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## Helping Your Child at Home: Home Connect and Fidelity

So, the new year has begun and it's time for AR reading. Whether you are experiencing AR for the first time or are a veteran, here are some great ways to help from home.

- Have students read aloud to you. Whether it's every book, or once a week, reading aloud is a great way to hear your child's fluency.
- Create a sense of independence by allowing students to test independently
- To test with fidelity, neither student nor parent should look back to the book for answers.
- Use Home Connect by logging into the link below.

Username: s +student# (s123456) Password: s+student#! (s123456!)

For Home Connect go to https://global-zone08.renaissancego.com/studentprogress/homeconnect? t=254902

Keeping Track of Goals

### Three goals toward becoming a better reader

- Points Goal: Students are expected to achieve a certain number of points. This goal is set by their teacher. It derives from a STAR test they take in class that measures how many points they should be reaching each quarter. Books are allotted different points depending on length and vocabulary. A book may be worth .5 (1/2point) or 20 points; it all depends on the difficulty.
- Percent Correct Goal: Students are expected to keep an accuracy average of 85-90% when testing on books. This means the books they are reading are a good balance of success and challenge.
- 3. Five Point Non-Fiction Goal: Students are expected to read at least 5 points of non-fiction each quarter. This a personalized goal created by CTA Freedom. This goal was created to make sure students are successful in reading to learn. 80% of a student's academic reading is nonfiction. Our goal here at CTA Freedom is to produce life-time learners.

**Download This App:** Scan any book barcode at home or at the store, to find quiz number, book level, and points



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