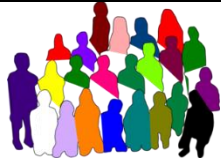











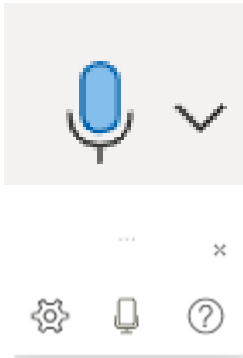






## Reading and Writing Supports – Windows Computers

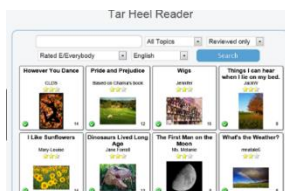
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**Student Microsoft accounts** User: Student#@learn71.ca

Password: use to login to SD71 computers

Screen Shots	Applications and Extensions	QR Codes to Resources	Notes
	<p><b>Goal for the session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn about tools for ALL to support Reading and Writing on SD71 and BYOD computers</li> <li><a href="http://www.learn71.ca">www.learn71.ca</a> &gt; Inclusion and Diversity &gt; Accessible Technology</li> </ul>		
	<p><b>Chrome Extensions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Voice Search</b>  Google search bar</li> <li><b>Dom Distiller</b>  (clean up)</li> <li><b>UBlock</b>  (no ads)</li> <li><b>Open Dyslexic</b>  (change font)</li> <li><b>Screenshot Reader</b>  (reads text)</li> <li> to pin extensions</li> </ul> <p><b>Tools work on any website</b></p> <p><b>Control + =</b> = larger font  <b>Control –</b> = smaller font</p>		

	<p><b><u>Dictate in Word</u></b> (many Office 365 tools)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Home tab &gt; dictate</li> <li>• Settings (change languages)</li> <li>• ? Help</li> </ul> <p>*<a href="#">Window + H Built in Speech Recognition</a> on all applications and environments on Windows Computers. Put in an IThelpdesk Ticket if language packs are missing.</p> <p>Talk Typar <a href="https://talktyper.com/">https://talktyper.com/</a> in Chrome for students that need things chunked and very simple. Then copy and paste text.</p>		
<p>Show text suggestions as I type</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On</p>  	<p><b><u>Word prediction</u></b> - options</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Text suggestions (Windows 10) Typing &gt; Hardware keyboard</li> <li>• Read&amp;Write (in Chrome) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Can change to French under more options ...</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Onscreen keyboard (English Only)</li> </ul>		
	<p><b><u>Immersive Reader</u></b> in Office 365 (Word) and (Edge Browser) and many other locations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Word in Office 365 online</li> <li>• Under <b>View</b> Tab (Immersive Reader)</li> <li>• Text to speech</li> <li>• Contrast colour, text size, font, spacing</li> <li>• Line focus, picture dictionary</li> </ul>		



### eText and eBook options and resources

[Unite for Literacy](#) Photo based books with real voices reading the books, no tracking of text. Various languages.

[DOGO](#) High Interest and low vocab current events site with anchor videos.

[PebbleGo and Pebble Go Next](#) Database with science-based articles, text to speech, videos, definitions. 2 levels





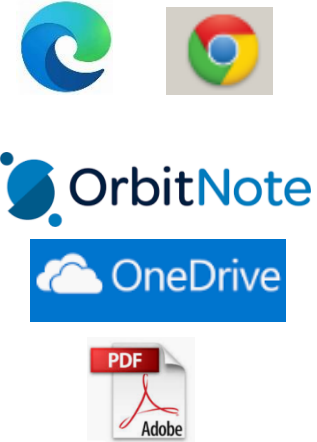

[Wonderopolis](#) What are you wondering? Facts and questions explained in a fun and engaging way. Video, vocab and comprehension options. Click the Listen icon to use Immersive Reader on the articles. Click Full Screen Mode to get Text to Speech option.

[Tar Heel and Tar Heel Shared Reader](#) Books created by others and shared on this site. Adapted Novels. Can have text to speech by clicking in the settings clog. If you want to make your own books, the password is **Literacy**.

[Sora](#)(Talk to your Teacher Librarian) District eBook Database

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	<p><b>ARC-BC Accessible Resource Centre</b>  <a href="http://www.arc-bc.org/">http://www.arc-bc.org/</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Free database of accessible <b>Textbooks</b>, <b>Novels</b> and <b>Accessible Books</b></li> <li>• Students with Perceptual Disability</li> <li>• Must have a copy of the book</li> </ul> <p><b>Resources (PDFs, Word, PowerPoint)</b>  <b>Available for computer (OrbitNote, Read&amp;Write Windows, Immersive Reader, PowerPoint)</b></p>		
	<p><b>Read&amp;Write - Extension in Chrome</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Works with Office 365 and web browser</li> <li>• Need to login with <b>Microsoft</b> Username and password that is used to login to district computers</li> </ul>		
	<p><b>OrbitNote Extension in Chrome – with PDFs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read PDFs with text to speech, study tools</li> <li>• Anotate PDFs use word predciation and speech to text</li> <li>• Chrome <a href="#">OrbitNotes PDF Reader extension has to be installed Chrome</a></li> <li>• Edge <a href="#">OrbitNotes PDF Reader extension has to be installed Edge</a></li> <li>• use District <b>Microsoft</b> login</li> <li>• use with MicrosoftOneDrive</li> </ul> <p><b>ARCBC Resources (Textbooks and Novels)</b></p>		

\*What was your favourite tool? Why?

What will you use? What will you share? With whom?