

Practice Your Reading/Typing Skills!

		Type of Activity	Name of Activity
1	Phonics	Letter sounds, letter identification	Starfall ABCs
2		Alphabet skills (Find it in list of games on left)	PBSkids: ABCD Watermelon
3		Upper and lower case letter identification	Kangaroo Confusion
4		Identifying beginning sounds (drag upper and lower case, beginning letters)	Leo the Letter Loving Lobster
5		Matching pictures with same beginning sounds	Clifford's Sound Match
6		Type missing short vowel	Kidport - Missing letters
7		Blending sounds into words; reading short stories	Starfall main index
8		Matching written to spoken word	Pounce
9		Short Vowel sounds in words	Chicken Stacker
10		Short Vowel sounds in words	Name the Picture
11		Consonant Blends	Blending Bowl
12	Sight Words	Type missing letters in sight words; select from 20 lists of words	Missing Letters
13	Punctuation	Find and correct capitalization and punctuation errors	Sentence Clubhouse

14		Select the proofreading skills to work on (skill varies by story)	<u>Power Proofreading</u>
15	Parts of Speech	Identify nouns, verbs, adjectives	<u>Grammar Gorillas</u>
16		Identify parts of speech (choose grade range)	<u>Rats!</u>
17	Extension activities	Reading Resources, by grade level	<u>Eduplace</u>
18	Literature	Listen to and read online stories	<u>Reading Planet</u>
19		Listen to online stories	<u>Speakaboos</u>
20		Read or listen to Fairy Tales online	<u>Grimms' Fairy Tales</u>
21	Comprehension	learn and practice specific reading strategies	<u>Into the Book</u>
22	Poetry	Poetry activities	<u>Giggle Poetry</u>
23		Write poetry online	<u>Poetry Writing with Jack Prelutzky</u>
24	Spelling	Study your spelling words online	<u>Spelling City</u>
25	Vocabulary	Find rhymes, antonyms, synonyms, definitions, etc. for a word	<u>Rhyme Zone</u>
26		Synonyms	<u>Synonym Sam's Lab</u>
27		Play crossword, word find, hangman, etc.	<u>Learning Vocabulary can be Fun</u>
28		Practice vocabulary or grammar while donating rice to needy people	<u>FreeRice.com</u>

29	TYPING SKILLS	"Trick or Type", "Desert Typing", "Keyboard Triathlon" etc.	<u>Typing Games</u>
30		online Typing Tests – select from Lessons #2 - 8	<u>Typing Test</u>
31		Fun, colorful site introducing typing skills to children	<u>Dance Mat Typing</u>