

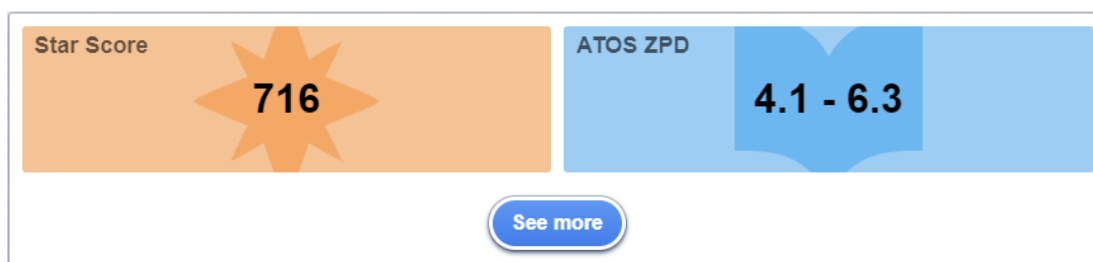
New myON and Star Reading Connection

A new way to link Star Reading and myON available now!

If your school uses Star Reading and/or Star Early Literacy to assess students, these platforms now connect to myON and show students their Reading Range. The Star scores will help myON recommend books to students based on their Zone of Proximal Development.

Students will still access myON by logging into the platform via the www.myon.com website and will need to follow the steps on the [Linking Star to myON Guide](#) to connect their Star results to myON.

Once connected, students will see their latest scores at the top of their myON home page, and they can select See more to see their scores over time. Teachers and administrators can see Star scores in the myON with Star report.



This year, your myON subscription also has a *new built in optional placement experience*.

Students will be able to read immediately or take a 10-minute Star Reading assessment. The placement test is not required and, by default, is not offered to students in Year 1 and below. Schools have the flexibility to choose how frequently the test is offered, which grades take the test, and whether to make the test required.

Please note, if your students already take Star Reading assessments in conjunction with Accelerated Reader and myON use, it is advised you disable the myON Placement assessment to avoid double assessing. To disable this function, please follow the instructions found in the [Enable/Disable myON Placement Assessment](#) guide.

FAQs

I already use Star Reading, what does this myON change mean for me? The new myON placement powered by Star is NOT the same as Star. It is a much more simplified assessment than full Star and is presented in US English. The data from Star Reading and Early literacy will connect to and flow into myON so you will not need to use the placement test at all for most students.

How is the myON Placement test powered by Star different than the full version of Star? myON Placement powered by Star takes about 10 minutes and is optional (unless the admin setting is set to mandatory or completely disabled). The myON placement test is focused on vocabulary-in-context questions which are great for determining reading levels, instead of covering all reading standards like Star Reading and Early Literacy. The placement test is not meant to be a universal screener or provide predictions to a high stakes test. Star Reading and Early Literacy still provide instructional recommendations and more robust reporting.

What scores will myON placement provide? A scaled score and an ATOS reading range.

What reports will be available in this new update? All the same reports, plus a reading placement report showing whether they've gotten a placement score, and a Star growth report.