Delaware Soars with Sora

FALL 2023

Action Item: Share Sora!

It's a busy time of year. You need to share Sora, but you don't have a lot of time. Not to worry! Here are some of the best resources available to help you get kids reading quickly!

FOR STUDENTS:

- <u>Getting Started with Sora for students</u> (self-paced module)
- Download the Sora Scavenger Hunt (for Elementary & Secondary)

FOR EDUCATORS:

- Curricular Reads with Sora self-paced module
- Share Direct Links to Sora with students (5 min video)
- Lesson Plan Annotations in Sora

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT:

• The #1 question last school year was, "Why can't I return this book early in Sora?" If you get this question again, now you can be prepared with this <u>one-minute video about returning</u> <u>titles in Sora</u> that explains about when there are exceptions.

Spotlight: Supersonic Phonics & Decodables

With a push toward the Science of Reading, we're thrilled to announce that we'll be offering a Super Sonic Phonics package for your early readers! This package contains focused lessons on letter sounds, diagraphs, diphthongs, vowel patterns, and so much more. Everything you'd need for your young readers to strengthen their phonics and phonetic awareness can be found in these fun and engaging titles.







Hot Tip: Requesting Books

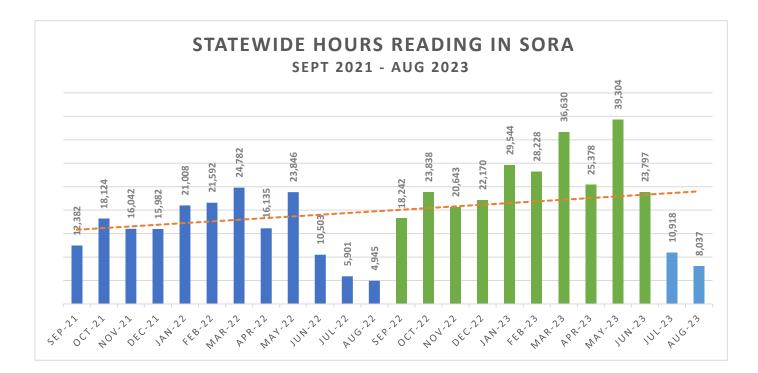
The goal of Delaware Accelerates Learning is to provide resources to help students read. You know your readers, so please share the genres, topics, themes, and/or titles that will best suit their needs! <u>Use this link to request titles for Sora</u>!

For a list of titles, please include **title** and **author**. Sarah – your Sora Librarian – has years of experience as a public library Youth Services Manager and reviewed for SLJ. She can also add grade-banded content in specific genres or topics. Just let her know your criteria and she'll get the books added to Sora quickly.

NOTE: You'll see lots of new Spanish and Chinese titles in Sora! Help grow the library even more by sharing the languages which will best support your readers!

Sora Data Review

Reading Time in Sora (June 1 and Aug 31): 30,977.23 HOURS



Contact your Sora team for help!

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