

Get Ready for the 4th Annual Read-A-Thon at Peterson Elementary!

We're excited to announce the kick-off of our **4th Annual Read-A-Thon** on **Wednesday, February 26th**—a fun and exciting way to keep our Dolphins *hooked* on reading while raising funds for our school! 

Here's how it works: **Students set a goal of reading 300 pages** (or being read to!)—a fantastic way to dive into their favorite stories!  Whether it's adventure, mystery, or fantasy, there's something for everyone!

But that's not all!  **Your child can earn awesome prizes** by reaching their reading goal and collecting pledges from family and friends to support their efforts. It's all for a great cause, as the funds raised will help support fantastic programs and activities throughout the school! 

So, let's get those pages turning! We can't wait to see all our Dolphins reading, growing, and winning together! 

Happy reading!  

Your Peterson PTA

REGISTER YOUR STUDENT(S) TODAY FOR A CHANCE TO WIN AMAZING PRIZES!

 Exciting Prizes & Rewards Await! 

-  Send 10+ Invites with PledgeStar and earn a Read-A-Thon Bookmark!
-  Top Fundraising Class and Top Pages Read Class will have a Silly-string war!
-  Reach 300 page reading goal and earn a Read-A-Thon Bookmark!
-  Reach Our School Wide Goal, and we'll ALL celebrate with a Pajama Day and Extra Recess

 The Countdown is On! 

Last Day to Reach Our Goal and Collect Pledges: Wednesday, March 12, 2025 

We're aiming to raise **\$16,000** to support our amazing school programs—AND if we hit that goal, our Dolphins will win a **Pajama day and Extra Recess!**  Let's keep the momentum going and get everyone reading!

 **Keep the Reading Spirit Alive with Read Across America Week!** 

February 24th – February 28th

Join us as we celebrate the joy of reading with **Read Across America Week!** On **Friday, February 28th**, we'll celebrate **Dr. Seuss' birthday** in style with a special school event! Dr. Smith-Johnson has invited guest readers from the Huntington Beach Community to share their love of reading with our students.



🏆 Keep Us Updated on Your Student's Progress! 🏆

We want to see your child's reading journey and celebrate their success! Please share pictures of your student reading and reaching their goals:

- 📧 **Email:** Yearbook@PetersonPTA.org
- 📷 **Instagram:** @petersonelementaryhb
- 📷 **Facebook:** @PetersonSchoolFamiliesFB

Bonus: Some pictures may even end up in our **2025 Yearbook!** 🥰

Got questions? Reach out to us at **Fundraising@PetersonPTA.org**.

Let's work together to hit our \$16,000 goal and show our Dolphins' true love for reading! 📖❤️

HOW TO SIGN UP YOUR STUDENT FOR OUR READ-A-THON



REGISTER TODAY!

Go to our Peterson PTA Read-A-Thon Fundraising page by scanning this QR code with your phone or going to this URL provided below.

VALID EMAIL ADDRESS REQUIRED

<https://pledgestar.com/petersonelementary/>



Create or update your Peterson PTA PledgeStar account:

If you participated in our '24 fall fundraiser you may already have a PledgeStar account just sign-up using the **same email account**, add your student(s), **add a new photo**, and import contacts from a previous event or add new contacts! If you do not have a PledgeStar account simply set one up now and customize your account by **adding a photo** of your student(s). **Questions? Email us at Fundraising@petersonpta.org.**



Share & Collect Pledges:

Share your family pledge page in PledgeStar by importing from the previous event or adding new friends and family after registering. You can also share via email, text, or on social media, using the link provided on your family pledge page after signing up. **Remember to update or add a photo of your student before you share.**



Track Progress:

Starting on February 26th, and until March 12th, track the pages read using your PledgeStar family account progress tracker or with the form provided. All progress must be tracked and returned or accounted for by **Thursday, March 13th**.



Offline pledges? Use the attached pledge form to collect pledges & return donations to the School Office PTA box on or before Thursday, March 13th.

4th Annual Read-A-Thon

Sponsor Pledge Form

For Offline Pledge Use Only

Return to front office or Teacher no later than March 13th

Student Name _____ Teacher _____

Grade _____ Parent/Guardian _____

<u>Sponsor's Name</u>	<u>Pledge Amount</u>	<u>Check or Cash?</u>

Peterson PTA is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. Your donation is tax-deductible. Federal Tax ID # 33-0758354.

Make Checks Payable to Peterson PTA for Read-A-Thon - Student Name & Grade

ONLY USE THIS FORM FOR CASH OR CHECK DONATIONS

To make an ONLINE donation please use your family donation link, provided at

<https://pledgestar.com/petersonelementary/>

Or Scan this QR code



