

Dear Parents

We would like to introduce you to a special feature of our Accelerated Reader Program called Renaissance Home Connect, which you can access outside of school using this address <https://Ukhosted74.renlearn.co.uk/2259817/HomeConnect>. Ask your son to log in using his accelerated reader username and password and you can see his progress on the scheme.

Renaissance Home Connect™ Amy Lumley-Wood | Email Setup | Help | Log Out

reading

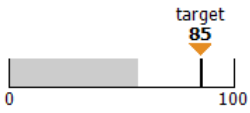
Accelerated Reader

Reading Practice Quizzes
Vocabulary Practice Quizzes

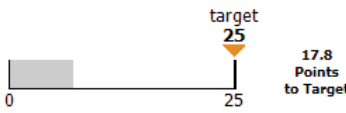
My Overall Progress

16/04/2018 - 06/07/2018 (25% Complete) Current Marking Period ▾

Quizzes 57.5%
average % correct



Points 7.2
28.8% of target




ATOS Book Level 5.6
average level

No Target Set

Quizzes Passed/Taken: 1/2 Word Count: 77,812

My Last Quiz

Taken 04/05/2018



Time Travelling with a Hamster

By Ross Welford
ATOS Book Level: 5.6
Interest Level:

60%

6 of 10 Correct

7.2

7.2 of 12.0 Points


[View My Bookshelf](#)

Reader Certifications

Only passed quizzes count toward certification.

Last Achieved: None	Current Target: No Target Set
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Find Books
With Accelerated Reader Quizzes



Click to Open in New Window

There is a link on the page to <http://www.arbookfind.co.uk> which can help you and your son to search for books within his reading range on the scheme.

If you use the advanced search as shown below you can search by your son's ZPD or reading range, but do please make sure that you select the correct age range or interest

level for your son's actual age and not his reading age, otherwise the search results might include books that are inappropriate for him.

The screenshot displays the Renaissance Accelerated Reader Bookfinder interface. At the top, it shows the logo and navigation links for Librarian, Quick Search, Advanced Search (selected), and Collections. The page is set to the United Kingdom. On the left, there is an AR BookBag icon and a section for entering a Keycode with a 'Go' button. Below this, a note explains that a Keycode is not needed for searching, but it can be used to find relevant books. The main search area includes radio buttons for search criteria: Contains... (selected), Starts With..., and Exact Match... There are input fields for Title, Author, Publisher, and ISBN. Below these are dropdown menus for Quiz Released (Any Time) and Quiz Type (Any Quiz Type). Further down, there are checkboxes for Interest Level (checked) and ZPD Range/ATOS Book Level (checked). The Interest Level dropdown is set to 'Lower Years, Ages 5 to 8'. The ZPD Range is set to 3.0 through 4.2, with a 'Show Lexile Measure' link. Below these are dropdown menus for Additional Criteria, with 'All Topics', 'All Subtopics', and 'Fiction and Non-fiction' visible. A 'Sort' dropdown is set to 'Title'. At the bottom of the search area are 'Search' and 'Clear Form' buttons. The footer contains copyright information for Renaissance Learning, Inc. (2017) and MetaMetrics, Inc. (2014).

Books aimed at older children are not necessarily more challenging to read, but there may be some content that is unsuitable. In the Inky Library these Upper Years books are usually found in our Young Adult section, and they are only loaned to boys in year 7 and 8 due to the content.

If your son is still struggling to find the right thing to read, Mrs Lumley-Wood will be happy to help in the library at any break or lunchtime.

Kind regards

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