

Read-a-thon FAQ

Below are responses to Read-a-thon frequently asked questions:

Q: Does all reading count, even if read to a child by an adult?

A: Yes, all reading counts even if read to a child by an adult. Many of the students in the younger grades still need to be read to, therefore, ALL your reading to them still counts.

Q: How can I get a copy of the log?

A: A PDF of the log is available online to print and make copies. There are also copies at the library.

Q: Will we get our logs back after tallying so that we may use it to collect pledges?

A: No, the logs will not be returned. If you need to recall your pledges, make a copy of the log for your needs and turn in the copy or the original.

Q: Can I turn my log in after February 18th?

A: No. Unfortunately, because classrooms are competing and we need time for tallying, we need this to be a hard deadline...Please return logs in your wednesday envelope by Thursday, February 18th.

Q: When will winning classrooms be announced?

A: Announcements will be on Friday, February 26th at morning circle.

Q: Do I have to turn in all my pledge money by March 1st?

A: No. Turn in as much as possible with the returned logs on that date and continue to turn in money as you receive it. Return all money in your Wednesday Envelope or to the PTA box in the main office. Please make sure all money is in the Read-a-thon envelope provided with your Kits or in a regular envelope with the words 'Read-a-thon' written on the front of the envelope.

Q: What if I'm out of town and can't return my log on Thursday February 18th?

A: Please give your log to your homeroom teacher before leaving. If you have additional minutes to add up to Wednesday 3/4 evening, please email the minutes to either Leslie Thorndike (leslie@thorndiketravel.net) or myself Lourdes Garcia (lgarcia@gdesarch.com) with your child's name / room number and we will include the extra minutes to your child's log.

Q: When do I stop logging entries?

*A: You may log entries to 9PM Wednesday, **February 17th.***

Q: Does reading in class or school count?

A: Yes!! All reading counts...log away!

Regards,
The Read-a-thon Committee