Welcome to the Central Access Reader!

Using the Central Access Reader is easy!

This tutorial will step you through the basics. You can always access this tutorial in the help menu, or by pressing Ctrl H on your keyboard.

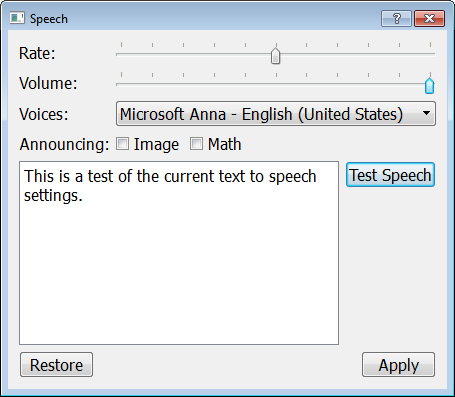
# Start and Stop Reading

Read Button. (Keyboard shortcut: Ctrl R).: Highlight the text you wish to have read, or press to start at the beginning of the document.

Stop button. (Keyboard shortcut: Ctrl S).: Press the stop button at any time to end reading.

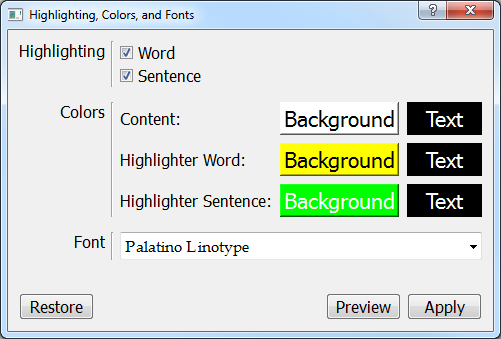
# Settings

## Speech Settings Button. (Keyboard shortcut: F1).Speech Settings



Choose if you want images and math equations verbally introduced. For example, if selected an image would begin with "Image." After the alternate text is read, the image would end with "End Image." Apply changes or restore to software defaults.

## Color Settings Button. (Keyboard shortcut: F2).Highlight, Color, and Font Settings



Enable highlighting by word and sentence as it is read. Dual-highlighting is enabled by default. Change the colors of the background and text in the document. Also change how word and sentence are highlighted while being read. Finally, change the font. Preview changes, apply changes, or restore to software defaults.

# Enlarging Text

Zoom In Button. (Keyboard shortcut: Ctrl =).

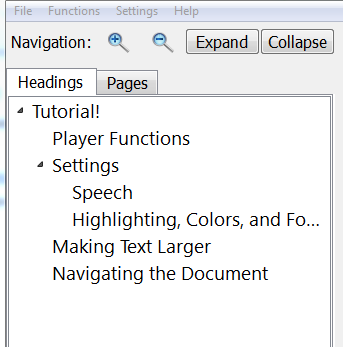
Zoom Out Button. (Ctrl Minus).

Try it!

Hold down Ctrl and the scroll wheel to quickly zoom in and out.

# Navigating the Document

Navigate quickly between headings and pages.



Navigate headings by selecting the "Headings" tab. Navigate by page by selecting the "Pages" tab. Select a heading and page, then press the "Read Button".

Visit the Central Access website to learn how you can prepare your Word Documents to navigate by heading and page: www.cwu.edu/central-access/reader

# Opening a Word Document

Open a Word Document in the File menu (Keyboard shortcut: Ctrl O).

