

What's New in English in a Flash™ Renaissance Place™ By Version

What's New in English in a Flash Renaissance Place 1.0

- This is the first version of EiaF shipped.

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- Not Available

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- Students getting 93% to 100% (84 or more correct) on the pretest will skip ahead to the pretest for the next chapter. Students getting 85 to 92% (77 to 83) correct on the pretest will advance to Lesson 3 for that chapter. The pretest will stop after a student misses 14 items.
- If a pretest or quiz is stopped before it is completed, the student will start that pretest or quiz over the next time they log in.
- The 'exit' button will be active on the transition screen between the pretest and Lesson 1 and between the lessons and quizzes.
- The student user interface is updated with the students name, an enhanced volume slider and a better graphical representation of where the student is in the program (Chapter, Lesson, Quiz etc.).
- My Practice feature will pre-select items or not taken from Quiz 3 for that chapter.
- 'Exit' and 'continue' will be active on the My Practice chapter and item selection screen so a user does not have to start a lesson to exit.
- Student UI enhancement-the student's name will be added to the screen, the graphic that indicates where in the progression the student is will be enhanced and the volume slider will be made more obvious and easier to use.
- Resources-AR Books-A new PDF will be added for each Library of content. This PDF will list all available AR books, by chapter that is appropriate for users to read. These are books with 95% or more of their vocabulary matching vocabulary learned in EIAF. Teachers will access these documents through the 'Content Guides' link on the Resources page. The link for these documents will be "Recommended Reading" in bold at the bottom of the Content Guides page. The full name of the document will be displayed in a rollover tool tips.
- The Software Manual and Software Tips are added to the resource section.

- Student Record Report-since the student now has the ability to skip an entire chapter, the last column of this report (Total % Correct for Chapter) will now be calculated on the number of items tested (either 90 or 170) instead of the hard coded number used previously (170). There will be X's displayed when the Focused Review Quizzes or any other quiz is skipped. Previously the X's were only used for quizzes 1 and 2.
- Class Status Report-there will be X's displayed when the Focused Review Quizzes or any other quiz is skipped. Previously the X's were only used for quizzes 1 and 2.

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- Defects and Enhancements in previous Work Tickets
- Update logos to use TM in the software manual, reports and pdfs that can be printed. It is preferred that all reports within an app are changed at the same time to retain consistency within the application. Also used on the Welcome Splash screen and added the trademark paragraph to the footer of the Welcome screen as well as all three Log In pages.
- Changed text on the button in Reports Option page from "Next" to "View Report" to be consistent with all other RP applications.
- Modification to content installer to ensure that content libraries are installed in sequential order to avoid students being presented content in the order it was installed which may not be sequential. Since we do not intend for customers to be able to start with an advanced library, the content installer should check to make sure the previous library is installed before installing each subsequent library.

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- Updated the quizzes for all chapters. - We have updated the libraries to make the quizzes more difficult to pass. For example, target item: a teacher; distractors: a t-shirt and a desk
- Added the ability to start, stop and resume where a student left off in a lesson.
- Added Practice Activities in the Resources area. Practice Activities can be printed and used with students for additional practice. Activities vary based on the library, chapter grouping, and grade ranges chosen. Activities in listening, speaking, reading, and writing.
- Library 3 is now available.
- Added Flashcards to the Resources area. Can be printed and used to practice vocabulary. Available in small, medium or large format.
- Added updated Recommended Reading Lists for Libraries 1, 2 and 3. These lists provide a list of books students can read based on the vocabulary they have learned in each chapter. Use these recommendations to help students choose titles for Accelerated Reader.
- Removed all references to Fluent ReaderTM passages to be used with English in a Flash.
- Addressed additional work tickets and other known customer complaints.
- **Note:** Customers must reinstall all English in a Flash Libraries to take advantage of some of these new features.

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- The Teacher's Guide has been updated.
- Chapter Guides - Changed the name of the link in the Resources area from Content Guides to Chapter Guides to be more consistent within the application.

What's New in English in a Flash Renaissance Place 1.5

- English in a Flash Renaissance Place version 1.5 is the latest edition of English in a Flash. This version incorporates the new look and feel of all the Renaissance Place products.
- Most of the English in a Flash reports were reviewed and updated to a format that is consistent across all Renaissance Place application reports. For example the Class Status Report was updated to use the new report format. Changes include additional information added to the header of the report so you know exactly what report options were chosen.
- Resources -The Teacher's Guide has been updated.
- Recommended Reading Lists - Additional Books for Middle and Upper Grades lists have been added for Library 2 and 3. These lists provide additional Accelerated Reader™ books that meet the interest levels of middle and upper grade English language learners. These books meet the minimum recommended criterion (90% known words) and are listed by chapter.
- Renaissance Place changes - In order to give all of the applications in Renaissance Place a more consistent look and feel, changes have been made to the header and layout of the pages. Note that all header navigation links are now on the second row and that the page titles, such as Reports, are on the page rather than left-justified in the header.