



25 Books in 25 Weeks Challenge!

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Dear Parent(s) and/or Guardians,

Stockton Unified is launching the 25 Books in 25 Weeks Challenge. Our hope is that all students preschool-12th grade will create a personal goal of reading twenty-five books in twenty-five weeks. In order to complete this goal, it is important that they read each night.

Furthermore, Research has found that students who read for at least thirty minutes every night are often your top achievers in school; we want your child to be successful in school, while also developing a life-long love of reading. This challenge will help your child achieve both goals!

In order for a child to achieve this challenge, it is important that they have support at home. Listed are ways that you can help:

- Encourage your child to read daily.
- Celebrate their reading accomplishments. It is OKAY that they do not achieve the 25 Books in 25 Weeks Challenge. If you know that your child only read two books last year, and this year they read five, that is great growth and should be celebrated.
- Talk about books. Share the favorites that you had as a child.
- Read too! Parents can take this challenge as well.
- Take your child to the library (or bookstore) to explore new and exciting titles.

Please sign up your child at www.stocktonusd.net/25in25 today. Once your child has completed the reading log, they may turn it into their child's teacher.

Thank you for your support! Should you have any question please contact the Community Relations Department at (209) 933-7025.