



## Installation for Mac

Use the following instructions to install the istation Reading Program on computers that meet our Mac system requirements. (You may view System Requirements by going to the website <http://www1.istation.com/support>.) Safari, the native internet browser for Macintosh, is recommended for downloading the program.

1. To install the istation Reading Program, you should first log into the **Macintosh** as a user who has administrative privileges.

**NOTE:** *Attempting to install as a user who does not have administrative privileges will prevent you from putting the istation Reading Program into Applications in steps 6 and 7, and other users will not be able to run the istation Reading Program.*

2. Open your Safari browser and go to the Web site at [www.istation.com](http://www.istation.com).
3. Click the **istation Support** icon in the top right corner of the page.
4. Click **Download istation** in the top center of the white section of the page.
5. Click **Download for Macintosh** link.

*On Mac OSX 10.3/10.4:* The istation Reading Program application will have been downloaded to your Desktop.

*On Mac OSX 10.5:* The istation Reading Program application will have been downloaded to your Downloads folder. The **Download** list should have been opened in a separate window, displaying The Imagination Station icon along with the other items that have been downloaded on your computer. Move The Imagination Station to your Desktop by completing the following two steps:

- a. Click on the **Show in Finder** icon (magnifying glass) to open the **Download Directory**.
  - b. Then click on the **The Imagination Station** icon in the **Download Directory** and drag the icon to the **Desktop**.
6. If you logged in as a user with administration privileges, you may move The Imagination Station into the Applications directory, if you wish to allow other users of the computer to access it. To do so, perform the following two steps:
  7. Open the **Finder**, and navigate to the **Applications** directory, located within Macintosh HD.
  8. You may now click the icon for **The Imagination Station** on the Desktop, and drag the icon into the **Applications** directory.
  9. To run the istation Reading Program, double-click **The Imagination Station** icon.
  10. Type your **school domain** in the Default Domain box, if it is not automatically supplied.

**NOTE:** Do not type in the Peer Group area, if that is an option.



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11. Click **OK**.
12. Click **OK** on the message box that instructs to restart The Imagination Station.
13. Double-click The Imagination Station icon again.
14. Type your **username** and **password**.
15. Leave the application running while you install other computers on the network by repeating the steps above. This will allow installations on other computers to skip step 13 and automatically configure the domain information.
16. Click **OK** to begin using the istation Reading Program.

If you do not know your domain, user name, or password, contact a Support Services technician at: **972-643-3440** and press **2**, or **1-866-883-7323** and press **2**, or email [support@istation.com](mailto:support@istation.com).