

Harcourt Website

1. To logon: Type **harcourtschool.com** in the address box of your Internet provider. Click on **The Learning Site** icon. Click on **Reading**. Click on **Harcourt Trophies**. Click on the book icon for **Program Users**. The **Password** is **Farr**. Type in your **school** (number only). Select your **state**. Select **where you'll be using this site**. Make sure **Save Password** box is selected (*This will allow you to go directly to the activities page the next time you sign on.*). Click on the **bird**.
2. To get to the Teacher site: Click on **Resources for Teachers**. Click on **Teacher Registration**. Fill in all information using the *Tab* key to go to the next box. Click **Continue**. If information is correct, click **Submit**. Make sure to write down your User Name and Password. Next time you can just sign in.

Resources for Teachers:

3. **Electronic Lesson Planner:** K-6 - five day lesson plan for each story; actual links (written in blue) to the additional support material
4. **Ancillary Resources:** K-6 - list of all support materials and links to them
5. **Assessment Guide:** K-6 - same as the laminated insert that came with the series
6. **Language Support Poster Lessons:** lessons that support the Language Support Posters on the main menu; beginner, intermediate, and advanced levels; posters available in three formats - same as student view, student view with labels, color view; can be printed
7. **Leveled Books:** K-6 - list of all titles with ISBN #, grade level, Reading Recovery level, guided reading level, DRA level, Lexile level, genre, and cross-curricular connection; sorted by predecodable, decodable, independent readers, ELL, below-level, on-level, advanced-level, and library; printable
8. **Graphic Organizers:** printable examples of blank graphic organizers that are appropriate for all grade levels
9. **Internet Safety:** printable acceptable use policy form for students and parents/guardians to sign
10. **Proofreading Makes Perfect Answer Key:** 1-6 - answers to all Proofreading Makes Perfect activities; printable
11. **Grammar Practice Park Skills Correlations:** 3-6 - grid showing theme, activity title, and grammar/usage/mechanics skill; printable
12. **Teacher Resource Links:** links to elementary reading and language arts related sites
13. **Intervention Skills Cards Answer Keys:** 2-6 - answers to all Intervention Skills Cards; printable
14. **Crosswalk to Writing: Using Trophies in Writing Workshops:** K-6 - correlates writer's craft/traits to Harcourt Trophies; printable
15. Be sure to go back to the **Teacher Resources** page and click **Log Out** so the site remains secure.

Other Items on the Activities Page:

16. **Theme Center Activities** - K-1 - activities to do on the computer; some finished

- products can be printed
17. **Authors and Illustrators** - K-6 - picture and bibliography of authors and illustrators of stories in anthology; can be printed
 18. **Building Background** - 2-6 - activities/information to prepare students for story; many have an additional website link; can be printed
 19. **Reading Skills Rocket** - 1-6 - practice activities for various reading skills; one skill per story; activities can't be printed
 20. **Test Tutor** - 1-6 - test activities for same skills as in **Reading Skills Rocket**; gives practice multiple choice questions first, then items for test; gives number correct out of possible total at end; can't be printed
 21. **Ideas for Writers** - 2-6 - ideas for five or six types of writing for each grade level; each includes *Picture Prompts*, *Title Ideas*, *Mind Nudgers*, and *Starters*; can be printed
 22. **Proofreading Makes Perfect** - 1-6 - activities to download and print; practice using editing symbols and rewriting; can't be done on screen
 23. **Writing Detective** - 2-6 - online multiple choice quizzes on various types of writing; includes a lesson; allows students to go back to lesson or passage for each question; gives number of correct answers out of possible total and grade in %; can't be printed
 24. **Grammar Practice Park** - 3-6 - practice activities for various grammar skills; includes a grammar glossary; can be printed
 25. **Go for Grammar Gold!** - 1-6 - begins with a brief lesson, then a quiz; allows students to go back to lesson at each question; give number of correct answers out of possible total and grade in %; can't be printed
 26. **Homework Helper** - 1-6 - by theme and week; each week has an assignment for *Reading*, *Phonics*, *Writing*, *Theme*, *Cross-Curricular* (grades 1 & 2) and *Vocabulary*, *Comprehension*, *Literature Response*, *Grammar/Writing*, and *Spelling* (grades 3-6); includes links to vocabulary and spelling words; can be printed
 27. **Language Support Posters** - words on posters are read when mouse touches them; there is a conversation when the cursor turns into a hand and is clicked on a part of the poster; can be printed by clicking on **Download** button below picture
 28. **Multimedia Grammar Glossary** - 1-6 - alphabetical listing of grammatical terms with links to related terms; can print word list or selected page by clicking in appropriate section
 29. **Resources for Parents** -
 - Internet Safety** - rules for Internet safety for students and parents/guardians to sign
 - Reading Tips for Parents** - four page U.S. Department of Education brochure including topics on helping a child become ready to read and learn, recognizing a good early reading program, strategies for creating a strong reader, and the essential components of reading
 - Helping Your Child Take Tests** - information on why tests are given, how to prepare a child for a test, and test taking tips
 - Helping Your Child Become a Good Writer** - information on what the parent can do, what a young child can do, what an older child can do, and the writing process
 - Parent Resource Links** - links to parent information and to sites for children to do research