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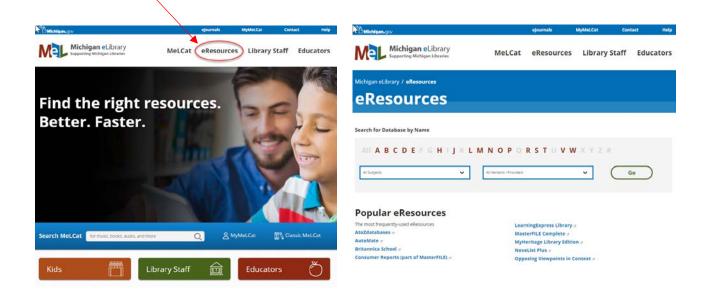
These eResources, available to all residents in the State of Michigan, extend the amount of reading material and opportunities for reading in the classroom, and at home. Additional eResource features aligned with these early literacy practices include:

- a **read-aloud feature** for books and encyclopedia content with text that is highlighted while it is being read; **pronunciation tools** for vocabulary words
- child-friendly **explanations of words** within texts and reinforcement of those words with tools such as videos and photos
- activities that build **phonological awareness** including listening to books and songs with rhyming, and sorting pictures, objects and words by sound.

Age	eResource	Description
PreK – 2 nd grade	Britannica Learning Zone	Play and read to learn letters, numbers, shapes and more.
PreK – 3 rd grade	SWORLD BOOK Early World Learning	Follow Trek and Taffy the cat around the world. Share their love of colors, numbers and other fun things. Read along stories and pictures help teach students basic concepts.
K – 5 th grade	WORLD BOOK	Easy-to-read content for elementary school learners. Hundreds of activities science projects and experiments.
3 rd – 5 th grade	Britannica School Elementary	Homework help resources for grades 3-5. Find information on countries, animals, people, maps, photos and articles.
K – 8 th grade	eBooks	Titles that support K-8 students across all subject areas. Full-text access of available from your computer or download titles to the most popular portable devices.

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