



READING LOG ASSIGNMENT

Directions: Each month a reading log is assigned. Students are to read a minimum of 20 minutes four days a week. This reading can include rereading of class assignments, narrative, and informational reading at their reading level. Students are to record the number of minutes they read each night on the monthly calendar provided. At the end of the month, students are to calculate the total number of minutes read for the entire month. Students are expected to read and then do "book talks" with their parents. Book talks are most effective as you child reads the book to verify comprehension and promote interest. The back of this sheet explains in greater detail how to conduct book talks.

The calendar will have a due date to inform you when the reading log is due.

The assignment will be graded as follows:

- 320 – 290 minutes read earns an A
- 289 – 260 minutes read earns a B
- 259 – 220 minutes read earns a C
- 219 – 190 minutes read earns a D
- 189 or fewer minutes read earns an E



The grading scale is subject to change during the school year. Students who read 500 or more minutes a month are awarded a "special" prize of their choosing.

The reading log is an important part of your child's reading grade. I think you will find this system to be family friendly and good practice for your child.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Happy reading!

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