

Tales2go
Summer
LISTENING
PROGRAM



GRADES 1-2

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our school has Tales2go, an award-winning kids' mobile audio book service. There are more than 8,000 titles in the Tales2go library and your student has free access to all of them, all summer long!

Listening to audio books is fun, easy, and helps to enhance vocabulary, fluency and listening skills. Studies show that listening as part of reading instruction, increases student achievement measurably. Students can *listen to stories at a higher level* than they can read on their own because they don't have to decode each printed word. Plus, they're learning valuable information about fluent, expressive reading performed by professional narrators and storytellers.

Tales2go can be used on desktops, laptops, iPads, iPhones, iPod Touches, and most Android phones and tablets. From any internet browser on a desktop or laptop, go to www.tales2go.com to login. On mobile devices, go to the app store and search for "Tales2go" (on iPads look for Tales2go under "iPhone only apps").

There are lots of ways you can incorporate listening to stories in your daily summer routine. Put on a story to entertain children while you help apply sunscreen, listen during break time at the pool, and listen as a family during car rides! For lots more ideas on how to help your student(s) get a jump start on school next year, check out the Tales2go blog at blog.Tales2go.com/blog.

The next page has your student's login information and a login guide to help you get started. We've also included a list of recommended listening. Check off each title as you finish listening!

If you have any questions or need help with your account, e-mail support@tales2go.com for support throughout the summer.

Happy listening!

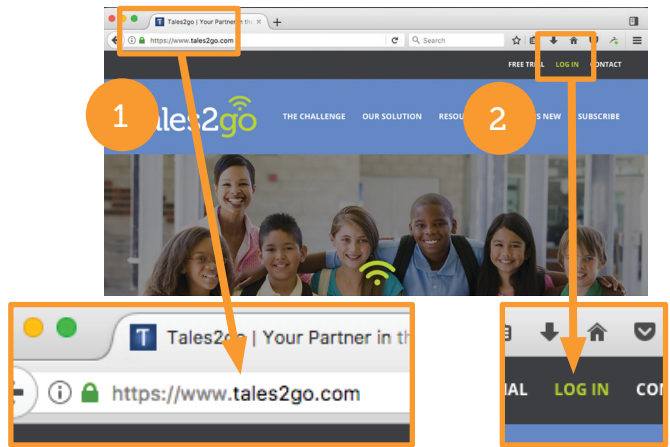
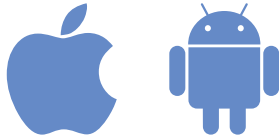
2-Step Login Guide

1. Download the app on a mobile device, or go to www.Tales2go.com on a computer

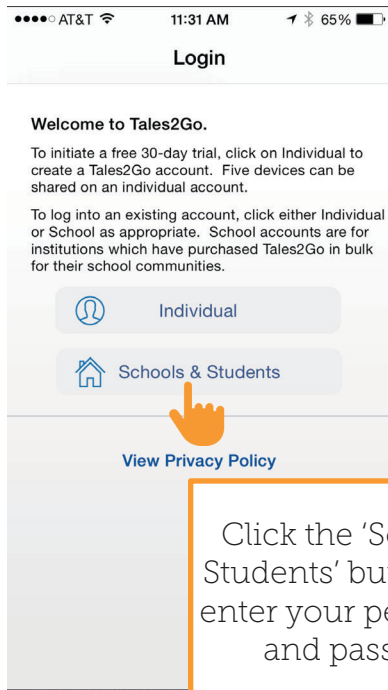
Scan the QR code below to download the appropriate app for your device. You can also search for Tales2go in the App Store or Google Play Store.



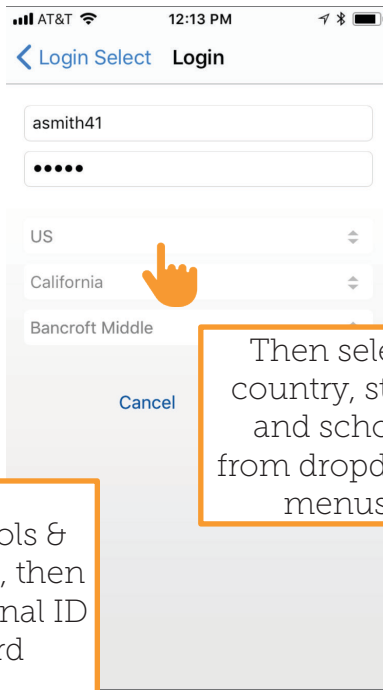
On iPads, search under "iPhone only."



2. Login using your personal ID and password



Click the 'Schools & Students' button, then enter your personal ID and password



Then select country, state, and school from dropdown menus

Your unique login information is:

ID:	
Password:	

Listening Checklist

Grades 1-2

 = Also available in Spanish

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A Cool Summer Tail
Carrie A. Pearson  | <input type="checkbox"/> All The World
Liz Garton Scanlon |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Best Friend Trouble
Frances Itani | <input type="checkbox"/> Blackberry Banquet  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Catwings
Ursula K. Le Guin | <input type="checkbox"/> Clever Rachel
Debby Waldman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dory Fantasmagory
(Book 1: Dory Fantasmagory)
Abby Hanlon | <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Yarn
Mac Barnett |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frankly, Frannie
A.J. Stern | <input type="checkbox"/> Freddie Ramos Makes a Splash
(Zapato Power)
Jacqueline Jules |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giggle Giggle Quack  | <input type="checkbox"/> Goggles!
Ezra Jack Keats |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Henry and the Buccaneer Bunnies
Carolyn Crimi | <input type="checkbox"/> Hi! Fly Guy
Tedd Arnold |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I Like Me
Nancy Carlson | <input type="checkbox"/> Leonardo The Terrible Monster
Mo Willems |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ling & Ting: Not Exactly the Same
Grace Lin | <input type="checkbox"/> Make Way For Ducklings
Robert McCloskey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Owen
Kevin Henkes | <input type="checkbox"/> Pinduli
Janell Cannon |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roscoe Riley Rules #1: Never Glue Your Friends To Chairs
Katherine Applegate | <input type="checkbox"/> Strega Nona  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Chupacabra Ate the Candelabra
Marc Tyler Nobleman | <input type="checkbox"/> The Matatu
Eric Walters |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Uncorker of Ocean Bottles
Michelle Cuevas | <input type="checkbox"/> Where The Wild Things Are
Maurice Sendak |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Why Mosquitoes Buzz In People's Ears
Verna Aardema | <input type="checkbox"/> Zelda and Ivy
Laura McGee Kvasnosky |