

# Homeschool Gold Standard



# vs. Modern Online Solution



Which Orton-Gillingham Program Is Right for  
an Independent Adult Learner?

# You've found one of the best programs. But is it the best program *for you*?

If your research led you to the Barton Reading & Spelling System, you've found a highly respected, effective Orton-Gillingham program that has helped thousands of students since 1998. It is a gold standard in the homeschool and dyslexia communities.

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However, a critical question remains for adult learners: Is a program designed for parents to tutor their children the right solution for an independent adult? This comparison will help you answer that question with confidence.

# The One Question That Changes Everything: Who Will Tutor You?



## Barton's Path: Tutor-Dependent

This model requires a dedicated tutor for every single lesson. The entire system is built for **one-on-one, one, in-person instruction**.

## We All Can Read's Path: Truly Independent

This model is built from the ground up for **self-paced, independent learning**. You are in **complete control**, with **no tutor needed**.



# What the Tutor-Dependent Path Requires

The Barton system was explicitly designed for a **tutor** (a **parent**, volunteer, or professional) to:

- Watch 5–6 hours of training DVDs *per level* (50–60 hours total).
- Study a scripted lesson manual before each session.
- Physically present the lesson using tiles and materials.
- Guide the student through 18 distinct steps in every lesson.
- Assess progress and decide when to advance.
- Commit to a fixed schedule of 2+ hours per week for 2–4 years.

For an adult, this creates a fundamental problem: who in your life can make this commitment?

# What the Independent Path Delivers

We All Can Read is designed specifically for the realities of adult life:

- ✓ **Complete Privacy:** No one needs to know you are learning. Study in confidence.
- ✓ **Total Flexibility:** Learn early in the morning, late at night, or on weekends. Your schedule is the only one that matters.
- ✓ **Full Control:** Pause, rewind, and repeat video lessons as often as you need to achieve mastery.
- ✓ **True Independence:** Your progress depends on you alone, with no need to coordinate with or rely on another person.



# A Look at the Program Depth: From 150 Lessons to 720

## Barton Reading & Spelling System



10 progressive levels

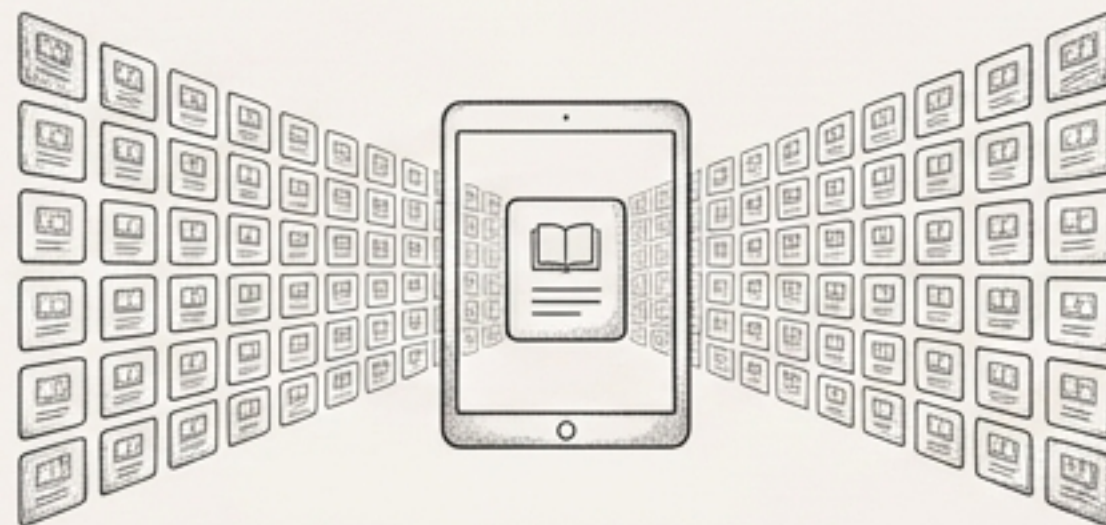
# 150

total lessons

Focus on core phonics patterns,  
syllables, and basic roots.

**Mid-9th Grade Reading Level**

## We All Can Read



# 720

systematic lessons

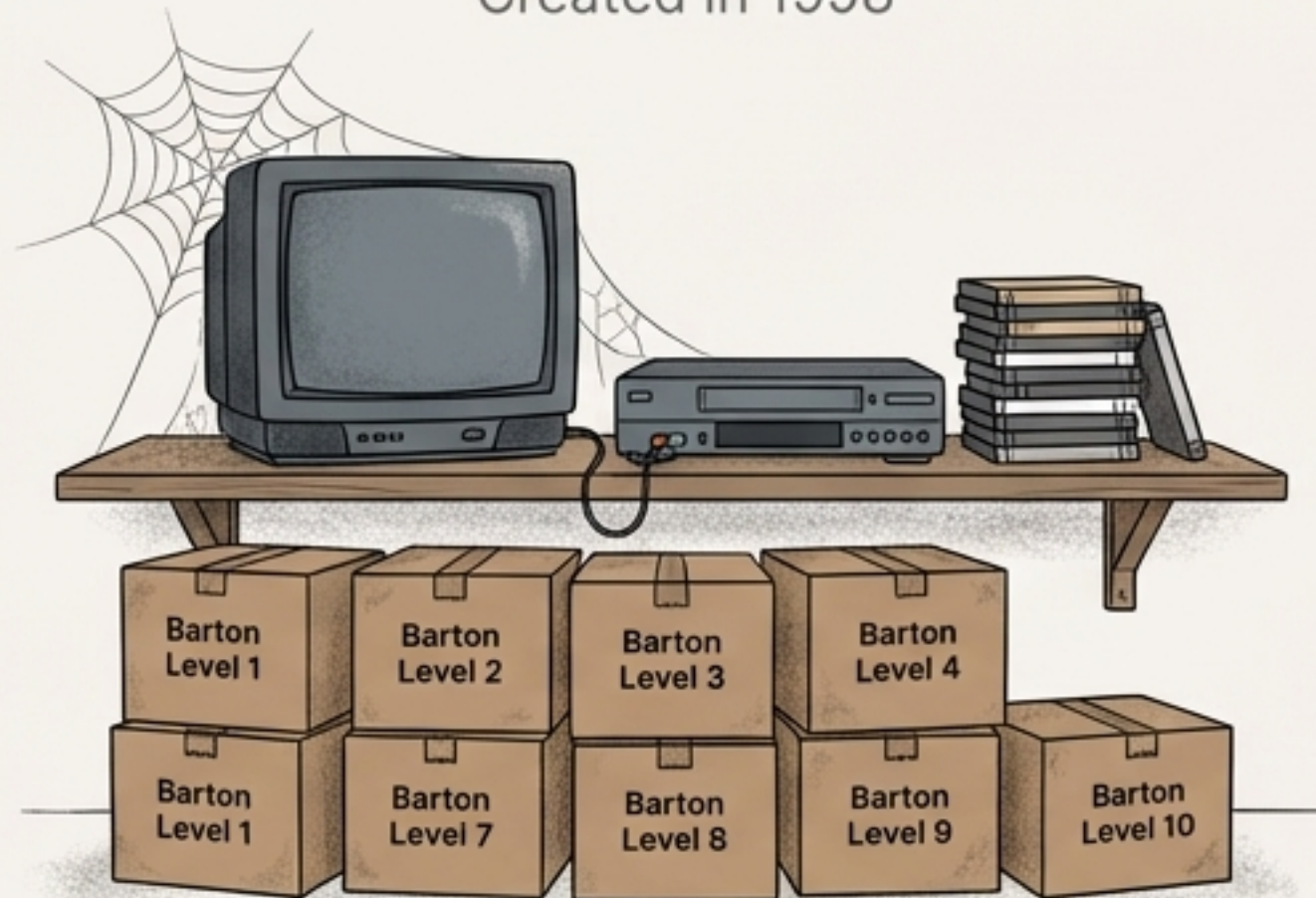
- 245 integrated reading passages
- 400+ printable worksheets
- 203 mastery quizzes

**Complete Phonics Mastery**  
(ability to decode virtually any word)

# The Tools for Your Journey: DVDs and Boxes vs. Any Device, Anywhere

## Barton's Physical, DVD-Based System

Created in 1998



- Requires 50-60 hours of training on DVDs.
- **The DVD Problem:** Most modern laptops and computers no longer have DVD drives.
- Requires 10 physical boxes of materials, tiles, and manuals.
- Not portable, requires dedicated storage space, and items can be lost.

## We All Can Read's Cloud-Based Platform

Built for Today



- 100% online, instant access from any computer, tablet, or phone.
- Nothing to download or install.
- No physical materials required (optional print versions available).
- Learn at home, at the library, or on your lunch break. Your lessons are always with you.

# The Financial Reality of Each Path

## Barton Reading & Spelling System



Materials Cost

**\$2,900**

(for all 10 levels, paid upfront or per level)

***If You Hire a Tutor...***

Total Tutor Cost (\$45 - \$60 per hour)

**\$11,520 - \$30,720**

(for 2-4 years)

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**TOTAL POTENTIAL COST**

**\$14,420 - \$33,620**

## We All Can Read



Subscription Cost

**\$73 / month**

(or \$803/year)

Tutor Cost

**No Tutor Needed**

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**TYPICAL TOTAL COST**

**\$876 - \$1,752**

(for 12-24 months of study)

# Your Most Valuable Asset: Time & Flexibility

## Barton's Fixed Schedule



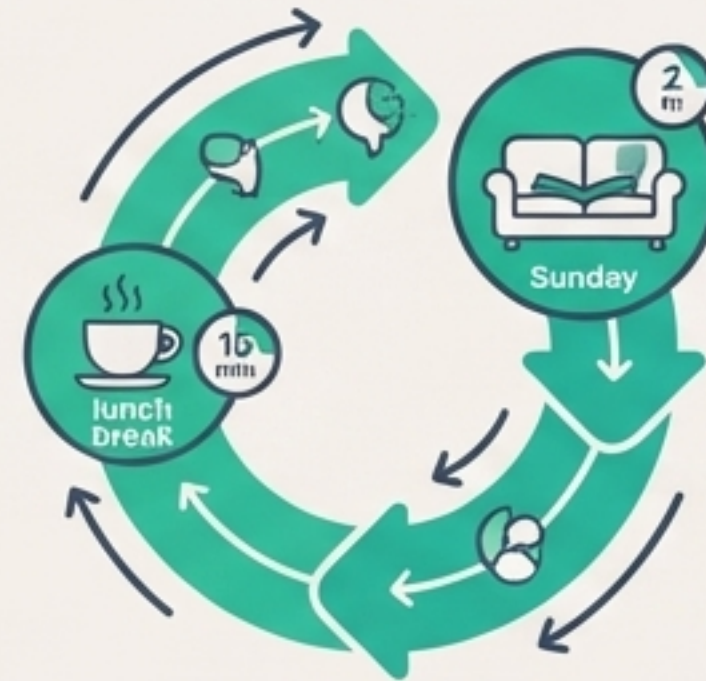
**Commitment:** 2-4 years to complete.

**Schedule:** Requires a fixed schedule (e.g., two 1-hour sessions per week, every week).

**Dependency:** Relies on coordinating your schedule with a tutor's availability.

**Challenge:** Difficult to maintain with work, family, travel, and life's interruptions.

## We All Can Read's Flexible Pace



**Commitment:** 12-24 months typical completion.

**Schedule:** Learn whenever you want. 15 minutes on a lunch break or 2 hours on a Sunday.

**Dependency:** You are in complete control. Pause and resume as needed.

**Advantage:** Designed to fit into a busy adult's life, not disrupt it.

# The Destination: What Does “Completion” Actually Mean?

Barton Reading & Spelling System  
**Mid-9th Grade Reading Level**



After completing all 10 levels, students can read and spell at a mid-9th grade level.

*This is sufficient to 'attend Adult Basic Education courses to prepare for the G.E.D. or go to college.'*

**A strong foundation, but may still be a challenge for advanced academic, technical, or professional texts.**

We All Can Read  
**Complete Phonics Mastery**



After completing 720 lessons, you gain the ability to decode virtually *any* English word systematically.

pharmaceutical  
organizational  
cardiovascular

**True reading independence. No more guessing.**

# Barton is the Right Choice If...

- ☑ You are a **parent homeschooling a dyslexic child**.
- ☑ You have a family member who can commit **2+ hours per week for 2-4 years** to tutor you.
- ☑ You can afford a professional tutor (**\$11,520 - \$30,720**).
- ☑ You have a **DVD player** and space for 10 boxes of materials.
- ☑ You prefer learning with **hands-on physical tiles**.
- ☑ You are comfortable with a **2-4 year fixed commitment**.



*Barton excels in a structured, one-on-one tutoring environment, especially within the homeschool community.*

# We All Can Read is the Right Choice If...

- ✓ You are an **adult who needs to learn independently**.
- ✓ You **don't have a dedicated tutor** available for years.
- ✓ You need an **affordable solution** without massive upfront costs.
- ✓ You require **flexible scheduling** around your work and life.
- ✓ You value your **privacy** and want to learn discreetly.
- ✓ You want to achieve **complete phonics mastery** for career or college goals.



*We All Can Read excels at providing independence, flexibility, and comprehensive mastery for adult learners.*




# The Choice at a Glance: A Complete Comparison

Feature	Barton Reading & Spelling System	We All Can Read
Learning Model	Requires Tutor for Every Lesson	Independent, Student Works Alone
Delivery	Physical Materials & DVDs	100% Online, Any Device
Total Lessons	120-150 Lessons	720 Lessons
Time to Complete	2-4 Years	12-24 Months (Typical)
Schedule	Fixed, 2+ hrs/week	Flexible, Self-Paced
Total Cost	\$2,900 (materials) to \$33,620 (with tutor)	\$876 - \$1,752 (Typical)
Completion Level	Mid-9th Grade Level	Complete Phonics Mastery
Primary Audience	Homeschool Parents & Children	Independent Adults & Teens




# The Question Isn't "Which Program is Better?" It's "Which Program Fits Your Life?"

Both programs are based on proven Orton-Gillingham methods.  
The right choice depends entirely on your personal situation.

## Ask Yourself About Barton

-  Can someone commit to tutoring me for 2-4 years?
-  Can I afford \$2,900 upfront, or over \$14,000 with a tutor?
-  Does a fixed schedule work for my life?

## Ask Yourself About We All Can Read

-  Am I self-motivated to work independently?
-  Do I need the flexibility to learn on my own schedule?
-  Is an affordable monthly payment the better financial choice for me?

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For most independent adults, the path that offers **flexibility**, **privacy**, and **true independence** is the clear choice.

# Take the First Step on Your Path to Independence

Experience systematic, self-paced instruction designed for adults. Our first 10 lessons are completely free.



No Credit Card Required



No Email Signup



No Obligation

[\*\*Start Your 10 Free Lessons\*\*](#)

See for yourself what independent learning feels like. If our first 10 lessons help, the next 710 will teach you to decode any word you see.