Dear Site Administrator,

Thank you for choosing Super Star Online by Help Me 2 Learn Company. We are confident that our educational software titles will significantly support the curriculum that your school offers and that your students and teachers will love using these titles.

The purpose of this letter is to encourage you to make our titles available at home, as well as at school. We also offer a sample letter that you might modify and send home with your students.

While Super Star Online will probably be used at school most of the time, we encourage you to make our titles available to students and their parent's at home as well. There are three primary benefits to your school to make these titles available for at-home use:

1. More Time - Most students will have more time to use our titles. After school hours presents one of the least tapped resources for improving student achievement. Many students will prefer to work at their own pace and take more time playing our wonderful activities, games, songs and lessons. They will feel less pressure and more freedom to learn at their own pace. Add the time that students use the Super Star Online at home with the time they use them at school, and you should see amazing progress.

2. Parental Involvement - Educators, school officials, government agencies, and parents all agree that parents have a right to be involved -- and should be involved -- in the education of their children. But many parents don't have the skills or the background to help their child at home. Super Star Online gives parents a way of working through easy to understand lessons with their child. Our "Super Star Motivational and Data Tracking System" makes it simple for parents to see which activities the child has completed and which activities the child is struggling with. In the near future, we plan to add a special button to help parents work with their child at home. This is a system that can greatly improve the relationship between the school, the teacher and the parent, because it provides and engaging an easy to use path for parents to work with their child.

3. Family Literacy – Literacy is a big problem and many adults don't have the literacy skills needed to be able to help their child. Our system helps the parents learn as the child learns and extends the opportunity for parents to improve their literacy skills

The following is a suggested letter that you can send home with your students. Please feel free to modify this in any way that you find appropriate. There are three important elements that you will need to add to the letter:

1. Your schools website URL to Super Star Online.
2. The student user name that you assigned – you can run a list of these from our site administrator panel. Or you can use the file that you created for the student import.
3. The student password. If you used a common or easy to remember password, this will be easy. Again, you might refer to the file you created for the student import.

Do to our strong security policy, we do not have access nor can we retrieve your student passwords.

Suggested Letter:

Date

Dear Family members and/or Caregiver,

(School Name) is currently subscribed to a series online (Internet based) reading, phonics, and math programs called Super Star Online by Help Me 2 Learn.

The core of the programs; the Super Star Phonics Reading System has been designed and is based upon the principles of phonemic awareness. The Super Star Phonics Reading System is based on 30 years of large-scale scientific reading research. What is phonemic awareness? Phonemic awareness is the ability to notice, think about, and work with the individual sounds in spoken words. Before children learn to read print, they need to become aware of how the sounds in words work. They must understand that words are made up of speech sounds, or phonemes. Your child has been assigned the appropriate courses based on their current skills.

You can access Super Star Online by typing the following address in the address line of your browser of almost any computer connected to the internet by DSL or cable.

https://superstar.HM2L.com/............. (enter your schools URL)

Your child's user name is:
Your child's password is:

Parental Involvement - Super Star Online offers an excellent opportunity for parents to become more involved and better understand their child's lessons. As a parent, you can use the same login as your child to access the reports of the child's progress. Simply login using the child's username and password, click on one of the programs assigned to your child, then click on the super star in the bottom center of the screen. You can then see the stars that your child has earned for that program. You can also click on the details button to see a detailed report. You can also click on the print button (on the bottom menu) to print the report.

You will also notice a **"Parent"** button on the contents or menu screen. The purpose of this button is to allow you to enter the program in a practice mode whereby you can work with your child without changing any of the stars or scores. You can also use this parent mode to become familiar with the course and work you do will not be saved or affect the child's tracking. You can also view a message from the teacher (if there is one) and you can track the progress of your child from this area.

Click on the Parent button to read more about this feature and to start using the parent mode. One note; there is a record of the amount of time that the parent mode was used that can be viewed by the teacher.

We hope that you will take advantage of this valuable resource that can make learning enjoyable and fun for your child. We believe that you will also find the online courses will provide you with a valuable tool to become more aware of what your child is learning and give you an easy to use and engaging way for you to help your child succeed.

Sincerely,