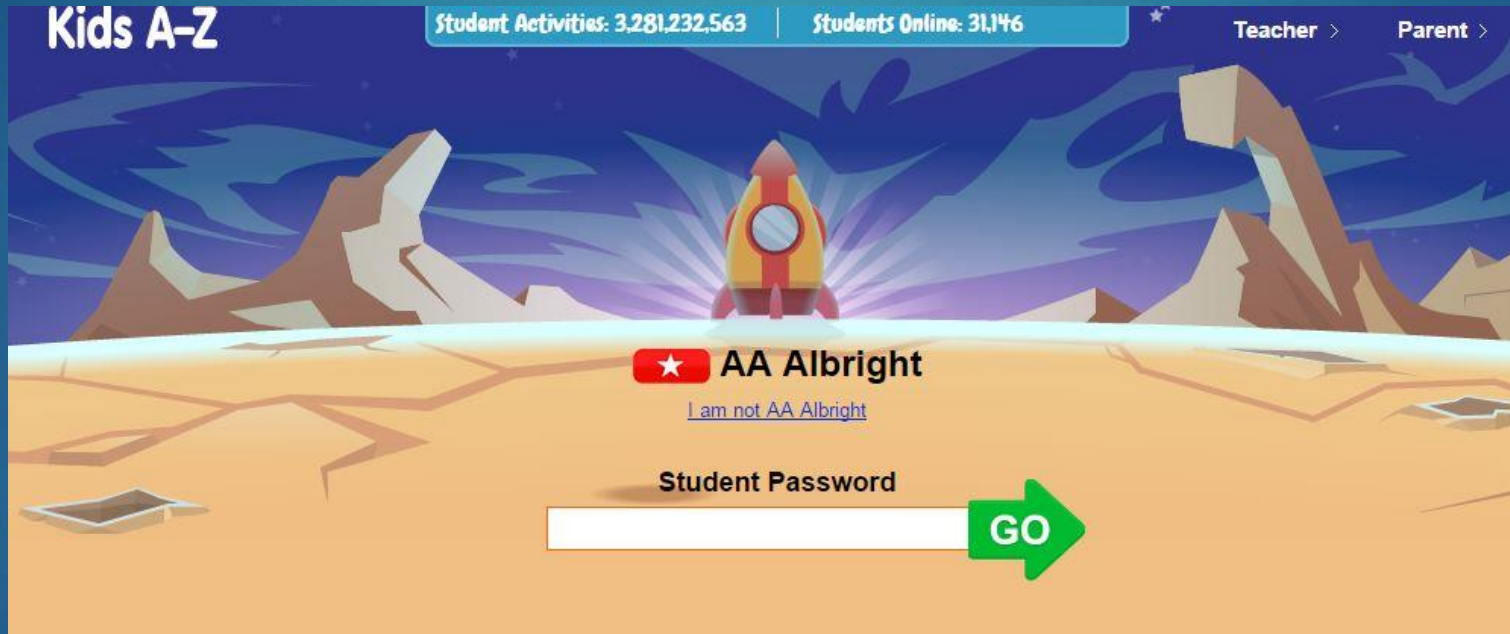
How to get access to Raz-Kids

- ▶ Click on your name



How to get access to Raz-Kids

- ▶ Enter your personal student password



The screenshot shows the Raz-Kids login interface. At the top left, it says "Kids A-Z". To the right, there are statistics: "Student Activities: 3,281,232,563" and "Students Online: 31,146". Further right are links for "Teacher >" and "Parent >". The background features a rocket ship on a desert planet. The main content area displays the username "★ AA Albright" with a red star icon, and a link below it that says "I am not AA Albright". Below the username is a "Student Password" label and a white input field. To the right of the input field is a green arrow button with the word "GO" written on it.

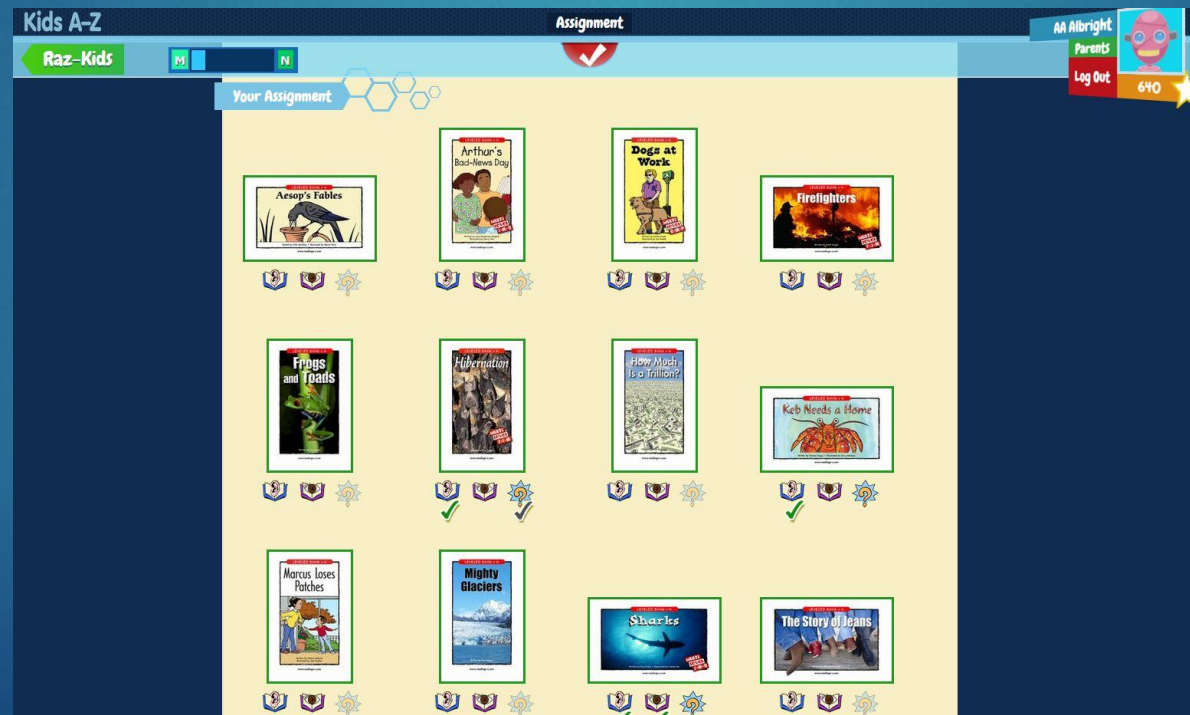
How to get access to Raz-Kids

- ▶ Click on Reading Assignment



How to get to books in Raz-Kids

- ▶ Students can click on a book they want to read. They can either listen to the book being read aloud, read it themselves, record themselves, or take a quiz.



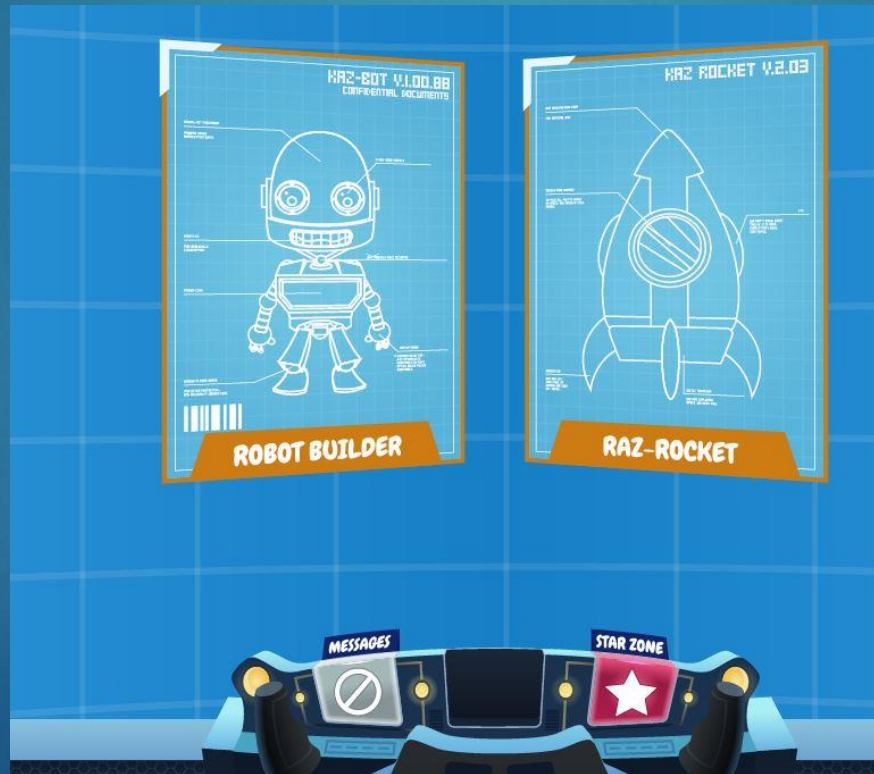
How to encourage reading

- ▶ Students earn stars for their completed tasks
- ▶ Show students their star zone
- ▶ They can click on this to get to their robot and rocket



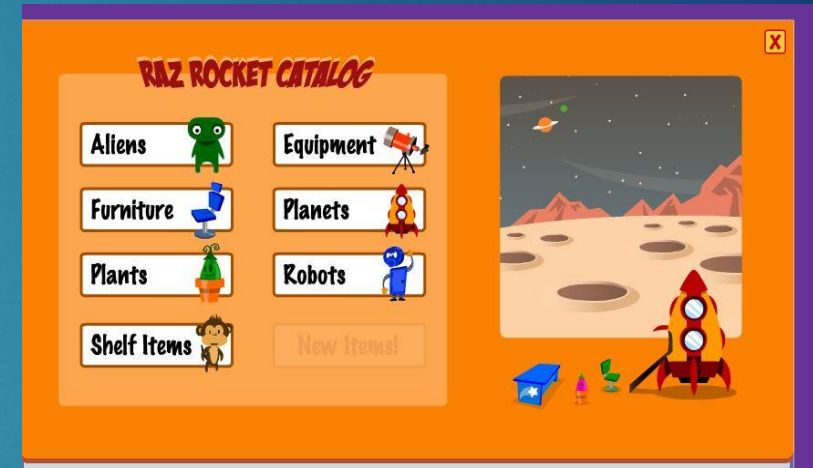
How to Encourage Reading

Students can click on their raz-rocket or robot builder



How to Encourage Reading

- ▶ Students can build their robot or add to their rocket!



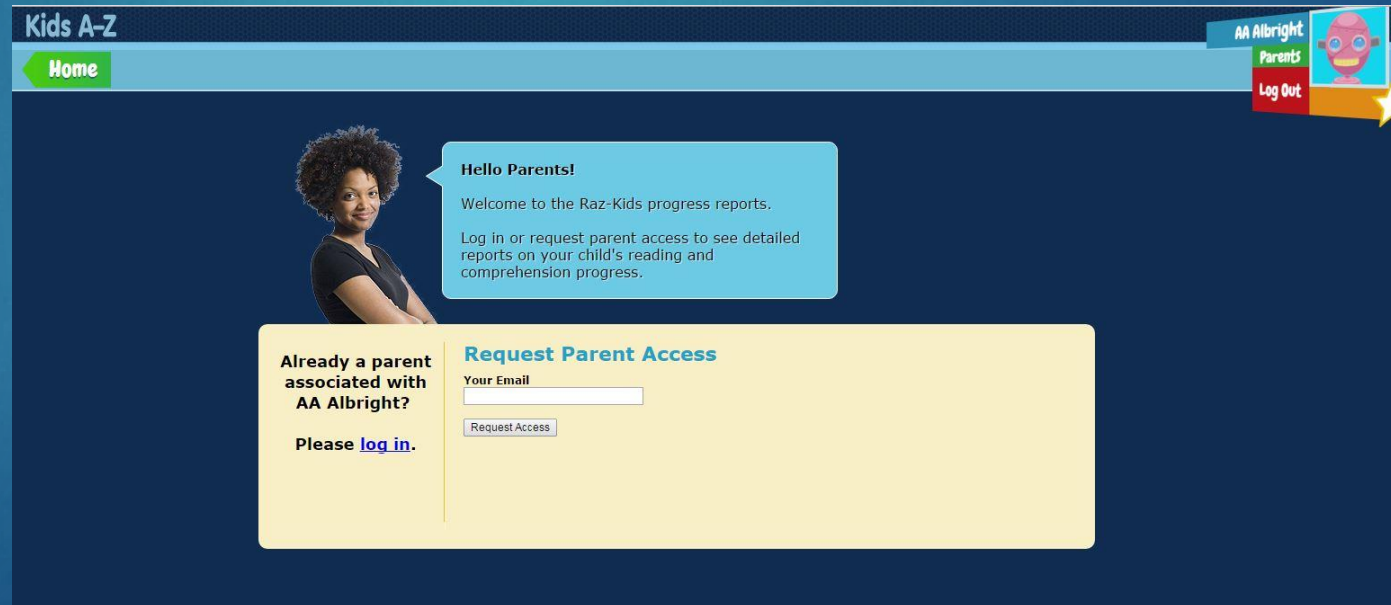
How to Get Parent Access

- ▶ Have Your Child Log Into Raz-Kids
- ▶ Click on Parents tab on the right side



How to Get Parent Access

- ▶ Enter your email address
- ▶ Click request access
- ▶ Your child's teacher will receive an email and approve this.



The screenshot shows the Raz-Kids website interface. At the top left, it says "Kids A-Z" and "Home". On the top right, there is a user profile for "AA Albright Parents" with a "Log Out" button. A central message box says "Hello Parents! Welcome to the Raz-Kids progress reports. Log in or request parent access to see detailed reports on your child's reading and comprehension progress." Below this is a yellow box with the heading "Request Parent Access". It contains a "Your Email" input field and a "Request Access" button. To the left of the form, it asks "Already a parent associated with AA Albright?" and says "Please log in."

How to have access all summer!

Your child can continue reading all summer long with RAZ Kids!

- The current login will be good throughout the summer months.
- A reading log is available on the parent access page.
- Practice reading everywhere !

Raz-Kids App

- ▶ You can search Raz-Kids it may come up Kids A-Z



Any Questions???

