

Reading Blizzard!

Amira Reading Competition

How it Works

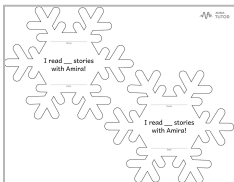
Students will help build a classroom “blizzard” by creating snowflakes for each reading milestone they reach.

1. **Read to Earn Snowflakes:** Each time a student reaches a set reading milestone — whether it’s a certain number of stories read, activities completed or minutes learning with Amira — they earn the chance to create a snowflake.
2. **Create Your Snowflake:** The student decorates a snowflake to celebrate their achievement.
3. **Build the Blizzard:** The finished snowflake is hung from the classroom ceiling or displayed on the walls. As students keep reading, the number of snowflakes grows, turning the classroom into a winter wonderland!
4. **Win as a Team:** The class or grade level with the most snowflakes (the biggest “blizzard”) by the end of the competition wins!

[Click here](#) for detailed guidance on how to plan, prepare and launch an Amira Competition in your school.

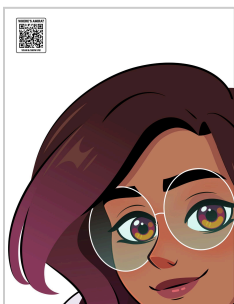
What’s included

Display Resources



Snow Flakes: Milestone markers for students.

Print one for each team. Move the race car forward along the track each time a milestone is met.



Multi-Page Posters & Competition Banner

Print and add to level-up your competition display!

Display Examples



Hettinger Public School District, ND



Omaha Public Schools, NE



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Have a share-worthy display? Scan the QR code or [click this link](#) to share with us!

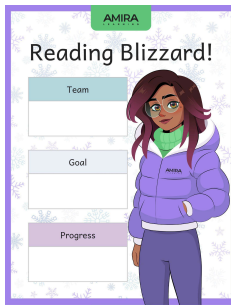
Tracking & Celebrating Resources



Certificates:

Customizable awards to celebrate achievements during the competition.

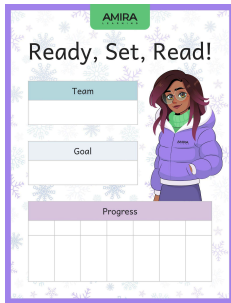
How to Use: Edit and print certificates to recognize individuals, teams, classes, grades, and teachers. Present them when milestones are reached or at the end of the competition.



Team Progress Poster:

A visible display for a single team's progress toward their goal.

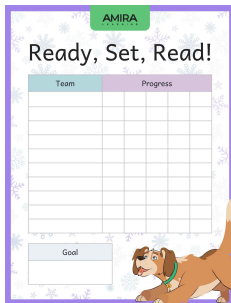
How to Use: Update the "Progress" box regularly with the team's score or latest milestone.



Team Progress Tracker:

A more detailed log for tracking one team's progress over days or weeks.

How to Use: Label columns by days (M–F) or weeks (W1, W2, etc.) and update at the end of each day or week.

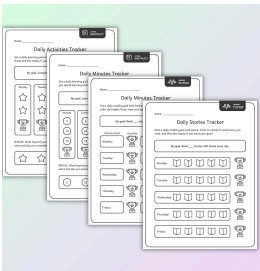


Competition Progress Tracker:

A single chart to compare all teams' progress in one place.

How to Use: List each team's name in the left-hand column and update each team's progress at the end of the day or week.

Not Included



Individual Student Tracker

[Click here](#) to explore general student progress trackers and encourage students to track their own progress during Amira competitions.

