



Dear St. Anthony Families,

Summer break is right around the corner! While the lazy days of summer are a nice break from all the must do's of school, as parents and teachers we are concerned about the "summer slide." None of us want students to lose academic ground during the break. One easy and important way to avoid the "summer slide" is by having your child read over the summer. Data shows that students can lose up to 25% of their reading level over the summer! Help prevent the "summer slide" by encouraging your child to take the St. Anthony's Summer Reading Challenge!!!

Here are the details for the St. Anthony's Summer Reading Challenge:

Incoming 1st-4th graders~

- A Reading Challenge Calendar will be provided, each day your child reads the minutes read must be recorded.
- **Incoming 1st-2nd graders** will be expected to read 15 minutes a day. Reading together is highly encouraged.
- **Incoming 3rd-4th graders** will be expected to read 20 minutes a day. At least some reading together is highly encouraged.
- Each student will be given 10 days that they can take as a day off from reading. If your child takes off a day from reading please have the word FREE written on that day.
- During the first week of school, your child needs to return the Reading Challenge Calendar to his/her 2018-2019 teacher.
- Prizes~
 - If your child returns the Summer Reading Calendar completed, according to the guidelines above, he/she will received an ice cream coupon that can be redeemed during lunch on a day to be announce in September.
 - If your child takes five free days or less off reading, he/she will receive a coupon for ice cream and a **bonus prize** of a free dress coupon that can be used during a day to be announced in September.
 - If your child reads everyday this summer, taking no free days, he/she will receive an ice cream coupon, a free dress coupon and will receive a raffle ticket to win a \$25.00 gift card.

Enjoy the extra time you have with your children over the summer and let's all keep reading. When your child sees you read or you take an interest in his/her reading your child sees the importance and joy of reading in action.

Sincerely, St. Anthony School Teachers



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Incoming 5th-8th graders~

- Reading Response Logs will be provided for your child to fill out.
- Incoming 5th-8th graders will be expected to read 3 or more chapter books. Reading together or discussing what your child is reading is highly recommended.
- During the first week of school, your child should return the Reading Response Logs to his/her current teacher.
- Prizes~
 - Students who read between 3 to 5 books will receive an ice cream coupon that can be redeemed during lunch on a day to be announced in September.
 - Students who read between 6-8 books will receive an ice cream coupon & a free dressed coupon on a day to be announced in September.
 - Students who read 9-up books will get a raffle ticket to win a \$25.00 gift card.

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The St. Anthony School Teachers

June 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Minutes Read_____	21 Minutes Read_____	22 Minutes Read_____	23 Minutes Read_____
24 Minutes Read_____	25 Minutes Read_____	26 Minutes Read_____	27 Minutes Read_____	28 Minutes Read_____	29 Minutes Read_____	30 Minutes Read_____

July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Minutes Read_____	2 Minutes Read_____	3 Minutes Read_____	4 Minutes Read_____	5 Minutes Read_____	6 Minutes Read_____	7 Minutes Read_____
8 Minutes Read_____	9 Minutes Read_____	10 Minutes Read_____	11 Minutes Read_____	12 Minutes Read_____	13 Minutes Read_____	14 Minutes Read_____
15 Minutes Read_____	16 Minutes Read_____	17 Minutes Read_____	18 Minutes Read_____	19 Minutes Read_____	20 Minutes Read_____	21 Minutes Read_____
22 Minutes Read_____	23 Minutes Read_____	24 Minutes Read_____	25 Minutes Read_____	26 Minutes Read_____	27 Minutes Read_____	28 Minutes Read_____
29 Minutes Read_____	30 Minutes Read_____	31 Minutes Read_____	Minutes Read_____	Minutes Read_____	Minutes Read_____	Minutes Read_____

August 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Minutes Read_____	2 Minutes Read_____	3 Minutes Read_____	4 Minutes Read_____
5 Minutes Read_____	6 Minutes Read_____	7 Minutes Read_____	8 Minutes Read_____	9 Minutes Read_____	10 Minutes Read_____	11 Minutes Read_____
12 Minutes Read_____	13 Minutes Read_____	14 Minutes Read_____	15 Minutes Read_____	16 Minutes Read_____	17 Minutes Read_____	18 Minutes Read_____
19 Minutes Read_____	20 Minutes Read_____	21 Minutes Read_____	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Reading Response Log



Name: _____

Grade in Fall _____

Fill out the following form completely based on the book that you read.

Book Title: _____ Author: _____

Characters: Describe two main characters from the book.

Character #1 Name: _____

Appearance _____

Actions _____

Personality _____

Character #2 Name: _____

Appearance _____

Actions _____

Personality _____

Setting: Explain where and when this story mainly takes place. Use specific details if they are available.

Conflict: What is the major problem in the story? Which characters are involved?

Resolution: How is the major conflict solved? Do any characters learn important lessons as a result?

Connection: Explain one connection you can make with this novel (text-to-text, text-to-world, or text-to-self).
