



Dear PreK and Kindergarten Parents,

This year, the PreK and Kindergarteners are invited to participate in the grammar school's Book-A-Thon! If you choose to have them participate, this is what your child's experience can look like:

- **CHALLENGES:** Complete some or all of the challenges in the attached sheet (independently or with a parent). As a mother of five, including a kindergartener, I tried to make these challenges easy enough that they can be completed without needing much adult help. This is not meant to be burdensome for anyone!
- **BOOKS:** Keep a log of the books that they/you read, if you want. You can include books that you (or a sibling) read to them or books they listen to.
- **FUNDRAISE:** They can ask family and friends for donations. It is not required but definitely encouraged! Fundraising will make your child eligible for the prizes (gift cards, candy, etc). They have been included in our 99Pledges online fundraising campaign. More information on this platform is included in this packet.

Kids in Pre-K and Kindergarten will automatically earn ice cream and a "Bring a Stuffy Friend to School" Day for any form of participation.

At the end of our fundraiser, please fill out the attached Student Participation Summary. It should be handed in with the book log, pledge sheet, checks, and their challenge checklist on April 15.

This is meant to be a fun experience for KA's youngest. It also fosters a sense of community, teamwork, and healthy competition in our school. Please encourage your son or daughter to participate to the best of their ability.

Don't hesitate to reach out with any questions.

Thanks in advance!

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