

Reading Coaching in Case of School Closure
FAQs for Families

Ask a question [here](#)...

| Question | Answer |
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| Will there be communication between the reading coach and my son's teacher? | The reading coaches are supporting practice of grade level phonics and word recognition skills. When classes resume, we will share the resources used with classroom teachers. |
| Is it possible to get our child's MAPS score? | At this time we are not able to provide individual student reports for MAP. Parent Conferences are a terrific time to review current student data and performance. |
| My kindergartener has been referred to reading coaching. He is in the dual language Spanish program. Will the coaching be in both English and Spanish? | At this time, due to finite bilingual staff, we are only able to offer reading coaching in English foundational skills. |
| Will the para working with our child be one from their school. My child is very quiet and takes a while to feel comfortable around others. I can see him not talking with the adult online if it is someone he does not know. | We have worked to match reading coaches with students from their school or their regional cluster. Part of the training is around connecting with students in a virtual setting. If you are able, you are welcome to join the meet as well. |
| This is all new to me so I'm not sure what to ask, but what does my daughter need at home to make these session's successful? When will we find out the days/times these sessions will be going on? | Your reading coach will reach out to you to schedule the times that work best for you, during the regular school day. Your child needs their packet of resources, scissors, a pencil, a chromebook, and their quick card to log in. |
| Will you help with phonics? My child is working on phonics | The focus of the reading coach is grade level skills in phonics and word recognition. |
| Will late afternoon/evening hours be available? | Your reading coach will reach out to you to schedule the times that work best for you, during the regular school day. |
| Can this coaching continue to be available regardless of 'strike'? | This offering is during the school closure in event of a strike. |
| Will tech support be available to help me help my child get the help he needs? The link to the website is difficult to navigate and unclear. | Please reach out to your child's principal or PPS Tech Support (support@pps.net or 503-916-3375) for tech support. |