

# **School-to-Home Connection**

# Instruction resources, practice activities, and monitoring tools available outside the classroom

#### Home access

Extending learning beyond the classroom, **Istation Home** for reading, math, and Spanish literacy keeps students connected to instructional exercises, educational activities, and assignments while they're at home.

Plus, Istation's Parent Portal offers online access to supplemental home activities and skill-building lessons that a parent can go over with their child and includes printable materials for use at home. Parents can also track progress with personalized data profiles. The Parent Portal can be accessed on any device with a browser, such as a smartphone, tablet, or PC.

## **Getting started**

- After logging in to <u>www.istation.com</u>, navigate to the Classroom tab and select Parent Portal Letters to generate student login information.
- Print out the personalized letters for students to take home to their parents.
- As indicated in the parent letter, downloading instructions are available online at <u>www.istation.com/istationhome</u> in English and Spanish.

## More information

- Ipractice | Teacher Station provides selfdirected activities and lessons for home use. There are over 200 literacy activities, including digital books, printable books, literacy games, and animated songs.
- The <u>At Home Learning Playbook</u> for parents provides more information about Istation, the Parent Portal, and more.

### What's Available



Ipractice Reading menu



Parent Portal



# Downloadable parent letters with login instructions



Parent Portal Letters page

#### **Online access**

Once a student logs on at home, they will be placed on their individual learning path right where they left off at school.

#### **Interactive books**

These are recommended for each child based on their reading ability and are available to read at home.

#### **Ipractice**

Students can choose which activities to work on while at home. Teachers, don't forget about Teacher Station as well as Ipractice.

#### **Parent Portal**

Teachers can turn this feature on for parents. Print out a letter to send home to parents today (available in English and in Spanish).

#### **Parent-led activities**

Parents can print resources to use with their child at home.

#### **Assignments**

Teachers can choose lessons by topic, theme, or skill and assign them to individual students or a whole class. These lessons can be used for extra practice after an assessment or for students to work on at home.

#### **Personalized reports**

Parents have access to personalized reports on their child's progress via Istation's Parent Portal.

To learn more about using Istation at home, visit:









