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Reading is Magical!

EAGER READER: January 10th to February 7th, 2019

The Eager Reader program is a voluntary reading program, sponsored by the PTSA, to help students develop strong reading habits and foster a love of reading. Every child is encouraged to participate regardless of reading ability.

During this 4-week program, kids can earn bookmarks, fun prizes and coupons, and a new book by joining in with the Eager Reader program.

Starting on Thursday, January 11th, record all reading minutes online and be sure that parents/guardians approve these minutes by 9am every Thursday morning. Minutes must be recorded and approved for the prizes to be awarded. Students will be given their prizes on Thursdays.

How much do I need to read?	Minutes per night	Minutes per week	4 week total
K - 1	10	70	280
2 – 3	15	105	420
4 - 5	20	140	560

<u>**Prizes:**</u> All students who complete their reading each week and submit parent approved minutes each week will earn the following prizes:

Week 1: Pencil and mini erasers, Hop Jacks coupon

Week 2: Mini Poppers, Tattoo, Mini Erasers, Papa Murphy's coupon

Week 3: Slime, Sticky Frog, Mini Erasers, Frozen Yogurt coupon

Week 4: Stress Ball, Erasers, coupon for a free book on Book Selection Day!

Check out our full <u>FAQ's</u>, print off a tracking form to use at home and find more information at **EndeavourPTSA.org**.



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ENDEAVOUR SCIENCE FAIR IS COMING SOON!

We would like to invite all students to participate in this fun and non-competitive event. Students are encouraged to come up with their own ideas and projects with limited parent assistance.

Science Fair key dates:

- → Jan. 7th Jan. 27th: registration and display board order on PTSA website.
- ➤ Week of Feb. 11th: display board pick up
- ➤ March 5th 5PM 7PM: Science Fair set up and deliver projects to display
- ➤ March 6th 5PM 7PM: Science Fair night

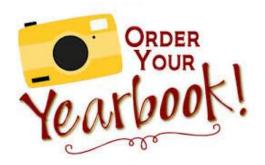
This event depends on parent volunteers, please check the PTSA website for opportunities to help make the Science Fair a success.

Detailed information, including registration, full FAQ's and board purchases will be posted on the PTSA website, www.EndeavourPTSA.org in January.

Thank you,
The Science Fair Board
EndScienceFair@outlook.com



Don't forget to wrap up your holiday shopping at <u>smile.amazon.com/ch/91-1721326</u> and AmazonSmile donates to Endeavour Elementary PTSA.



Endeavour 2018-2019 Yearbook

Don't wait until the end of school and miss out on memories! Order your Endeavour Yearbook now.

Click Here to Order Your Yearbook

Can't remember if you ordered one at the beginning of the year? You can verify whether or not you purchased a yearbook in your account on the Endeavour PTSA website under "Orders". If there is nothing listed as paid under "Yearbook", please visit the yearbook page and place your order.

If you don't pre-order, please note that only limited copies will be available for purchase at the end of the school year.

Endeavour Elementary Student Banking

Date: **Tuesday**, **January 8th** Time: 11:30am to 1:30pm

Location: Table outside of the Library. Drop by with your envelope before heading to lunch.

ALL grades can participate! All students participating will get a prize with each deposit! Do you need an application for a new student? Click here for application!



Membership Matters! Have you joined the PTSA?

If you're already a member, thank you for joining! If not, <u>please join today!</u>

Funds raised by the Endeavour PTSA directly support your child's educational experience. Vital programs such as Art Docents, Science Fair, Culture Night, Eager Reader and Math Club are funded by the PTSA. The PTSA also helps fund important classroom enrichment, such as science to go classes, teacher grants, and field trips.

Your membership not only benefits your child, but PTSA Membership has many privileges. Your PTSA Membership provides access to our Online Directory, but also gives you exclusive savings through the Washington State PTA negotiated programs: Great Wolf Lodge and Wild Waves discounts, ticket savings to many venues and events, and much more.

Check out the WSPTA page for details!



Calling all volunteers!

Parent volunteers are such an important part of our school community and we need your time and talents to help run our programs and events! Please login to the Endeavourptsa.org to find the best fit for your schedule. Not sure where to start, email volunteers@endeavourptsa.org.

Current Volunteer Opportunities

- Eager Reader volunteers needed- <u>Sign-up here</u>
- Library volunteers still needed <u>Inquire Here</u>
- VP of Communications PTSA Board Position
- Shuttle Bus Chair help with communication for three events during the year

For more information, email us at volunteers@endeavourptsa.org. Please visit the Endeavour Elementary PTSA Website and select <u>Volunteer</u> for a complete list of opportunities.

All volunteers during school hours must complete an ISD volunteer application every school year. Please <u>click on this link</u> to create an account or update your application.



THANK YOU to our hallway display team, **Emma Livingston**, **Emily Blue**, and **Amy Myhre** for sharing your amazing creativity in the beautiful wall displays for our Endeavour community. We greatly appreciate all of your talent and hard work!

A HUGE THANK YOU to our Staff Appreciation and Cookie Exchange Chairs, Ana Gentilini, Amy Myhre, and Lisa Galicia for organizing and putting together all of the beautiful cookie platters for Endeavour teachers and staff. Thank you to Maria Ruelas, Kavitha Naidu and Kara Speer for helping to pack and wrap all the goodies. And of course, Thank you to all 74 bakers who baked and brought in cookies!



A **BIG THANK YOU** to our Book Fair Chairs, **Christina Schubert** and **Meredith King**, for all of the time and effort you put in to make this year's Book Fair such a great event. We greatly appreciate you and the tireless team of volunteers that made everything possible!

An event this big isn't possible without an amazing team of parent and student volunteers. Thank you: Kavitha Naidu, Kellen Flynn, Marmar Wright, Saundi Crandall, Brooklyn Crandall, Marie McBride, Kshipra Vairagkar, Radiya Matheranwala, Hygel Kolmodin, Carly Simon, Krista Guenser, Ana Gentilini, Hygel Kolmodin, Jessica Larsson, Stacey Banks, Mary Ma, Joyce Zheng, Devin Narkmon, Emily Givens, Emma Wypyszyk, Rachel Smith, Sara Miller, Rory Mullen, Meredith Spencer, Renee Pei, Lisa Galicia, Ariko Komatsu, Emily Zugschwerdt, Shrihun Sankepally, Kathy Pelham, Amanda Bartley, Julia Chiaro, Jenn Shepherd, María Ruelas, Amy Kamm, Larissa Sambotin, Katie Olsen, Sebastian Kragh, Hritika Naik and Shrihun Sankepally!

Also, **HUGE THANKS** to all the families who donated books to our teachers for a total of \$1,851.83. Your tremendous generosity not only added books in our classrooms but Scholastic matches our dollar donations and will give 1,851 books to children in need!!



- Dec 21 Jan 2 Winter Break
- Jan 4 Popcorn Friday
- Jan 7 Science Fair Registration Begins
- Jan 8 Student Banking Day
- Jan 10 Eager Reader Kick-off
- Jan 14 PTSA Board Meeting

Full PTSA Calendar

Did you know that every Wednesday is Spirit Wear Day? Wear your favorite team's jersey or your Endeavour Spirit Wear and show your school pride.

Helpful Links:

Endeavour PTSA Website

PTSA Calendar

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Endeavour Elementary School Website

Principal's Corner

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