

## Reading Fluency Parent Resources

### **What is Fluency?**

Fluency in reading is the ability to read quickly, easily, and accurately. In addition to reading quickly, someone with reading fluency can also comprehend what they are reading quickly and accurately.

### **Why is it Important?**

When someone has fluency in reading, they are able to spend less effort trying to decode or read words. When someone spends most of their time trying to read what the words are, they are not spending time understanding what the words are saying and comprehending what the message of the words is and what to do with the information.

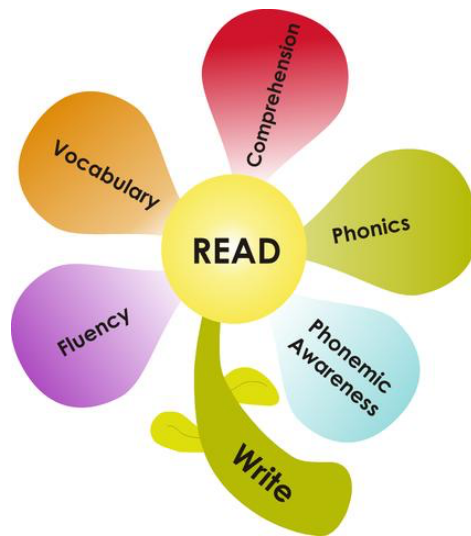


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### **See it in action:**

- Student Friendly Explanation of Reading Fluency  
<https://youtu.be/ogi7ANK49wk>
- Different Videos of What Grade Level Fluency Looks Like for K-5  
<https://www.understood.org/en/about/search-results?q=fluency>

### **Reading Fluency Resources:**

- Examples for Parents with videos and reading passages to practice  
<http://www.readingrockets.org/teaching/reading-basics/fluency>
- Reading Fluency Activities  
<https://www.readingresource.net/readingfluencyactivities.html>
- Ways Parents Can Help  
<https://readingpartners.org/blog/5-easy-ways-parents-can-increase-their-childs-reading-fluency/>