

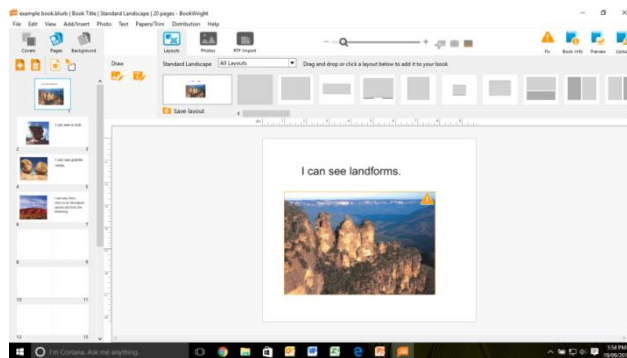
## Linking Reading Our Way with ICPs

Reading Our Way was designed to be aligned with the Australian Curriculum and state specific curriculum documents. The program is aimed at students who are struggling with their reading; many such students are on Individual Curriculum Plans (ICPs).

There are a number of connections that can be made to link Reading Our Way with an individual ICP. For example in the year one English curriculum under 'creating texts'- Create short imaginative and informative texts that show emerging use of appropriate text structure, sentence-level grammar, word choice, spelling, punctuation and appropriate multimodal elements, for example illustrations and diagrams (ACELY1661)<sup>i</sup>

This curriculum link would allow a student and teacher to create their own books for use with Reading Our Way, as the program only comes with books for the first two sets of words in each kit, as we encourage individualised books for students. A great program to use to create books would be 'book wright' a free downloadable book making program through [www.blurb.com](http://www.blurb.com)

Creating books would also link to another literacy benchmark that could be incorporated into a student's ICP : "Construct texts that incorporate supporting images using software including word-processing programs (ACELY1664)"



Other ways to include the program in an ICP could be; reading aloud, completing tasks, completing literacy specific worksheets (included in the kit) and achieving bench marks by recognising high frequency words.

For more information on the program or to request specific curriculum links to use with the program please visit our website.

<sup>i</sup> ACARA

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