

Teachers,

As I told you all that attended the library in-service, I am starting a reading program “**Reading Will Take You Places**” with reading logs. This program will begin October 1 and go through April 30. You will receive Monday, September 30, a reading log and a letter to the parents for each student in your class. Please have your students write their name and your name on the lines on the reading log. I counted out the reading logs to match the number of students they have in the office. Please send back to the library if you have any leftover sheets (don’t keep to give out when a student finishes) or send a student to the library to get more if you don’t have enough.

Students in Kindergarten will have books read to them. Students in first grade will have some books read to them and, as they develop, will be able to read books on their own. Second grade through fourth are to read books on their own. They can count if they read to a younger child an easy book but it must be marked by an adult why they have a short, easy book on their list. They may get books from the library, Faulkner County Library, home, or your classroom. If they read a book in your classroom (some students will not have books at home), they may have to ask you to sign the log to prove they read it. I have also told the students, if you read a book out loud and you tell them they can add it on their log, you will have to sign as the adult. **Counting the book that you read is your decision.**

When a student completes a log, they are to bring it to the library. I will mark it special to be their first one and will give them another log with a special 2 on it for my records. The students receive a prize for each log completed. When the program is over in April, I will count to see who in each class has read the most books (they will receive a paperback book) and who has read the most books in the whole grade level (they will receive a T-Shirt).

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you for supporting “Reading Will Take You Places” library reading program.