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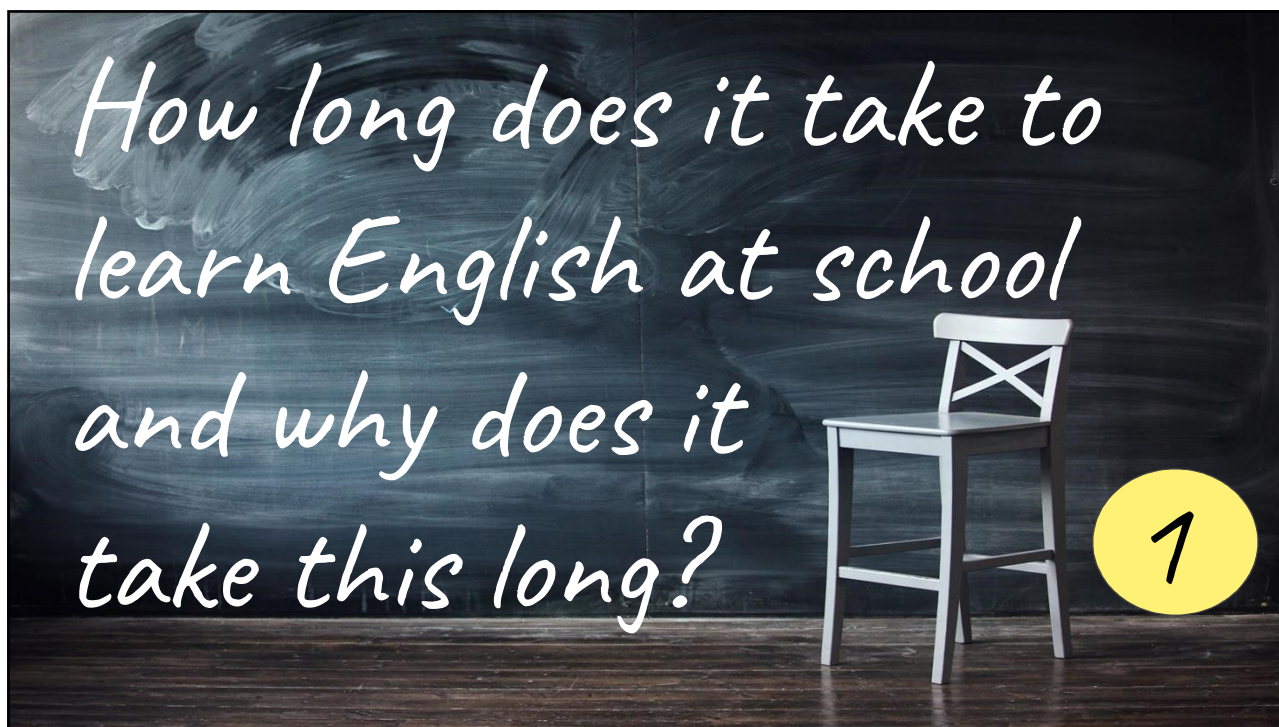
How to get parents on your side and help kids learn English faster!

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We will cover:

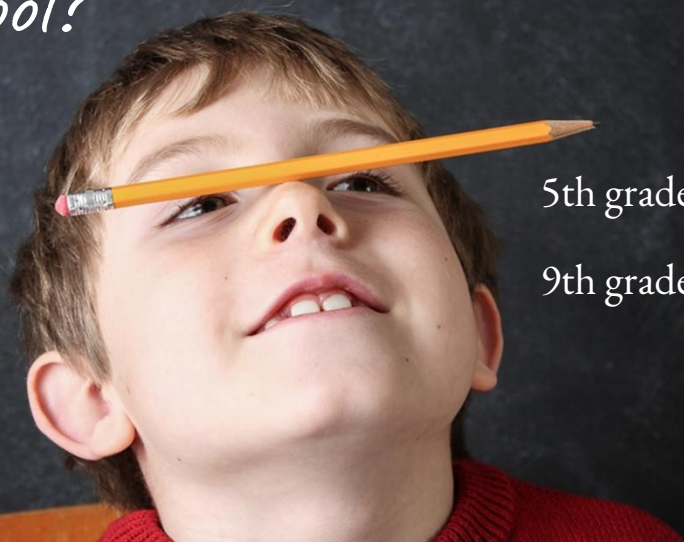
1. How long does it take to learn English at school and why does it take this long?
2. What can we do to make it faster?
 - ➔ Prepare the brain to hear English
 - ➔ Present customized and frequent training
 - ➔ Let kids experience success using English
3. How to facilitate cooperation among the teacher, students and their parents to help students learn faster?



Let's start
with a video



*How long does it take to learn English
at school?*



5th grade - A1 CEFR level

9th grade - A2 CEFR level

However, the reality is...

only **35%**

of 5th graders reach A1+ level (3 - 5 years of English)

only **55%**

of 9th graders reach A2+ level (7-9 years of English)

Source Scio 9/2014

*What can we do
in 3x 45 mins?*

- Class organization: 5 mins
- Instructions: 10 mins
- Listening: 6 minutes
- Writing: 6 mins
- Speaking: 18 minutes

Lekce angličtiny

45 minut, 15 žáků
každý mluví max. 1m 12s



72 seconds

The amount of time each student speaks during 1 school lesson

Why does it take this long?

The Brain





Missing abilities:

- ✓ *Imprint phonemes quickly*
- ✓ *Use cognitive functions as fast as in a first language*

Results:

- ✓ Can't hear language clearly
- ✓ Can't focus and remember easily -> can't learn fast

What can we do to
make it **faster**?

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Meet 2 products that will help your students:

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INTO YOUR ENGLISH

Časopis pro výuku angličtiny

Solving underlying issues:

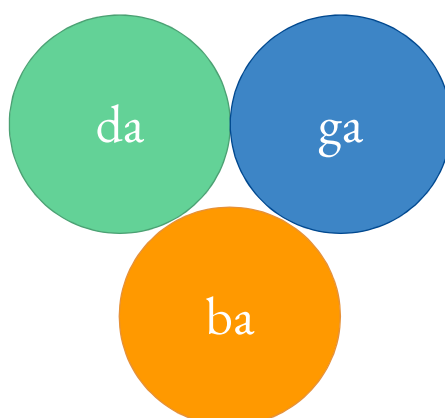
- ✓ *Imprints phonemes quickly*
- ✓ *Trains cognitive functions*

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*Prepares the
brain for
English*

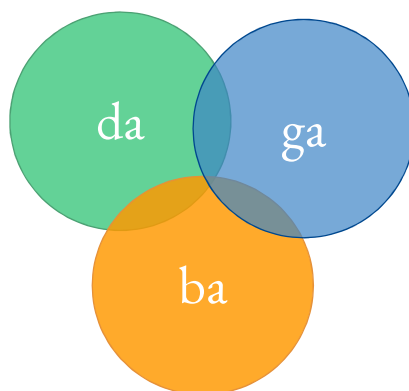


Phonemic Mapping in the Brain



Native speaker

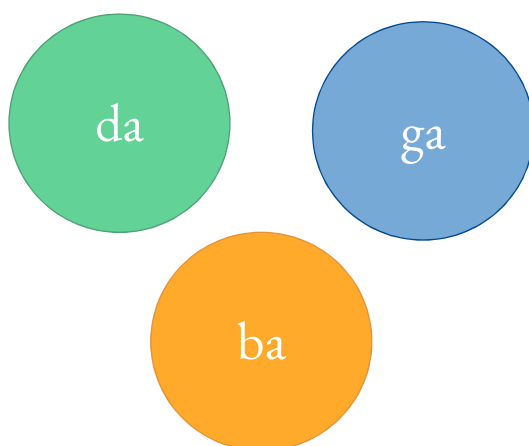
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English learner

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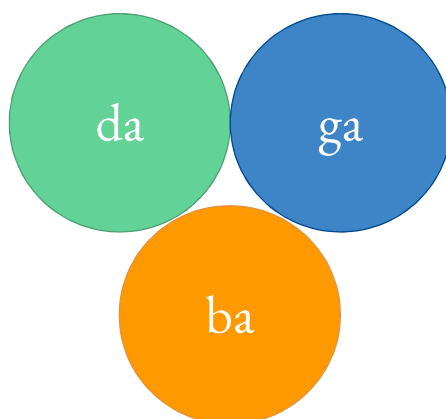
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Patented technology - stretched speech

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End of exercise

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Cognitive Functions training



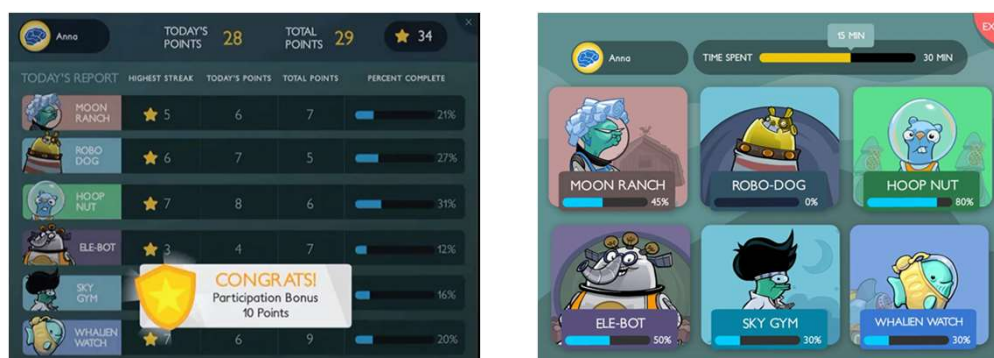
Supporting faster learning

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It all looks like a game :)



Brain training modules

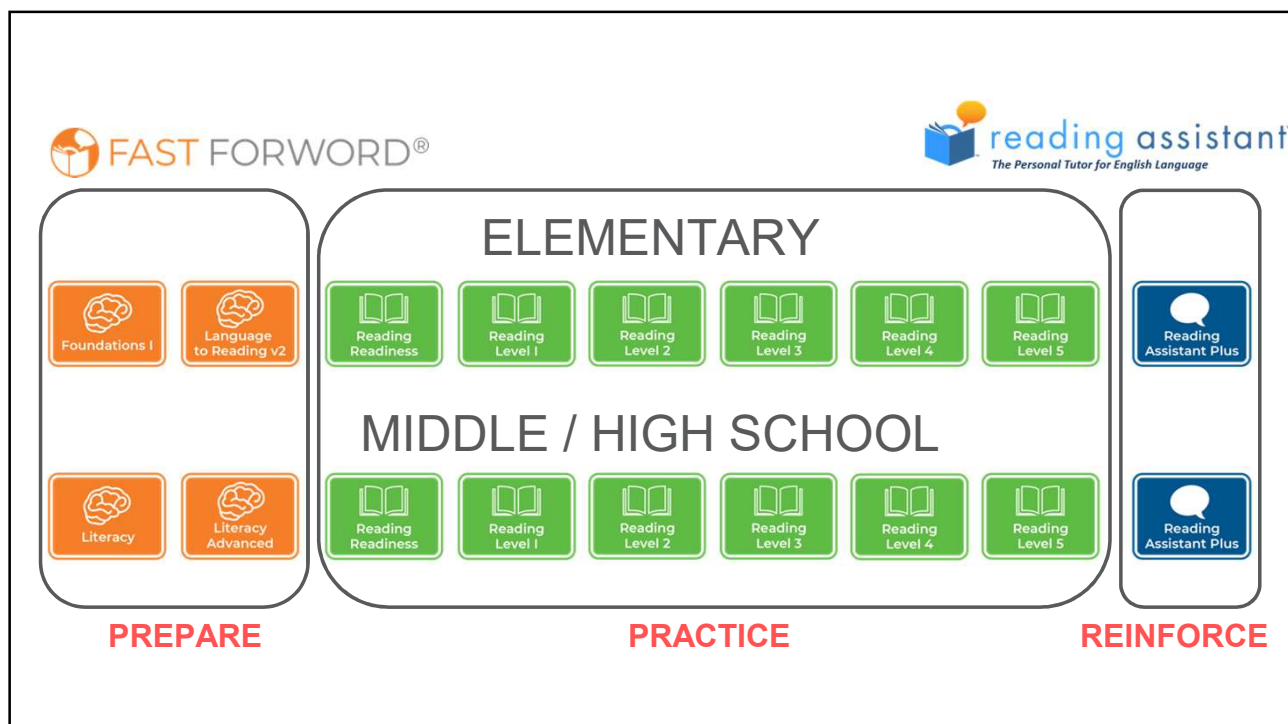


Free demo at scilearn.cz

Speeding up learning:

- ✓ Adapts to students
- ✓ Provides unmatched intensity

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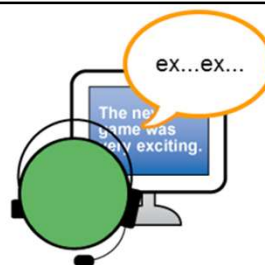
Reading Assistant



How Reading Assistant works



Preview vocabulary,
read silently & answer
guided questions



Listen to a
model reading
and read aloud



Get gentle
interventions
with support



Re-read from the
incorrect word



Take the quiz

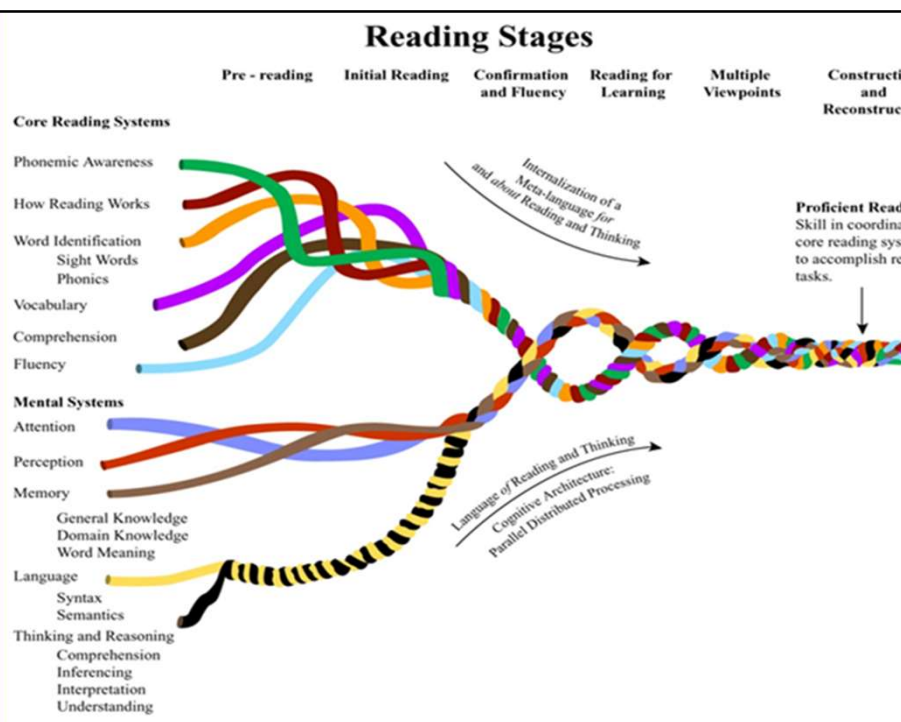


Access reports for
your students

Why does it work?

It is the only program that trains both core reading systems and mental systems to improve English.

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How to get this program to your students?

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Become a SciLearn teacher

- ✓ Free training
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Experience success - understanding written English



Experience success - listening



Frozen II



Get ready for winter

Learn in English

Outstanding
CLIL resource 



Practice, revision

- free worksheets on-line
- e-mail support - tips and ideas for teachers about how to turn magazine topics into fun speaking activities in the classroom

jump OPINION POLL

What's your favourite sport? p. 3

jump, September 2009

A. Ask three of your classmates and fill in the table.

name	favourite sport	what sport he or she does	her
Katja	figure skating	gymnastics	he
1.			
2.			
3.			

B. Now write what you know about your classmates.

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What's your favourite sport? What do you do?

► My favourite sport is dancing. I go to a hip-hop dancing club twice a week. But I dance at 1 sometimes every day. I also like ice hockey, but I only watch it on TV.

► I love parkour. I go to a parkour club twice a week. I also jump on a trampoline every day and go cycling and skiing.

2. LABEL THE PICTURE

► I love football. I play it in the playground with my friends. At school, we have a sports week. I go there once a week. We play basketball, volleyball, basketball and other games, too.

► My favourite sport is Taekwondo. I do it twice a week. It is a martial art. I like training for tests to get a belt.

FINISH THE SENTENCES.

1. Anna's favourite sport is _____
2. Malaya's favourite sport is _____
3. Luka's favourite sport is _____
4. Elizabeth's favourite sport is _____
5. Sam's favourite sport is _____

SOLUTIONS ON PAGE 15

3. LANGUAGE NOTE

- 1 = once
- 2 = twice
- 3 = three times
- 4 = four times

4. VOCABULARY

- 1 twice [tuːs] 2 thrice [θraɪs] 3 once [wʌns] 4 seldom [seldm] 5 often [ɒfn] 6 daily [deɪli]
- 7 martial art [mɑːtʃəl ɑːt] 8 before [bɪfɔː] 9 belt [belt] 10 pick 11 times [tuːms] 12 train

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2 Types of Active Parents



Responsibility passer



Solutions Seeker

Talking points for teachers

- There's not enough time to speak in the class.
- The students need to work on their English outside of school.
- The students need to prepare their brains to hear English.
- The students need to learn to acquire information in English.



Parents should know that kids need:

Support - getting tools to help them succeed

Trainning - train brain to hear and process English

Adaptivity - use adaptive technology to get faster results

Readng - experience success with English reading

Talking - practice spoken language



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