

**July 17, 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 Town Hall**

- Welcome Michelle Siosan Hyman to Raising A Reader
- Raising A Reader COVID Recovery Resources
  - Super Summer Web Page
  - Online Affiliate Network: "Going Back Tool Kit"
- NEW! Materials
  - RAR Replenishment Materials
  - Plastic Bags
  - Super Summer Book Bags
  - DVD's
- Announcements & Discussion



#### Welcome



Michelle Sioson Hyman, Senior Vice President of Programs & Partnerships



# Raising A Reader COVID Recovery

Stage 3

# Phase 2: COVID Recovery

Stage 1 Conclude & celebrate	Goal: Formally conclude 2019-2020 Program Year
Stage 2 Sustain Routines	Goal: Support families in sustaining the routine of book sharing over the summer and support addressing "COVID slide"
Stage 3 Gather the facts & plan	Goal: Audit your RAR inventory, connect with implementation sites regarding their county guidelines, plan for relaunch incorporating appropriate RAR implementation alternatives (rotation, technology, parent workshops, library connection)
Stage 4 Relaunch	Goal: Re-launch your Raising A Reader program serving children and families
Stage 5 Refine	Goal: Assess and refine innovations



Raising A Reader Tools to Support Your Going Back Plan

#### Raising A Reader's Super Summer Webpage!

https://www.raisingareader.org/what-we-do/super-summer/

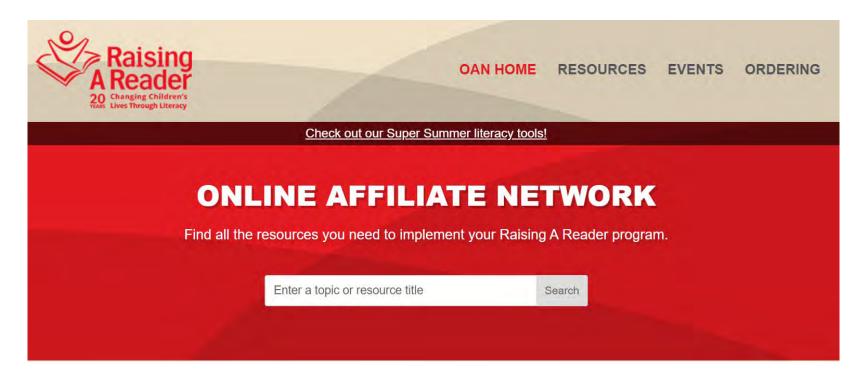


Raising A Reader offers **Affiliates** and **Non-Affiliates** summer literacy tools to help beat 2020 COVID/Summer slide. Summer literacy tools include English and Spanish literacy kits and weekly author Read Alouds for children ages 4-6. All tools are



#### "Going Back" Tool Kit on the OAN!

https://www.raisingareader.org/oan/





#### **NEW!** Raising A Reader Materials

#### **Replenishment Collection NOW Available!**

#### Collection Options

### Ages 0-2

- English Foundation Set
- Spanish Foundation Set
- English Supplemental Building Block
- Spanish Supplemental Building Block

## Ages 3-PreK

- English Foundation Set
- Spanish Foundation Set
- English Supplemental Building Block (3)
- Spanish Supplemental Building Block (3)

# School Age

- English Foundation Set
- Spanish Foundation Set
- English Supplemental Building Block (3)
- Spanish Supplemental Building Block (2)



#### **Replenishment Collection Costs**

Available July 6-November 1, 2020!



# Foundation Sets

- \$500!
- 10 Red Book Bags w/ Tags
- 30 Kapco-Covered Books (School Age)
- 40 Kapco-Covered Books (0-PreK)

#### Supplemental Building Blocks

- \$250!
- 5 Red Book Bags w/ Tags
- 15 Kapco-Covered Books (School Age)
- 20 Kapco-Covered Books (0-PreK)



#### **Replenishment Collection FAQ's**

- When Can I Order?
  - Replenishment collections will be available from July 6-November 1 on the RAR Shop Site.
- When Will Orders Ship?
  - Shipment of Replenishment Collections starts by August 10th.

- What titles will be included?
  - A variety of titles hand selected from the current collections are included.
- Can I have a quote?
  - Ordering replenishment sets will be just like any other order. RAR is happy to develop a quote to suit your needs.





# Replenishment Collection FAQ's

- Can I purchase special collections?
  - Yes! Any special collection (language, curriculum, etc) can still be purchased on the Shop site.
- If your program has suffered a loss of 50% or more, please reach out to your Portfolio Manager or <u>rarinquiry@raisingareader.org</u>



#### **Plastic Bags NOW Available!**

#### Categories

- Replacement Sets
- · Super Summer Book Bags
- Foundation Sets & Supplemental Building Blocks
- Book Only Collections
- · Refreshers and Blue Bags
- · Miscellaneous Materials

**Shopping Cart** 

#### WELCOME TO THE RAISING A READER ORDERING SITE

If you need any assistance ordering, please call us at 650-489-0550 or click here to email us.



Replacement Sets

Sets of Books and Red Bags designed to help with loss due to Covid.



Super Summer Book Bags

\*\*Limited Time Offering

Starting Materials

Foundation Sets & Supplemental
Building Blocks

 Plastic bags can be purchased in sets of 10 on the RAR Shop Site.





# Super Summer Book Bag



















#### **Components:**

- Bilingual family guide
  - <u>Six</u> weeks of daily school readiness activities
  - Templates for home-based learning tools
- 4 Bilingual or English Books
- Crayons
- Blank response journal
- Unifix cubes
- Letter/numbers
- Drawstring backpack

ORDER By JULY 17th for Shipping by July 31st!









# Super Summer Book Bags Featured in the News!

Education Dive: <a href="https://www.educationdive.com/news/study-more-than-half-of-students-lost-39-of-years-learning-over-summer/581365/">https://www.educationdive.com/news/study-more-than-half-of-students-lost-39-of-years-learning-over-summer/581365/</a>

Teddi Melencamp Podcast: https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/back-toschool/id1477524410?i=1000484560013



#### Read Aloud: Share A Book With Me!

- DVD's are NO longer part of the Foundation and Supplemental Kits
- DVD's can be purchased as an a la carte item





#### Raising A Reader Resources & Announcements

## **Super Summer Read Aloud Series!**



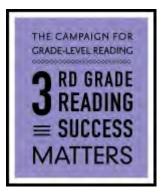
Monica Brown reads *Maya's Blanke*t in English and Spanish!

Starting **June 1**st, we'll be sharing weekly author read alouds!

- All books from RAR's collection!
- Bilingual videos English and Spanish
- Big thanks to Lee & Low Books for this!







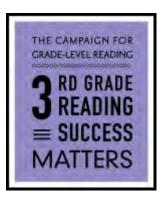
#### **GLR WEEK 2020 JULY 13-17**

July 17: 12:00 PM PT | 3:00 PM ET

Measuring & Addressing Learning Loss with Innovative Diagnostic Tools: Two States Respond

We are looking forward to a rich conversation during today's special GLR Week Session, Measuring & Addressing Learning Loss With Innovative Diagnostic Tools: California & South Carolina Respond, 3-4:30 p.m. ET/12-1:30 p.m. PT. For your convenience, you can access the slide deck in advance on CLIP where we will also post the webinar recording. Register here.





#### 12:00 PM PT | 3:00 PM ET

Register here

#### **July 21**

Meeting Families Where They Are: Leveraging Spaces to Advance Early Learning and Literacy

#### **July 28**

Relationships Matter: Partnering with Families to Support Early Relational Health

**Continue Every Tuesday, Register Here** 



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#### July 22

Trauma-informed Practices in MD and PA with the <u>Collaborative Action</u> for Family Engagement Center and Dr. Seth Shaffer.

Registrants are encouraged to watch this <u>15-minute TED talk</u> and read this <u>short summary</u> <u>of the ACEs study</u> for background on the science behind trauma.

Register today! Times: 12:00 PM PT | 3:00 PM ET



#### **Sharing Session/Discussion**



