

Typing Words:

This fluency teaches the Home Keys. Select **Typing Words** from the main menu. When the fluency program opens, choose “practice.” Students will see the letters “**asdf jkl;**” which are the home keys. Place fingers on those keys, left index finger on F, right index finger on J. Type the letter combinations over and over, using the thumb to press the space bar in between. When they feel comfortable, click the **Time Me** button and try a timed fluency. As they improve, more difficult finger stretches are introduced. They can chart their progress on the main menu and as they get faster and more accurate, they improve their “ranking” and earn tokens, redeemable for playing various games built into the program. They will need to earn at least two tokens before they will have access to play games. An internet connection is required to play all games in the arcade.