

Read-A-Thon Spring Fundraiser

Dear Vernfield families,

Home and School will be holding a Read-A-Thon fundraiser this spring! 100% of the proceeds from the fundraiser will go toward flexible seating and other SASD Next! Initiatives at Vernfield. To find out more about SASD Next! (a district-wide technology initiative), check out the V.I.P. Session videos about SASD Next on the Vernfield website vernfield.soudertonsd.org.

Before the Read-A-Thon begins, each student will get their own personal website that they can send to family and friends to obtain sponsorship. During the two-week Read-A-Thon event, the website will also show the student's reading progress, and can be used to log at-home reading time. At school, teachers will use a classroom website to log students' minutes read during group and individual reading activities. Please look for a flyer with more information in your child's Communicator the week of May 9th! The flyer will have your child's secret code, which will enable you to activate your child's personal Read-A-Thon page.

Thank you for your support!

Attention all business owners!

Please consider supporting our Read-A-Thon! For as little as \$50, you will be able to upload your logo along with your business name, address, telephone number and website. Your business will then be highlighted on our Vernfield group Read-A-Thon website, on each classroom page, on every reader's dashboard, and on all donation pages! Thank you in advance for your support! 100% of the proceeds will go toward flexible seating and other SASD Next initiatives at Vernfield Elementary School! Supporting us is easy! Please go to www.read-a-thon.com/donate/ and enter **16521**. If you have any questions, please contact Meg Dick at meg213@gmail.com.





Read-A-Thon Daily Themes

- May 15th:** **Read-A-Thon Kick-off Assembly!** - Whole School Read Aloud
- May 16th:** **Read at Home Day!** - No School today
- May 17th:** **Teacher Swap Day!** - A new teacher will be doing a read aloud with your class today!
- May 18th:** **Poetry Day!** - Read poetry aloud in class today!
- May 19th:** **Field Day!** - Mr. Gross will read aloud to the whole school to kick off field day!
- May 22nd:** **Read with Spirit Day!** - Spirit will visit K – 3 pods to do a read aloud with the students today!
- May 23rd:** **Buddy Day!** - Buddy Classrooms will read together today!
- May 24th:** **Share Your Favorite Book Day!** - Students will bring their favorite book to school and share during Morning Meeting!
- May 25th:** **Flashlight Reading Day!** - Darken the classroom and read by flashlight today!
- May 26th:** **Beach Day!** - Go outside with your classroom and read! Students can bring a beach towel, hat, sunglasses, etc.