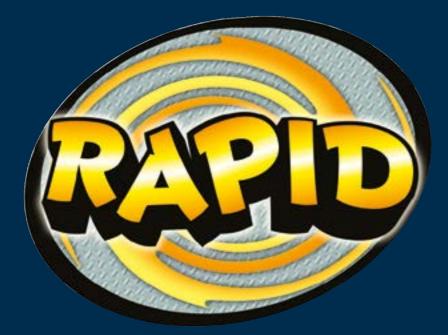


# Close the gap in phonics and reading





### **Everything you need to help** struggling learners close the gap in phonics and reading

Rapid is **the complete intervention solution** for struggling readers working behind Age Related Expectations, and children with special educational needs.

Based on proven pedagogies, Rapid has been shown over and over to hugely improve children's confidence and accelerate learning - often doubling, tripling and even quadrupling their rate of progress. Read on to find out more!



Shown to double, triple and even quadruple rate of progress!

# Why Rapid?

- Whole school intervention for phonics and reading that's proven to work.
- Everything you need to help struggling learners **catch-up in reading** and close the gap.
- Beautifully illustrated and lively books and eBooks **spark the interest** of even the most reluctant readers.
- Helps children master core skills to enable them to access the curriculum.
- Written by intervention experts, including Dee Reid, Diana Bentley and Dr. Marlynne Grant.
- Perfect for Pupil Premium, Northern Ireland deprivation funding and Pupil Equity Funding in Scotland.

The children's self-esteem has really grown - they're so much more confident.

Jane Aplin, Upton Junior School, Dorset





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# The results speak for themselves...

Thousands of schools up and down the country use Rapid to help their struggling and disadvantaged children with SEN catch up in phonics and reading - and the results speak for themselves. An independent study by the National Foundation for Educational Research (NFER) told us that children using Rapid Reading make more than **twice** the normal rate of progress in reading. And a trial in Worcestershire found children **quadrupled** their expected reading progress!

	Expected gain/ length of trial	Average gain with Rapid	Ratio of actual gain vs. expected gain
Rapid Reading trial in Worcestershire	3 months	13 months	4.3 times the normal rate
Rapid Reading trial in Neath Port Talbot	6 months	19 months	3.2 times the normal rate
Rapid Phonics trial in Neath Port Talbot	3 months	7 months in spelling 13 months in reading	2 times the normal rate in spelling 4 times the normal rate in reading

#### **Hear from Rapid schools**

Read all about the difference Rapid has been making in schools up and down the country and see a list of our Rapid schools at www.pearsonprimary.co.uk/rapidresults



# The programme really is making a difference. We even have parents coming into school to see what Rapid is because the children are talking about it so much! Rapid is a great example of the power and impact of ICT to support intervention.

Victoria Crivelli, Learning Support Team, Worcestershire LA

## How does it work?



#### Teaching Resources

Teaching guides, assessment resources, copymasters and games help you and your teaching assistants to engage children.

#### Professional Development

Ensure all your staff can confidently get the best results from every child.



#### Readers

Hundreds of finely levelled readers to use in catch-up sessions.

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#### Online **Pupil World**

Interactive eBooks, a personalised homepage and rewards.



# The snappy way to deliver really effective phonics catch-up

It's never too early or too late to fill in the gaps in phonic knowledge. Rapid Phonics makes catch-up sessions quick, memorable and fun from Year 1 to Year 6. Rapid Phonics has been proven to work - even for children who have struggled on other phonics programmes. It's also perfect for children who need to retake their phonics check.

This unique catch-up programme includes snappy lessons, lively ageappropriate books and fantastic interactive activities to build confidence and fluency.



Take a look inside some of the Rapid Phonics books at **www.pearsonprimary.co.uk/tryrapidphonics** 

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56 age-appropriate, 100% decodable fiction and non-fiction readers.

I am Jackson and this is my dog. Rocket. I am an explorer and Rocket comes on all my trips.



'Snappy Lesson' plans introduce phonics concepts in a fast-paced and lively way.

Frequent, fine-grained assessments help you place children at the right level and move them on when they are ready.

The programme handbook gives you assessment tools such as code knowledge assessment sheets and placement tests.

#### All of the readers are also available as eBooks.



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# What's in Rapid Phonics?









# The route to success for struggling readers at KS2

We understand that when it comes to helping struggling readers, sparking their interest and keeping it fun is a big part of the battle. Rapid Reading is a fantastic collection of finely levelled fiction and non-fiction books, and eBooks, covering a variety of topics and themes that your children will love.

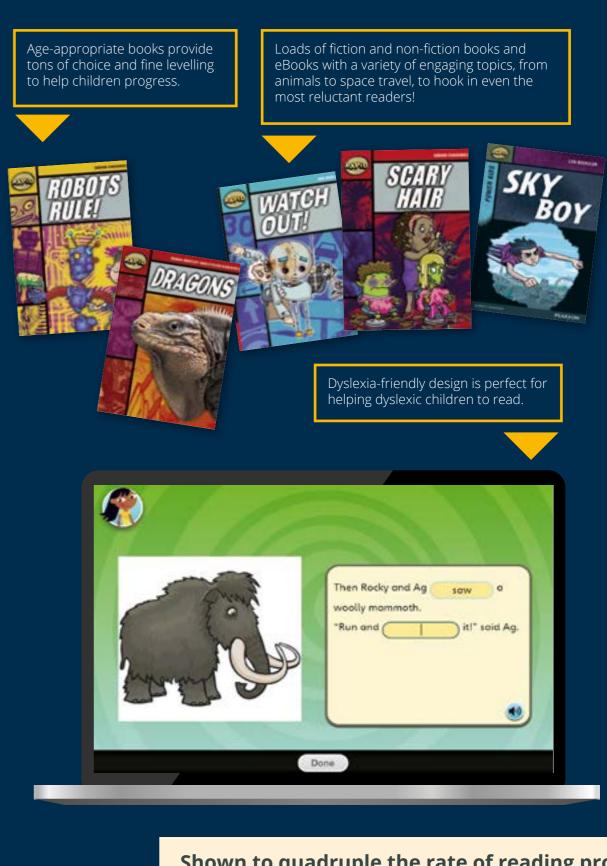


Allocate eBooks for home practice and keep track of progress via reporting tool.

Teaching Guides contain guided reading lesson notes, ideas for speaking and listening, and follow-up activities to extend children's comprehension, spelling and writing skills.



Take a look inside some of the Rapid Reading books at www.pearsonprimary.co.uk/tryrapidreading



Children using Rapid Reading in seven Worcestershire primary schools made an average gain of 13 months in their reading age over a 3 month period (using the programme in a minimum of 3 half hour sessions a week). That's 4.3 times the expected progress!

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#### Shown to quadruple the rate of reading progress!

# What's in Rapid Reading?

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LEVEL	<b>READING BOOKS (X 4 IN EACH SET)</b>	ASSESSMENT BOOKS	TEACHIN GUIDES
<b>Starter 1</b> Reading age: 5y 0m – 5y 3m	Series 1 Set A	GAME ONL	
<b>Starter 2</b> Reading age: 5y 3m – 5y 6m	Series 1 Set A	MUDIAN MESS CO	
<b>Stage 1</b> Reading age: 5y 6m – 5y 11m	Series 1 Set A Series 1 Set B Series 1 Set B Series 2 Set A Series 2 Set B		
<b>Stage 2</b> Reading age: 6y 0m – 6y 5m	Series 1 Set A Series 1 Set B Series 1 Set B Series 2 Set A Series 2 Set B Series 2 Set B	SINNS INSCREMENTS	
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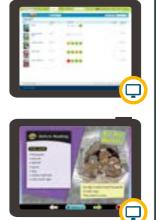


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LEVEL	READING BOOKS	(X 4 IN EACH SET)	ASSESSMENT BOOKS	TEACHING GUIDES
<b>Stage 4</b> Reading age: 7y 0m – 7y 5m	Series 1 Set A	Series 2 Set A		
<b>Stage 5</b> Reading age: 7y 6m – 7y 11m	Series 1 Set A	Series 2 Set A		
<b>Stage 6</b> Reading age: 8y 0m – 8y 5m	Series 1 Set A	Series 2 Set A		
<b>Stage 7</b> Reading age: 8y 6m – 8y 11m	Duo 1 Set A	Duo 1 Set B	Peril Peril	
<b>Stage 8</b> Reading age: 9y 0m – 9y 5m	Duo 1 Set A	Duo 1 Set B	Friendly Fire Cloud	ATTACHING AND LITER IN THE REPORT OF THE REP
<b>Stage 9</b> Reading age: 9y 6m – 9y 11m	Duo 1 Set A	Duo 1 Set B		



# ONLINE **TOOLKIT AND PUPIL WORLD**





# **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**



# **Rapid Professional** Development

Get the most out of your Rapid investment with our range of Professional Development courses designed to help you and your staff gain an in-depth understanding of Rapid Phonics and Reading.

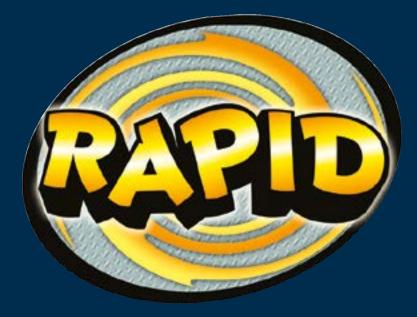
#### Our range of courses will enable you to:

- deliver a meaningful improvement in phonics and reading
- maximise the potential of Rapid in your school
- understand how best to use Rapid to ensure every child in your class makes meaningful progress
- apply the systematic Rapid approach for struggling learners throughout your school.



The Rapid programme is a big success to date. The children and parents are very pleased with it, as are the teachers. We had parent interviews last week and all of the parents of my special needs children had high praise for it. They've all, without exception, noticed a huge improvement in their child's attitude to reading!

Mrs Docherty, St.Patricks Primary School, Ballynahinch



#### Register for a free demo 🕑

If you like what you see, why not request a free Rapid demo in your school

#### Hear from our Rapid schools **()**

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