Ten Easy Steps for Choosing a "Just Right for Me" Book in AR Bookfinder

1. Log into Holy Rosary School's web site  (hrsedmonds.org)
2. Choose the 'School Library' tab on the bottom left corner of home page
3. Click on the first link 'Accelerated Reader Home Connect'
4. Access your student's AR account using the regular log in data.
   The username is the child's first letter of their first name followed by the first 4 letters of the last name (example: Joseph Schmo = jschm).
   The password is their birthday month and day, digits only (example = November third = 113)
5. Scroll to the bottom right corner of their AR record page and choose 'AR Bookfinder'.
6. Select the 'Advanced Search' tab at the top.
7. Skip the top section. This is only good for searching out one particular book by author or title.
8. Indicate the correct interest level and reading level range in the second section.
9. Select any additional criteria in the third section that will help the computer filter out only books that will be interesting. Be sure to request quizzes in English only.
10. Sort results by book level to provide a list of graduated difficulty. Hit the "Go" button!


Top Five Tips for Using Data Generated from AR Bookfinder

1. Read the summaries of books to see if the story is a good fit for the reader.
2. Place good fit books into the AR Bookbag by clicking on the green plus below the book.
3. Review the titles in the AR Bookbag by clicking on the yellow button with the red backpack. This is your "Just Right for Me" books shopping list. Print it or screen shot it for later reference.
4. Look for these titles at school or at a book store or library near you. All our school library titles are cataloged on the hrsedmonds.org website under the School Library tab on the home page. Search the entire Sno-Isle Library system catalog at Sno-Isle.org and use your library account to place a hold on the books you want to check out. Call up local used books stores and request a shelf search.
5. Go get your awesome books and enjoy a great read!