

October

Bookit 2012

Name _____

Grade _____ Teacher _____

Record the number of minutes you have shared reading each day. Return this form at the end of the month to the classroom teacher.

Week #1	Week #2	Week #3	Week #4	Week #5
1. _____	8. _____	15. _____	22. _____	29. _____
2. _____	9. _____	16. _____	23. _____	30. _____
3. _____	10. _____	17. _____	24. _____	31. _____
4. _____	11. _____	18. _____	25. _____	
5. _____	12. _____	19. _____	26. _____	
6. _____	13. _____	20. _____	27. _____	
7. _____	14. _____	21. _____	28. _____	



Month's Goal

Month's Actual

This is to certify that _____ has read the amount of minutes recorded above.

(signature)

Total

Basic Family Reading Guidelines

1. Students may accumulate an unlimited amount of minutes a day.
2. Only the time when parents and children share reading can be counted towards the monthly goal. (Exceptions are when parents are gone, in which case it is permissible for baby sitters, brother/sisters, grandparent, etc. to do the shared reading.)
3. The actual reading time can be accomplished in a number of ways.
 - a. Parents may read to children.
 - b. Children may read to parents.
 - c. Parents and children may turn off the T.V. and read silently.

Reading Reminders

Before Reading

Look at pictures, titles, and headings
Tell what you know about the book
Decide what you want to find out
Predict what will happen

While You Read

Tell yourself what the author says
Ask if your reading makes sense
Picture what the author describes
Predict what will come next

After you read

Retell what you read in your own words
Ask yourself questions and answer them
Decide what was important, Interesting or enjoyable

"The single most important activity for building the knowledge required for eventual success in reading is reading aloud to children."
National Commission on Reading 1983

