



COVID-19 Roundtable
April 10, 2020



Welcome!

Using the Chat box, tell us your name and where you are from!

The Chat Box is at the bottom right of the Go To Meeting screen :)

Hi everyone! Rebecca
from RAR National in
Pasadena, MD.

Agenda for Today's Roundtable

- RAR National COVID Resources
- RAR Partner Resources
 - Common Sense Media
 - Monroe County Library System
- Open Discussion-Sharing Session

What else is "top of mind" to you right now? Please share using the chat box.

Storytime for families

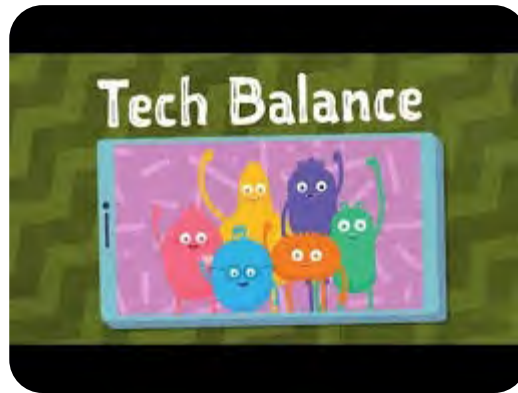
RAR Resources

- [COVID Toolkit](#)
 - [Funding Opportunities](#)
 - [Publisher Resources](#)
 - [COVID Resource Library](#)
 - [Parent Tip Sheets](#)
 - [Family Literacy Calendars](#)

RAR Call to Action!
[Affiliate Survey](#)



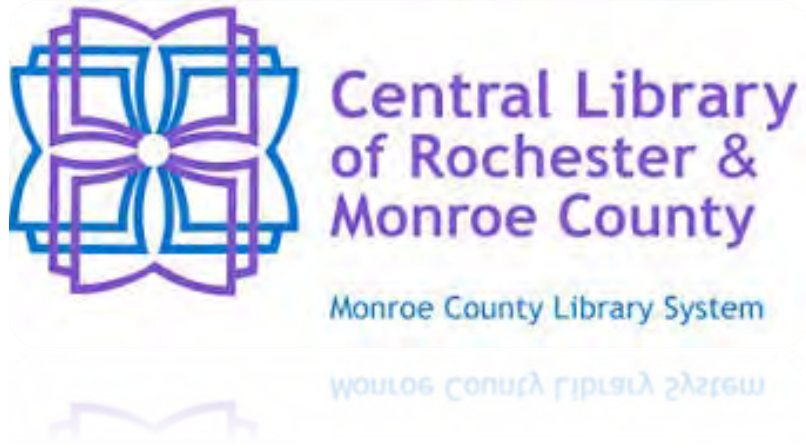
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MEDIA BALANCE & WELL-BEING

We find balance
in our digital lives.

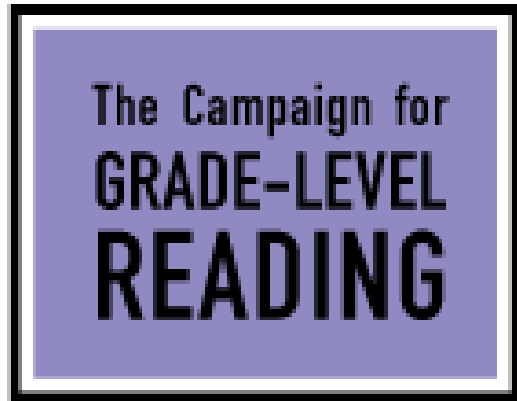
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Curated Resources from Monroe County Library

- [Day by Day](#): A website for young children and their families with daily ideas to keep learning fun. It is part of the New York State Library early literacy initiative [Ready to Read at New York Libraries](#).
- [Junior Library Guild](#): With JLG Gold Standard eBooks for Elementary, Middle School and High School students, [JLG Digital](#) gives you and your readers **unlimited access to read books online** from any device.
- **NOTICE: Usernames & passwords are no longer needed!**
- [Starfall](#): Free and low-cost online activities and resources for grades PreK to 3. The website was specifically designed to teach children to read but has since expanded to include mathematics and language arts.
- [Storynory](#): This website features a vast collection of audio stories where children can read along to the text. The website's library includes original stories, fairy tales, and classics.
- [Storyline Online](#): An award-winning children's literacy website that features videos of celebrated actors reading from children's books.

RAR Resources: Partner Highlight



- **April 14:** The Teaching of Reading: Closing the Gap between Science and Practice
 - Presenters: Emily Hanford of APM Reports, Emmy Award-winning filmmaker Jenny MacKenzie and others.
Moderator: Munro Richardson of Read Charlotte

FREE

Registration: https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_hjXU2byeRn6fXbJmJGujhA

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NAFSCE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
FOR FAMILY, SCHOOL, AND
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- FREE Professional Learning Webinars:
 - April 22: **Engaging Families through Family Resource Centers**
 - **REGISTER:** https://nafsce.org/events/event_list.asp
- Complimentary NAFSCE Membership
 - **REGISTER:** https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSedqAhPrbxXhWGOQsPPNCdDU4RXNYrs_9m8SHEnalV7GeDg/viewform

Business Behind the Books

Fundraising Webinar 4/16

This webinar will provide an overview of best practices and strategies to use if you need to raise funds to **start, expand, and/or sustain your RAR program**, and will provide **practical tools and tips in communicating with funders during COVID**. We'll be diving into local, state and federal funds and how they can enhance your RAR program.

UPCOMING WEBINARS

April 16 [Business Behind the Books – Fundraising for Your RAR Program](#)

<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/6642309578068221707>

April 23 [How to use RAR in Your Striving Readers Comprehensive State Literacy Development Grand Award](#)

Link can also be found on RAR website, under "Webinars and Downloads"

May 7 How RAR Aligns with Early Education Programs and Kinder Readiness

Are there any specific fundraising questions you have related to COVID?
Let us know by chatting in the text box!

Sharing Session/Discussion

