



Hello Rutkin Families! It's time for our first annual Art Rutkin Read-A-Thon! This fundraiser allows our students to raise money for our school while promoting literacy and a life-long love of reading! The funds raised support important PSO-sponsored programs, such as STEM, Art Lit, library, curriculum, field trips, and more. This year we have a school-wide goal of raising \$2,500 and reading at least 25,000 minutes during the two week Read-a-thon. If we reach this goal the PSO will be able to fund TWO field trips for every Art Rutkin student. Students will also earn a school-wide Popcorn and Pages Party!

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

• Collect Donations: Students ask family and friends for per-minute pledges or flat rate donations.



Online Registration: Pledges/Donations can be collected online by adding your student to the Read-a-thon website (See QR code for link). Parents will receive an email with a sharable Donation Page for their student. Parents need to share their student's page via email, text, or social media, as these links are secure and not searchable. Page customization and Online Reading Tracker are optional.

- Paper Donations: Cash and check donations can be made out to the Art Rutkin PSO and turned in with the attached Pledge Page. Cash/Check donations are due Monday, 2/12/24 (grace period thru 2/15). They can be dropped off at the front office or mailed to: Art Rutkin Office ATTN: Sabina Schmidt - PSO Treasurer 15600 SW River Terrace Blvd Tigard, OR 97224.
- Read: Each student reads as much as possible during the Read-a-thon. Students are encouraged to read for at least 20 minutes daily. Reading Guidelines are listed below:
 - Any reading counts including: independent reading in class, listening to another reader or audiobooks, and reading books in any language!
 - If you read aloud to someone participating in the Read-A-Thon, it counts for both of you!
 - Track minutes every day. No guessing or rounding up, be accurate and honest.
 - Participate in Reading Bingo to enter a prize raffle. Complete 1 row for 1 entry, or a "Blackout" board for 2 entries. See the Reading Bingo Board attached.
 - Most importantly, HAVE FUN!!!
- **Track Reading Minutes:** Students, with their parent/guardian, complete the attached reading log.
 - Optional Online Tracking: Parents can use the customization link sent to their email to record reading minutes on the "Track" tab of the Participant Page. Minutes tracked online determine Per-Minute Pledge amounts and populate leaderboards. They will be verified with paper Reading Logs to ensure accuracy before pledge donations are charged.
 - In-Class Reading: Students can track their in-class reading time and parents or teachers can add it to the student's reading minutes.
 - o Return Reading Logs: Paper Reading Logs should be returned for ALL students on Monday 2/12/24 (grace period thru 2/15/24). Logs must be returned by Thursday 2/15 to be considered for prizes.





READ-A-THON PRIZES:

Students may compete for the following prizes. Paper Reading Logs must be returned by Thursday 2/12/24 to be considered. Winners will be announced on Friday 2/16/24.

Goals:	Prizes:
Top Reader School-Wide	Librarian for the Day!
Top Reader in Each Classroom	\$10 Book Gift Card
Grade Level with the Most Minutes	Extra Recess
Reading Bingo Raffle #1	Surprise Donation
Reading Bingo Raffle #2	Surprise Donation
Reading Bingo Raffle #3	Surprise Donation
School-Wide Goals \$2,500 and 25,000 Reading Minutes	"Popcorn and Pages Party" School-Wide Reading Popcorn Party

IMPORTANT DATES:

Monday 1/22	Tuesday 1/23	Wednesday 1/24	Thursday 1/25	Friday 1/26
Read-a-thon Starts -Start Reading Bingo -Read/Log: 20+ min	-Register! -Read/Log: 20+ min	-Register! -Read/Log: 20+ min	-Register! -Read/Log: 20+ min	-Register! -Read/Log: 20+ min
Monday 1/29	Tuesday 1/30	Wednesday 1/31	Thursday 2/1	Friday 2/2
Read-a-thon Spirit Week			No School	
-Wear a Hat to school -Read/Log: 20+ min	Reading Rainbow 非常系統系統 -Wear favorite color -Read/Log: 20+ min	Favourite Book Character Day -Dress like your favorite character -Read/Log: 20+ min	-Wear PJs, bring a stuffy to read toRead/Log: 20+ min	-Bingo Card -Read/Log: 20+ min
Monday 2/5	Tuesday 2/6	Wednesday 2/7	Thursday 2/8	Friday 2/9
Read-a-thon Extended! -Finish Bingo -Read/Log: 20+ min	Read-a-thon Extended! -Finish Bingo -Read/Log: 20+ min	Read-a-thon Extended! -Finish Bingo -Read/Log: 20+ min	Read-a-thon Extended! -Finish Bingo -Read/Log: 20+ min	Read-a-thon Ends! -Collect Final Pledges -Read/Tally Minutes
Monday 2/12	Tuesday 2/13	Wednesday 2/14	Thursday 2/15	Friday 2/16
All Students Turn In: Reading Logs, Bingo Cards, Cash Pledges	Return Grace Period: Reading Logs, Bingo Cards, Cash Pledges	Return Grace Period: Reading Logs, Bingo Cards, Cash Pledges	FINAL DATE TO RETURN LOGS, BINGO, AND PLEDGES TO BE CONSIDERED FOR PRIZES	Prize Winners Announced







Student Name:

Reading Log: Read! Fundraise! Win Prizes!

Optional Online Tracking: Use the QR Code to add your student to the Read-a-thon. Use the customization link, sent to your email, to add reading minutes throughout the event. Minutes tracked online will determine pledge per-minute amounts and will be verified with the paper log. Minutes tracked online will also populate the leaderboard in the competition for Grade Level with the Most Minutes!

Grade/Teacher:

Track on Paper: Use this form to track your reading minutes each day. All Reading Logs should be turned in on Monday 2/12/24 (no later than Thursday 2/15/24 to be considered for Prizes). Winners will be announced on Friday 2/16/24!

Date	Minutes Read	Parent/Guardian Signature
Monday, January 22		
Tuesday, January 23		
Wednesday, January 24		
Thursday, January 25		
Friday, January 26		
Saturday, January 27		
Sunday, January 28		
Monday January 29		
Tuesday, January 30		
Wednesday, January 31		
Thursday, Feb 1		
Friday, Feb 2 (No School)		
Saturday, Feb 3		
Sunday, Feb 4		
Monday, Feb 5		
Tuesday, Feb 6		
Wednesday, Feb 7		
Thursday, Feb 8		
Friday, Feb 9		
In-Class Reading Minutes		
TOTAL MINUTES		



Dear Donors,

Art Rutkin Read-a-thon 2024



Pledge Form

Use this form for check donations made to Art Rutkin PSO as an alternative to the Art Rutkin Read-a-thon Website

Student: _____ Teacher: ____

I am participating in my school's fundraiser! Monday 1/22/24 thru Friday 2/9/24, I will be participating in

the Art Rutkin Elementary School Read-a-thon. I will have 19 days to read as many minutes as possible at

home and at our school. The	e funds collected will go to	o Art Rutkin Elem	entary PSO to he	elp pay for field
trips, ArtLit, STEM Night, ass	emblies and much more.	You may choose	to Per-Minute Pl	edge* or make a
flat donation. Once the Read	d-a-thon is completed, I w	vill let you know l	now many minute	es I read and I will
collect pledges by February	9th. Checks can be made	out to: Art Rutkii	n PSO.	
	Thank you for	the support!		
Cash/Check Pledg Students - please turn in this		on <mark>Monday, Feb</mark>	<mark>12th.</mark>	
Sponsor Name	Phone Number	Pledge Per Minute	(or) Flat Donation	Total Amount





Read on	Read in	Read to a family member	Read
the couch	your PJs		outside
Read with a snack	Read to someone faraway	Read in a fort	Read to a pet or stuffed animal
Read for	Read	Read with a	Read upside
20 minutes	out loud	flashlight	down
Read in	Read before	Read	Read in your
a whisper	breakfast	standing up	favorite spot

Read-a-Thon Bingo

It's Read-a-Thon time!

Try to complete all of these fun reading activities - you can even try to do a few at the same time! Complete 4-in-a-row for one raffle entry, or fill out the entire board for two entries! Bring this to your teacher by Monday Feb 12th to enter the Read-a-thon Bingo Prize Raffle!

1	Winners announced on
	Thursday Feb 16th!
Name:_	Grade: