

Dear Parents:

We would like to take a moment to tell you about a supplemental reading program at our school, the *istation Reading Program*!

istation is an internet-based reading intervention program for use by students in grades Pre-K through 12. *istation* is made of four easy-to-use components that work together to help students achieve success in reading.

1. Assessments Identify Areas in Need of Improvement.

Students' skills are assessed and monitored throughout the year using *istation's* Indicators of Progress (ISIP™), a fast, online assessment. The assessment determines where students have weaknesses in the critical areas of reading.

2. Individual Instruction is Delivered in a Fun, Animated Format.

Based on assessment results, students then receive instruction based on their individual needs through *istation's* online interactive curriculum. The interactive reading curriculum provides instruction and practice in all of the critical reading areas. Students receive this instruction in a fun, animated format that motivates students to learn.

3. Student Improvement is Monitored Closely.

Student performance reports are automatically created and shared with teachers and administrators. These reports make recommendations for the teacher to provide lessons to students in small groups.

4. Teacher Resources Provide Additional Support.

istation includes an extensive library of Teacher Resources for additional reading support. These resources include 2000 teacher-directed lessons, over 150 decodable books, passages and read aloud books, as well as poetry, rhymes, word banks, and educational games.

istation is a fun and engaging way for students to achieve success in reading!

Sincerely,