



Peabody Public Schools

SUMMER READING 2010

PEABODY GROWS WITH READING!

The theme of this year's Peabody Public School's Summer Reading Program is GO GREEN. Our hope is to encourage students to, not only grow their minds by making reading a lifelong habit, but also to make them aware of the environmental issues that face our planet today. Having students read during the summer can prevent the reading achievement losses that normally occur over these months.

Each student will be provided with a suggested reading list. The Title I Director teamed up with the three local librarians to put together a list of quality, multi-cultural, environmental literature that represents many genres and a variety of reading levels. The books found on your grade level reading list can be found in each of the public libraries. This is only a suggested list. We support and encourage your child to read any book that interests them.

YOU CAN EARN CHANCES TO WIN REWARDS!

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS:

- 1.) Children will keep a reading log of all the books they have read throughout the summer. In primary grades, students may log books that adults read to them.
- 2.) All Reading Logs must include the title of the book and the number of pages of each book. Add the total number of pages of all books on log and divide by 100 to determine the number of earned raffle tickets.
- 3.) Bring all reading logs back to school the first week of school.
- 4.) Students will earn one raffle ticket for each 100 pages read.
- 5.) Each raffle ticket is a chance for a student to win a self selected reward. All schools will have different rewards which **may include book bundles, pizza with the principal, ice-cream party, etc.**
- 6.) Leveled reading lists and writing activities are available on the Peabody website.

OTHER REWARDS AND MORE REASONS TO READ:

- 7.) If you participate in the Summer Reading Program at the **Public Library**, return the certificate to school and earn a **BONUS 10 raffle tickets**. If you reach your reading goal at the library, you will get a **tree to plant**.
- 8.) Go to readingmatters.com to find out how to win Red Sox tickets.

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