

Rockerbox News

What is Rockerbox News?

Rockerbox News is an online reading comprehension platform. The platform is full of interesting non-fiction articles that are positive, timely, and relatable for your child. Reading with Rockerbox News will help your child to become more engaged with reading, become more confident, and help them to develop and practice important "real-world" reading skills.

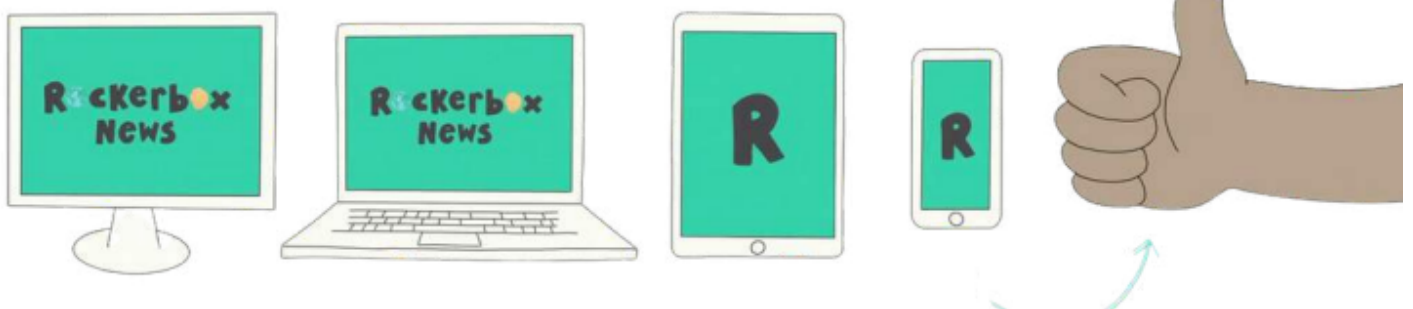
Is it safe for my child to use Rockerbox News independently?

Yes! Rockerbox News is a gated platform so it is safe for your child to explore and read independently at home. Your child is also reading with Rockerbox News in school. Their teacher has set the correct reading level for your child. New articles are added to Rockerbox News every single day. Your child might be asked to pick their own articles to read at home for fun. Their teacher may also assign articles and activities for them to do at home on Rockerbox News as reading homework.

How do we access Rockerbox News at home?

Your child has unique login details for Rockerbox News which you can find below. Your child can log into their Rockerbox News account on any laptop or desktop via students.myrockerbox.com.

Rockerbox News is also available as a tablet/iPad and mobile phone app. Simply search for 'Rockerbox News' in your app store and download the free app. Your child can log into the app with the same details as they would use online.



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How can I support my child's reading?

As with any skill, practice is key! Here are ways to help your child develop their reading skills through Rockerbox News:



Encourage your child to read broadly at home

We'd love your child to read on Rockerbox News as part of their reading homework for 10 minutes each day. Your child can read any article they find interesting and answer the related comprehension questions.



Check for Bookmarks and Tasks. These are important articles to read!

Check for any Bookmarks or Tasks in your child's Rockerbox News account. These may be articles they've read at school that we'd like them to read again at home. Tasks, related to specific articles or topics, may have also been assigned to your child by their teacher.



Discuss the article with your child and carry on learning!

The last question on every Rockerbox News article is a point for you to discuss together. Also try to ask your child further questions about what they've read. What have they learned? What more would they like to know about this subject? If you can, research the topic further together.



Listen to Rockerbox News with your child

Every article in Rockerbox News can be read aloud to your child. This means you can use it when you are travelling or in a public place with headphones. You may also want to listen to Rockerbox News articles as a family and discuss them together afterwards.