



READ-A-THON!

Setting up your online pledge page

Having an online pledge page makes collecting pledges easier, especially from friends and family you won't see in-person over the break. It also allows them to make their donations by credit card. You only need to set up one account per family.

Our Wedgwood Library Read-A-Thon is December 16, 2022 - January 2, 2023. Please register now to help our school raise as much as we can for books for the library. You may begin collecting donations and pledges immediately.

- Go to <http://pledgestar.com/wedgwood>

- Click **NOT REGISTERED FOR THIS EVENT?**
- Enter your name and email address, then click "Submit"
- Follow the instructions on-screen to register your student(s)

When you finish, you may email or text pledge requests to your family and friends, enabling them to make secure credit card donations online. You may also share the link on social media, such as Facebook. You will be notified each time a pledge is made, and you may track your pledge progress online.

Call 1-888-598-7510 if you need help.

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READ-A-THON!

Share Wedgwood's love of reading with friends and family.

WHAT IS IT?

We aim to inspire copious reading over the two-week Winter break. With every minute spent reading, our students will raise money for our library to replace old and outdated books while building their love of reading!

HOW IT WORKS

- Set up a Read-A-Thon account with your parent
- Set a goal (in minutes) and read, or be read to, over an 18-day period
- Ask family, friends, and neighbors for pledges to meet your goal
- Track reading minutes with Record Sheet (*see inside*) and report using online reading log
- Please direct questions to Kristi Leland @ killeland@seattleschools.org

DECEMBER 12 - JANUARY 6 REQUEST / COLLECT PLEDGES

Request pledges from family and friends by sending an email or text through the online platform



- All reading during this period counts!
- Record all minutes read on the Record Sheet (*see inside*)



- Calculate Minutes
- Notify sponsors of total minutes & collect pledges
- Finalize online



- Submit Checks in-person or mail to: Wedgwood PTA 2720 NE 85th Street Seattle, WA 98115

RULES

- All reading during this period counts!
- Reading aloud to other people counts. If you read to someone who is also participating in the Read-A-Thon, it counts for both of you!
- Listening to audio books counts too!
- No guessing or rounding up minutes read — be accurate and honest
- Record your minutes every day.
- Most importantly, HAVE FUN!!!

PRIZES! YAY!

- All participants receive a bookmark!
- The Top Reader from each grade level (K-5) with the most minutes wins a gift card from Third Place Books!
- Top Class Per Grade: The class who reads the most minutes for each grade will receive an Open Library Session in January!

FINALIZE ONLINE ACCOUNT BY JAN 6 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR PRIZES



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RECORD SHEET

Name _____

Grade ____ Teacher _____

*****MY GOAL IS TO READ _____ MINUTES IN 18 DAYS!*****

Review the Read-A-Thon rules and read (or be read-to) from December 16-January 2

SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		TOTAL FOR THIS WEEK:	
Recommended Minimum Reading Goals by Grade:		Grade		Minimum Time Reading		READY? SET? READ!				December 16		December 17			
		K - 1st		15 min. a day / 195 total						Minutes read:		Minutes read:			
		2nd - 3rd		20 min. a day / 260 total						ALL SCHOOL KICK OFF!!!		Adult initials _____			
		4th - 5th		30 min. a day / 390 total											
December 18 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 19 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 20 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 21 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 22 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 23 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 24 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		TOTAL FOR THIS WEEK: _____	
December 25 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 26 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 27 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 28 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 29 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 30 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		December 31 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		TOTAL FOR THIS WEEK: _____	
January 1 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		January 2 Minutes read: _____ Adult initials _____		January 3 - January 6 Tally Minutes and Collect Pledges and Donations						January 6		TOTAL FOR ALL 18 DAYS: _____			

ALL PLEDGES DUE JAN 6!!

Transfer all minutes read to online Read-A-Thon account by **January 6**