

## Graford Elementary Academic Resources for Parents

Parents:

This list contains websites, programs, and apps that you can access to help your child with the learning process. Please note every effort was made to find free programs; however, a site may allow you to use it for free for a certain amount of time and then require a purchase. We are not asking you to purchase anything. Also note that these “free” sites will often have ads throughout. Click on those ads at your own discretion.

The sites listed first are programs we have purchased or are able to access at the school. Sites listed with an asterisk (\*) also have an app for iPhones/iPads. Some of these websites allow for a classroom to be set up, but also allow for individuals to create an account alone. If your child’s teacher creates classroom access to one of these, we will make sure that information is sent home to you as well. There should be a way to link the individual account to the classroom account. If that happens, we are here to assist you if you have questions or problems integrating the two.

Please note that NOTHING takes the place of reading and interacting with your child as you read together. The best way to help if your child is struggling with reading is to READ, READ, READ every night and discuss the story together. It sounds so simple, but it is truly the one activity that will have the biggest impact!

If you need help or have any questions, please don’t hesitate to contact me.

Thank you,

Lori Henderson  
Ex. Director of Student Services

### GISD Programs

Istation – (PK – 5<sup>th</sup>) see attached letter

Learning Farm – (K-4<sup>th</sup>) see attached letter

\*IXL (5<sup>th</sup> grade only) see attached letter

Scholastic W.O.R.D. (PK – 4<sup>th</sup>) see attached letter

\*Khan Academy (PK – 12+)

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Math and Reading

Funbrain.com

Math

Mathblaster.com

Multiplication.com

Hoodamath.com

Splashmath.com

Coolmathgames.com

Mathgametime.com

Gregtangmath.com

Illuminations <https://illuminations.nctm.org>  
(interactions appear to be free; other components are not)

Reading

\*Epic! (online books, games, videos, and quizzes)

Storylineonline.net

Starfall.com (PK – 3)

ReadWriteThink.org (K – 12)

Wordville.com (K – 5)

Readtheory.org

Readingbear.org – phonics (PK – 2<sup>nd</sup>)

Between the Lions (K – 3)

Oxford Owl (PK – 5)

Kidsread2kids online audiobooks

(When you access their website, it will take you to their YouTube channel)

Wonderopolis.org