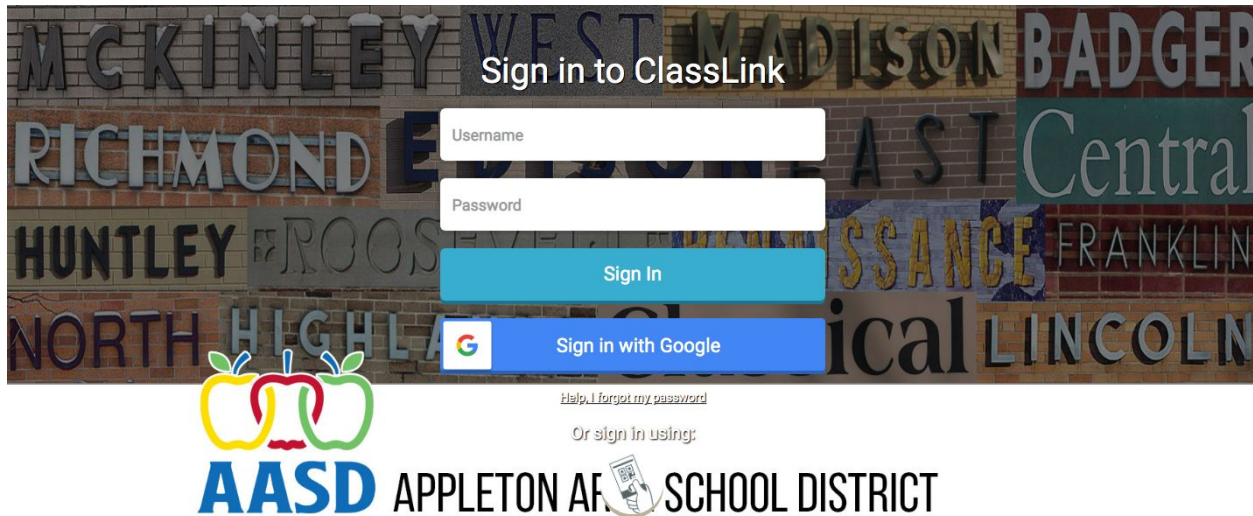


# Accessing AASD Elementary Library Resources

There are many educational resources available for your child to use online. We encourage you to use these AASD resources. You will need your child's username and password. Please contact your child's teacher or Library Media Specialist if you need your child's username and password.

ClassLink houses AASD resources. <https://launchpad.classlink.com/appleton>

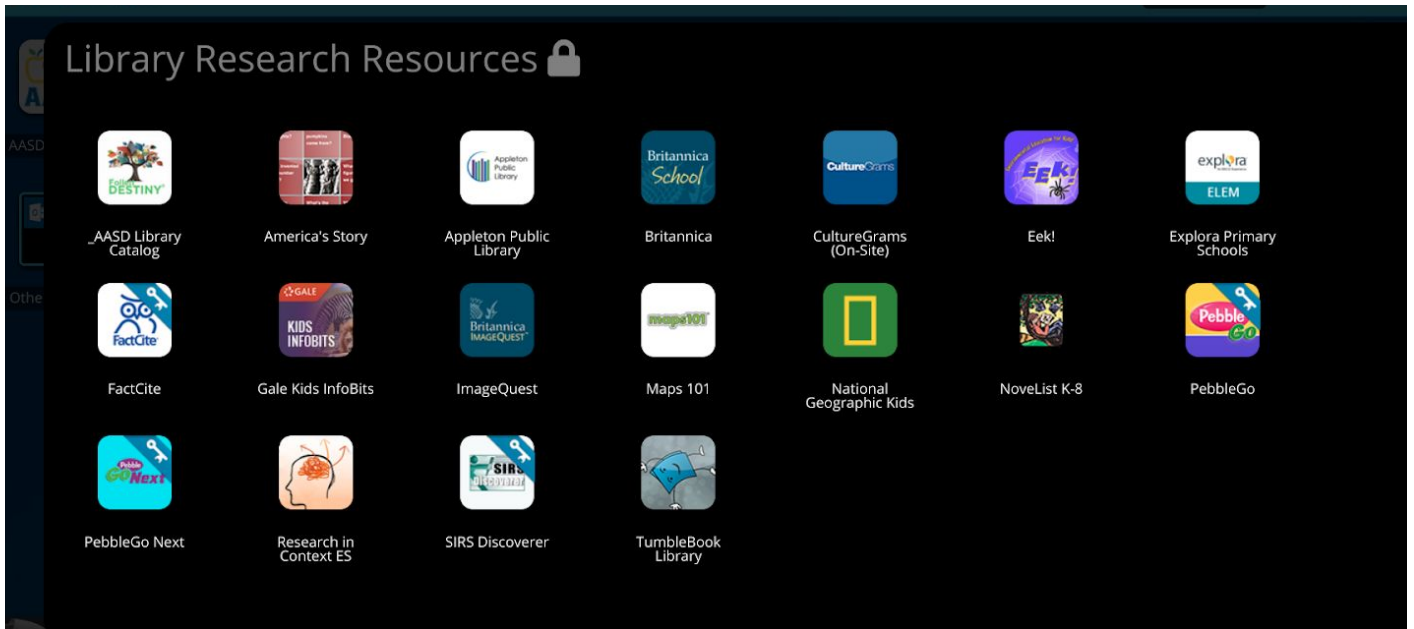


Enter your child's username and password (the password is case sensitive). That will open the resources available on ClassLink.

Click into the Library Research Resources folder or on the Library Catalog



The AASD Library Catalog brings you to the library home page where you can search for books, access links to resources and other options for district ebooks. Capstone e-books (fully audio supported) can be accessed from each school's library home page - look for the link. Sora is an app that has ebooks and audiobooks from Overdrive. In the Library Research Resources folder you will find databases and other resources like Tumblebooks.



Resource	Description	Password
AASD Library Catalog/Destiny	Use the library catalog to find books, eBooks, eAudiobooks, and more. Home page includes a link to Capstone Interactive ebooks and other resources.	AASD username and password
America's Story	Website for students from the Library of Congress in Washington, D.C. Contains many stories from history and includes primary source documents.	
Appleton Public Library	APL's eLibrary link collects local and state online resources. Find information about programs from our award-winning public library.	
Biblionasium (in Destiny)	Biblionasium excites, engages and encourages a love of the written word. Kids can add books to a bookshelf, recommend books, write reviews, and earn rewards within a safe social network built especially for them.	AASD username and password
Britannica (Encyclopedia)	Encyclopedia articles with images, maps, games, and other learning resources for K-12 students and educators.	
Culture Grams	Articles, maps, videos, and images that foster an understanding and appreciation of the world's countries and peoples. Includes states.	Username: appleton Password: library
Eek!	Link to Wisconsin Environmental Education for Kids website.	
Explora Primary Schools	Articles from dozens of the most popular elementary school magazines. Also includes easy-to-read encyclopedia entries written specifically for kids and more than one million images of photos, maps and flags.	
FactCite	A collection of databases for general research including: American History, Science & Technology, Countries & Cultures, Biographies, Mythology and Essential Information.	
Gale Kids InfoBits	Research database for K-5 reference, magazine and newspaper content for information on current events, history, science, health, people, sports and more.	Password: appleton
ImageQuest	A collection of rights-cleared images from one trusted site that can be used in digital projects.	

Maps 101	An interactive database of geography tools, online learning games, dynamic interactive map modules and over 4,000 viewable and printable history, thematic, reference, outline, current events and animated maps.	
National Geographic Kids	Link to National Geographic Kids website.	
NoveList K-8	A great resource for finding title, author, and series read-alikes.	
PebbleGo	PebbleGo is designed for K-3 students. It has informational articles, ready-made activities, and literacy supports for students of all abilities. Modules include: Animals, Science, Biographies, Social Studies and Dinosaurs. Some modules have a "Read More" section that includes 2 ebooks on the topic.	Username: appleton Password: library
PebbleGo Next	Research articles about States, Science, American Indian History, Social Studies, and Biographies. Aligned to grades 3-6 curriculum objectives. The database is simple to navigate and offer key reading supports such as read-along audio and word-by-word highlighting.	Username: appleton Password: library
Research in Context ES	A database with reference content with age-appropriate videos, newspapers, magazines, primary sources, and much more. Can save information to Google Drive.	Password: appleton
SIRS Discoverer	Great database to help students with research topics, essential questions, viewpoints and resources. Save information to Google Drive.	Username: aasd Password: library
TumbleBook Library	Online collection of e-books for children. Over 250 animated, talking picture books and also features Spanish and French books, read-along chapter books, non-fiction books, quizzes, and games and puzzles.	



## Sora - Overdrive App

To log into Sora, follow the steps below:

1. Click the app to open it.
2. Choose My school is Appleton Area School District.
3. Choose Appleton Area School District from the drop down menu and click on the sign In button.
4. Enter your AASD username and password into the Follett screen.
5. You are now logged into Sora. Search for ebooks and audiobooks.



Capstone Interactive (Link is on the school's library home page in Destiny)

1. Click on Capstone Digital link. (<http://www.mycapstonelibrary.com>)
2. Click the green Log In button.
3. Make sure Login with Capstone Interactive is chosen.
4. Enter username and password. Username: aasd\*\*\* (use the first 3 letters of your school)  
Password: library
5. Click Go. You are now logged into Capstone Interactive. All ebooks have audio support.