

Dear Parents,

Beginning on April 9, we will begin a “Reader of the Day” program. Students will have the opportunity to sign up for a day in which they will read a book to the class. If your child reads to the class, they do not have to turn in a book report that week.

Students are encouraged to choose books they can read fluently. The books can consist of a phonics reader and a beginning reader. **Please do not have your child read a chapter book or a Dr. Seuss book.** Those types of books are too long. Books should be chosen to match your child’s reading level. The purpose of this program is to help your child increase their fluency. This is optional. Your child will decide if they would like to read to the class.

Students are expected to be prepared to read on their assigned day. If they are absent, then they will be rescheduled on a day that is open. There is only 1 reader per day.

In past years, I have had a wonderful response to this program. Children have really enjoyed their chance to “shine” in front of the class. Even struggling readers have enjoyed spending time at home in preparation for their reading day. It has helped parents to really be in touch with their child’s reading abilities.

I will send home a monthly calendar with the schedule of readers. It would be a good idea to place this calendar somewhere “safe”.

Your child should come prepared to read to the class on their assigned day. Reading to the class will take the place of doing a book report for that week.



Thank You,  
Mrs. Neumann, Mrs. Czekalinski, & Mrs. Suhar