



Dear Parents,

Your child has made great progress this school year in acquiring the skills needed to become a great reader! One of the most important things to ensure future success for beginning readers is to practice reading every day.

Summer is a wonderful time for your child to read and keep the momentum going in gaining skills in reading. In an effort to help you encourage your child to read over the summer, a reading log and project is to be completed prior to the start of the school year on August 23, 2021.

Part One: Reading

- Students are to read a minimum of 100 minutes each week throughout the summer. This can be broken down into 15 minutes per day or whatever time frame work best for your child. The most important focus is for them to read *every day*.
- Complete the Daily Reading Log each day filling in the date, book name, author, and number of minutes read.
- Students may read silently and/or orally to an adult or older sibling.

Part Two: Reading Projects

Project #1

- Have your child select a favorite book they have read. After reading the book, they are to create a poster about the book using one or two of the following media: finger-paint, watercolors, crayons, chalk, or cut out paper/materials.
- On a piece of lined paper, have your child write 3 sentences to explain their poster. Students will be sharing their posters when we return to school.

Project #2

- Using one of the books your child has read, ask your child the following questions and have them write their answers on a lined piece of paper.
 - What is the setting of the story; where does it take place?
 - Who are the main characters?
 - What did you like best about this story?

Name: _____ # _____



Daily Reading Log

Keep track of the reading you complete this month by filling in a section of this chart each day you read.

Date	Book Title and Author's Name	Minutes Read	Student Initials	Parent Initials
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