

Accelerated Reader Certification Levels

Certification Level	Criteria	Number of Recertifications
Ready Reader	Accumulate 5 points on books read To, read With, and/or read Independently.	Complete 1 Time
Independent Reader	Read at least 3 books Independently with a 1.2 or higher ATOS book level (or 160L Lexile®* measure) and earn 10 points on books at any level. Only books read Independently count toward the 3-book goal, but books read To, With, or Independently count toward the points.	Complete 5 times
Rising Reader	Read 3 books Independently with a 1.6 or higher ATOS book level (or 250L Lexile® measure) and earn 10 points on books at any level. Only books read Independently count toward the 3-book goal <i>and</i> points.	Complete 5 times
Super Reader	Read 3 books Independently with a 2.0 or higher ATOS book level (or 330L Lexile® measure) that are each worth at least 1 point. Only books read Independently count toward the 3-book goal and points.	Complete 5 times
Advanced Reader	Read 3 books with a 3.0 or higher ATOS book level (or 510L Lexile® measure) that are each worth at least 2 points. Only books read Independently count toward the certification.	Complete 5 times

Star Reader	Read 3 books with a 4.0 or higher ATOS book level (or 660L Lexile® measure) that are each worth at least 4 points. Only books read Independently count toward the certification.	Complete 5 times
Classic Reader	Read 3 books with a 6.0 or higher ATOS book level (or 900L Lexile® measure) that are each worth at least 7 points. Only books read Independently count toward certification.	Complete 1 time

Note: Students will receive a poster once they have completed all levels (5 times) and Classic Reader Level once (or gotten to Classic Reader 2)..