

Read-A-Thon Guidelines

Read Every Day!



**The Orchard Hill READ-A-THON will run
Monday October 19th - Sunday October 25th.**

Between now and October 25th find sponsors who will pledge a certain amount of money for every minute that you read OR sponsors may donate a fixed amount. Add each sponsor's name and pledge to your pledge sheet. Family and friends may also donate using *PayPal* at our website: www.VESPTA.org. Please direct any questions to Kristie Quillen at kristiequillen@gmail.com.

- Read as much as you can!
- Fill out the pledge sheet carefully. Please make checks payable to MES PTA.
- Only reading during the Read-A-Thon week counts toward your minutes.
- All reading during the Read-A-Thon counts, including reading homework and in-class reading! Reading by yourself, reading to someone else and having someone read to you all counts!
- Small pledges are appreciated as much as large pledges. Sponsors may indicate a maximum pledge or donate a fixed amount. There is a \$5 minimum pledge to qualify for prizes.
- Ask your friends and family to support you!

After the last day of the Read-a-thon, total your minutes and collect your pledges. Place the pledge sheet and donations in a labeled envelope and return them to your teacher by: Monday, November 2nd. November is National Family Literacy month!

**Raise over \$100 and enter a drawing for a chance to win a Kindle Fire!
See prize page for details!**

**Thank you for your support!
The Read-A-Thon Committee**

****Important Dates****

Week of October 12 – Students receive Pledge Packets and may start collecting sponsors.

Monday, October 19 – Read-A-Thon begins! Drop Everything And Read time!

Sunday, October 25 – Read-A-Thon Ends

Monday, November 2 – Pledge Packets due (including reading logs, pledge forms, and pledge money)

Read-A-Thon Pledge Sheet

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Ask your family and neighbors to sponsor your reading by pledging to pay a set amount for each minute you read. Multiply the Number of Minutes you read by the Pledge Amount to find the Total Due. Sponsors may donate per minute or a fixed amount. Pledge Packets are due 11/2!

Student Name:

Teacher:

Grade:

Collection Due Date:

Parent's signature:

My goal is to raise \$ _____ to support my school, Orchard Hill!

Donor's Name	Address/ Phone #	Pledge Per Minute or Total Donation	Total Minutes	Total Due	Date Collected
Example: Grandma	15 Reading Rd. Princeton, NJ	\$0.10 per min.	200	\$20	10/27/14

Please make all checks payable to: MES PTA	Total Due on This Page:		
	Total Due from Other Pages:		
	Grand Total:		

Read-A-Thon Reading Log

Read-a-thon Dates: 10/19 through 10/25



Write the title of the book and the number of minutes you read in the list below and ask an adult to initial your log. At the end of the Read-a-thon, add up the total number of minutes you have read and ask your sponsors for the money they pledged to support your effort.

Student Name:

Teacher:

Grade:

My goal is to raise \$_____ to support my school, Orchard Hill!x

Session #	Date	Title of Book	# of Minutes	Parent's Initials
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Grand Total of Minutes Read:	