

# WEST HOLLYWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

## 2019 READ-A-THON and BOOK FAIR

February 25th to March 3rd

Help your child's education by encouraging strong reading habits and finding reading sponsors!

### THE BOOK FAIR

Help support your child's reading efforts by shopping at the FOWHE Bookstore in the Auditorium FEB 25th-MAR 1st.

### THE READ-A-THON

Students ask sponsors to pledge money for as many minutes as they think they can read for the duration of the Read-a-thon. We hope to raise a minimum of \$200 per student. An easy way to raise money is to spread your sponsorships among many people. If everyone asks 10 donors for \$20, we can hit the mark!

### PRIZES

#### 1. MOST MINUTES READ

##### **OVER 2,000 Minutes**

Students who read over 2,000 minutes will be entered into a drawing for the top prize.

##### **OVER 1000 Minutes**

Students who read over 1000 minutes will be entered into a drawing for a chance at the grab bag to win fun stuff.

Students who read over the minimum of 250 minutes will be entered into a random drawing to win cool stuff!

#### 2. MOST DONATIONS RAISED gets COOL STUFF + EXTRA RECESS

The top THREE students who have raised the most money will receive recognition and the following prizes:

1. Kindle
2. \$50
3. \$25

#### 3. 100% CLASS READING PARTICIPATION gets EXTRA RECESS

As a tie-breaker, the class with 100% reading participation (Minimum 300 minutes per student) AND has the most reading minutes will win.



All donations are tax-deductible (Our tax ID # is 38D3708391).

\*Winners announced at an assembly on March 11th in the morning. Recess will be determined at a later date. (Dates/prizes subject to change)

**WEST HOLLYWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**  
**2019 READ-A-THON**  
**RULES FOR READERS**

The Read-a-thon begins: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2019

You may use the pledge form to keep track of your sponsors and how much they will donate. Use your Reading Log to keep track of how many minutes you read. Reading may be logged on the reading logs (attached). Extra Reading Logs may be found online or in the office.

- Reading from before the official beginning of the Read-a-thon does not count.
- Other people reading aloud to you counts.
- Grade-level reading aloud to other people counts. If you read to your friend, or your brother or sister... it counts for both of you!
- Grade-level reading aloud to your dog, your cat, or even your goldfish? That counts.
- Can you read in a tree, in a plane, in the car, or on train? Under the covers with a flashlight or at the park in broad daylight? Yep. That counts.
- Reading instead of doing your homework does not count. =/
- Reading instead of watching TV does count. =)
- Reading in class or in workshops does not count. Reading on your own during recess, lunch, or after school does count.
- Please look at the clock or use a timer or stopwatch. No guessing or rounding off minutes.
- Please be sure to add up and write your total (in minutes) on each reading log.
- Please be honest so that it will be fair and fun for everyone! Your parents or teacher need to initial or input your minutes each day.

The Read-a-thon ends: Sunday, March 3, 2019

- The last day to read for the school Read-a-thon is: SUNDAY, MARCH 3rd.
- No minutes will be counted after Sunday, MARCH 3rd.
- Make sure you **log in your minutes, add them up (total minutes read)** or bring your reading log to school by MARCH 6th.
- Funds raised are due by MARCH 8th.

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Parent Initial      My child and I have read and agree to the rules listed above.

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Parent Initial      Reading Logs are DUE MONDAY: MARCH 4th.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

READING LOGS: DUE MARCH 4th

NAME

FIRST NAME

LAST NAME

TEACHER

GRADE

**TRACKING SHEET**

Keep track of your reading and ask a parent or another adult to initial each line. **ALL READING COUNTS: Being read to and reading on your own.** At the end of the reading period, count the total number of minutes you've read. Don't forget to ask your sponsors for the money they've pledged to support your effort!

DATE	TITLE OF BOOK	MINUTES READ	PARENT INITIALS
TOTAL MINUTES READ PLEASE COMPLETE TOTAL MINUTES READ			

NAME

FIRST NAME

LAST NAME

TEACHER

GRADE

### SPONSOR FORM

Our goal is \$200 per student. Ask your family, friends and neighbors to sponsor your reading by pledging to pay a small amount for each minute you read. **Donate online at FOWHE.ORG/readathon and attach receipts to this page.** Suggestion: My goal is to raise funds by reading a minimum of 250 minutes outside of the classroom. Please support me in my goal to raise money for my school, like \$1 a minute.

My goal is to raise \$\_\_\_\_\_ to support programs like art, music and technology at WeHo Elementary School.

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