



## *6 Best Reading and Writing Websites*

**[Reading Rockets](#)** Provides research-based strategies to teachers, parents, librarians, childcare providers, and anyone else involved in helping a young child become a skilled reader. Their goal is to spread the word about reading instruction and to present “what works” in a way that parents and educators can understand and use.

**[Colorín Colorado](#)** Colorín Colorado is the national website serving educators and families of English language learners (ELLs) in Grades PreK-12. Colorín Colorado has been providing free research-based information, activities, and advice to parents, schools, and communities around the country for more than a decade.

**[Nanowrimo](#)** is a fun, empowering approach to creative writing. The challenge: draft an entire novel in just one month. NaNoWriMo's Young Writers Program (YWP) takes that joyful, focused approach to creative writing and makes it accessible to young writers, educators, and families.

**[Fun Brain](#)** This website takes learning and turns it into fun games. Students can choose from activities in the Math Arcade, read books and comics, and play educational games in the Fun Arcade. Fun Brain has a selection of free books to read online as well.

**[The Measured Mom](#)** This site was designed with the younger children in mind. Pre-K – 2. This blog was created by a teacher with a background in curriculum and instruction, offers articles, hands-on lessons, and hundreds of printable resources for teachers and parents. Most resources are free and focus on literacy, but the site also includes help for teaching math, science, and social studies to children in preschool through second grade.

**[Read Write Think](#)** Read Write Think is a writing program supported by the National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE). This online reading and writing resource contains printable resources, and lesson plans that teachers and parents can use to help children.