



Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida!

January 22-26, 2018

Events for Marion County Public Schools



MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 2018

School	Event/Activity
Anthony	Monday-Friday: "Who Read It Better?" Staff contest- teachers will be recorded reading books to be aired during the morning show by the same author (Mo Willems). Students will vote who read it better. Die-cut with favorite book- each child will decorate a die-cut to be displayed in Media Center window under the heading, "Books We Love!"
Bellevue	Door Decorations: As a class, students will pick their FAVORITE CLASS BOOK. The teacher will use student work to decorate doors, windows, etc. based on their class' selection.
Dunnellon	Students will access myON to read for 30 minutes school wide. Book Fair open.
Evergreen	Kick Off-We Are Super Readers!! Guest Reader on Morning Show-TBD Launch MYON Minutes Read Contest-Super Readers of the Week Recognition-most minutes reading (by grade level and class)-continue for remainder of school year What Book is It? Trivia on Morning New Show Drop Everything And Read Time suggested read aloud Wonder by RJ Palacio (all week)- "Find Yourself in a Book!" Create a book mark contest (winner chosen at end of week) Caught You Reading Tickets-students that are caught reading throughout the week by faculty staff or admin. Will receive a ticket for one of 5 drawings for a free book or other prizes Teachers Read Too-Can You Guess Who? Bulletin Board-pictures of faculty and staff.
Fessenden	Blast off with Books! (myOn Challenge) Every student will read for 20 minutes on myOn during the day. A "rocket" popsicle (Bomb pop) will be given to students who complete their 20 minutes. Guess the Reader contest begins! Students can enter a contest where they must guess the mystery readers' names (pictures of staff members reading a book). Winners will be announced on Friday's Morning Show. Milky Way bars and Moon Pies will be given to winners.
Fort McCoy	myON Day





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Hammett Bowen	Ocala Civic Theater In-School Literacy Tour: Rosie Revere, Engineer
Horizon Academy	Students will recreate a cover for the short story that depicts the story's theme.
Legacy	<p>Door Decoration Contest: Create a book cover on the classroom doors.</p> <p>Literacy "Music" from Storyline Online during lunch each day</p> <p>Create a bookmark about their favorite book</p>
Maplewood	Leaders are Readers---Mr. Rembert, Mrs. Eatmon, and Mrs. Lowe will share their love of reading with individual classes throughout the week. Teachers will email and invite administrators to come to their classroom and read to their class throughout the week. News Show---Literacy Week Kickoff, Book Recommendations and Teachers and Staff will "Catch Students Reading" and snap a photo that will be shared on the Morning News Show throughout Literacy Week.
Oakcrest	<p>Book Theme (Rivera reads book during breakfast): "I Have a Dream-Dr. Martin Luther King" → Deck out your uniform with Red, White, and Blue!</p> <p>*Door decorating contest → Class chooses an author or genre to decorate door</p> <p>*Book Tasting (Wonderland Themed to highlight Lewis Carroll's birthday-Media Center w/ Mrs. Jennings) K-2nd</p> <p>*Students create a dream board for literacy night on Thursday- a dream board can be created using magazine clippings, printed pictures, drawings, etc. Their board should focus on their goals and highlight what they aspire to be when they grow up.</p> <p>K-2nd graders: Write 2-5 sentences explaining their board/future goals</p> <p>3-5th graders: Write a 5 paragraph essay explaining their board/future goals</p>
Reddick Collier	<p>"Find Yourself in a Book" : Staff will kick-off literacy week through dressing as their favorite book characters for the day.</p> <p>Leadership team will move through classrooms to read the book that correlates with their costume.</p> <p>-Reveal Campus Wide Writing, "If you could live in any book, which one would it be and why?" Due by Thursday 2pm, to be displayed at parent night Thursday and Friday during the school day.</p> <p>-RCE also participated in the elementary school-wide book contest, due December 15th</p> <p>**Daily campus-wide Drop Everything and Read</p>





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Saddlewood	Principal, Debra Riedl, will read a snippet of her favorite book on the morning announcements.
Saddlewood	Books are Open Doors- Classrooms choose their favorite book and decorate their doors to show that book off. Winners will be chosen by grade level and the winning classrooms will get 5 books for their classroom library.
Sparr	Classroom displays- Door/Window/Poster displaying favorite class book or what students are currently reading. Guest reader on school-wide morning show.
Sunrise	PowerPoint presentation of staff with their favorite book. Book review by student on the Morning Show followed by an invitation to students to write their own Reading Rainbow review (this will be ongoing; a student will be invited to review a book of choice on the Morning Show by the Media Specialist each week for the remainder of the year). Previously recorded video of read aloud by member of leadership team (broadcast at 8:00 & 1:45)
Ward-Highlands	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. School administrators Read Aloud a video snippet of their favorite book during morning announcements. 2. Books Open Doors- Classrooms will choose their favorite book and decorate their door to show off the book. Winners will be chosen by grade levels and ESE. The winning classrooms will get 5 books for their classroom library. Winners will be announced on Fridays morning's announcements. 3. Get out and Read/ Buddy Reading Teachers and students will decide on which activity their class will participate in. If they choose "get out and read," then classes will go outside to the picnic tables and read independently, with a buddy or listen to a fun read aloud (class choice). If they choose "buddy reading", then teachers can buddy up with another class to allow students to buddy read with students from a different class.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2018

School	Event/Activity
Anthony	Read to a stuffed animal (animal must fit into the backpack).
Bellevue	School wide Reading Buddies: Upper Grades (3rd-5th) will pair with primary grades (PK-2) classes to have a reading buddy. Each student will be paired with someone during a common school-wide time to DROP EVERYTHING AND READ.
Dunnellon	Together Tuesday: We will partner classes from different grade levels to participate in a school wide buddy reading for 30 minutes. Book Fair open.





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Evergreen	<p>Ocala Civic Theater Literacy Tour (grades K-2)</p> <p>MYON Minutes Read Contest-Super Readers of the Week Recognition</p> <p>What Book is It? Trivia on Morning New Show</p> <p>Drop Everything And Read Time suggested read aloud Wonder by RJ Palacio</p> <p>"Find Yourself in a Book!" Create a book mark contest</p> <p>Caught You Reading Tickets</p>
Fessenden	<p>Spectacular Space Day!</p> <p>Wear something that shines and your sunglasses!</p> <p>Students will participate in "flashlight reading."</p> <p>Students will create writing pieces that "shine!"</p>
Fort McCoy	Story Book Character Day
Hammett Bowen	Ocala Civic Theater In-School Literacy Tour: The Giver
Horizon Academy	Students will take "shelfies" with the short story and their recreated covers.
Legacy	<p>Literacy "Music" from Storyline Online during lunch each day</p> <p>Reading Buddies- Upper grades read to lower grades.</p>
Maplewood	<p>Free Rice Competition---During Library Time throughout the week, students will come to the Media Center to play "Freerice.com". It is a vocabulary website that donates grains of rice for each correct answer. The rice is then donated to a needy community in a third world country. *With focus on spelling and vocabulary</p> <p>Bookmark Contest---Students will create a bookmark focusing on this year's Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida! 2018 theme "Find Yourself in a Book!" Winners will be announced on Tuesday, January 30th.</p>
Oakcrest	<p>Book Theme (Rivera reads book during breakfast): "100 Days of COOL" Day to celebrate the 100th day of school→ Wear your coolest shades</p> <p>*Door decorating contest → work on decorating door</p> <p>*Book Tasting (Wonderland Themed to highlight Lewis Carroll's birthday-Media Center w/ Mrs. Jennings) K-2nd</p> <p>*Students work on dream board/writing</p>





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Reddick Collier	<p>Book Character Bingo Day with Media Specialist, Ms. Gokee</p> <p>-Lunch-time readers on the stage in the cafeteria; faculty members will be able to sign up for time slots</p> <p>**Daily campus-wide Drop Everything and Read</p>
Saddlewood	Assistant Principal, Shanon Lafferty, will read a snippet of her favorite book on the morning announcements
Saddlewood	Read Across Saddlewood Day- Teachers and Students track pages read that day with a form that will be given out. We will tabulate the results and announce on the morning TV show how many pages Saddlewood reads in one day.
Sparr	<p>Classes may tour school to view the classroom displays.</p> <p>Media Center will provide a bookmark for each student to decorate.</p> <p>Guest reader on school-wide morning show.</p>
Sunrise	PowerPoint presentation of staff with their favorite book. Book review by student on the Morning Show followed by an invitation to students to write their own Reading Rainbow review (this will be ongoing; a student will be invited to review a book of choice on the Morning Show by the Media Specialist each week for the remainder of the year). Previously recorded video of read aloud by member of leadership team (broadcast at 8:00 & 1:45)
Ward-Highlands	Every Picture Tells a Story 1. School administrators Read Aloud a video snippet of their favorite book during morning announcements. 2. Buddy Reading with family— Tonight’s extra special reading will be to read to, and read with, a family member or family members. 3. K-1 Ocala Civic Theatre presents Andrea Beaty’s Rosie Revere, Engineer Series of books - please see Schedule from Lanza

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2018

School	Event/Activity
Anthony	Wild About Reading Wednesday- wear wild clothes and Buddy Reading – classes are paired up to engage in buddy reading. K & 3 rd , 1 st & 4 th , and 2 nd & 5 th





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Bellevue	Cookie Bookie: Students and staff will be permitted to bring a blanket/stuffed animal and read in classrooms, outside, grass areas, picnic tables, etc. while eating cookies. Students will do a reflection activity selected by teacher on their book (Opinion writing reflection)
Dunnellon	The Ocala Civic Theatre Literacy Tour will visit and present on campus. Book Fair open.
Evergreen	MYON Minutes Read Contest-Super Readers of the Week Recognition What Book is It? Trivia on Morning New Show Drop Everything And Read Time suggested read aloud Wonder by RJ Palacio "Find Yourself in a Book!" Create a book mark contest Caught You Reading Tickets
Fessenden	Literacy is Out of this World! The Ocala Civic Theatre will visit Fessenden today and tomorrow. Their Literacy Tour includes a presentation on The Giver by Lois Lowry today for our upper grades (4-5).
Fort McCoy	Video Skit
Hammett Bowen	Classrooms choose a picture book with a strong main character for a read aloud. Students can act out the character's actions, words and feelings. Then students write if they would or wouldn't want to be that character and why? Students can write an essay or make a poster/picture.
Horizon Academy	Students will choose a character and write a poem from one the character's points of view. The poem will recount or react to one of the events in the short story that impact the character
Legacy	Literacy "Music" from Storyline Online during lunch each day Dress up as favorite book character.
Maplewood	Wild About Reading Day! Students will wear wild and crazy mismatched clothes to show just how "Crazy" they are about reading. Drop Everything and Read (D.E.A.R.)---15 Minutes of reading during the instructional day.





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Oakcrest	<p>Book Theme(Rivera reads book during breakfast): “Fox in Socks” Day → Wear your craziest socks to school</p> <p>*Door decorating contest → work on decorating door</p> <p>*Poem in my pocket→ Students write a poem and carry in their pocket, at any given time administration, faculty, or staff can stop a student and ask them to read their poem in their pocket. Students will collect signatures for every time they read their poem. Prizes will be given for amount of signatures collected. Students will also be given a chance to read their poem during lunch time.</p> <p>*Students work on dream board/writing</p>
Reddick Collier	<p>Guest Readers: i.e. local community members Reddick Mayor, local firefighters, school board members, etc. to campus to read in classrooms</p> <p>**Daily campus-wide Drop Everything and Read</p>
Saddlewood	<p>Dean, Dee Westfall, will read a snippet of her favorite book on the morning announcements.</p>
Saddlewood	<p>Read and Feed- Students may wear pajamas all day to school. They may also bring snacks. Reading will take place all day and students will be able to take AR tests throughout the day.</p>
Sparr	<p>School wide buddy reading. Primary grades will partner with intermediate grades for a shared buddy reading experience.</p> <p>Guest reader on school-wide morning show.</p>
Sunrise	<p>PowerPoint presentation of staff with their favorite book. Book review by student on the Morning Show followed by an invitation to students to write their own Reading Rainbow review (this will be ongoing; a student will be invited to review a book of choice on the Morning Show by the Media Specialist each week for the remainder of the year). Previously recorded video of read aloud by member of leadership team (broadcast at 8:00 & 1:45)</p>





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Ward-Highlands	<p>Reading Rocks So Wear Funny Socks</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. School administrators Read Aloud a video snippet of their favorite book during morning announcements. 2. Students and staff will wear silly socks to celebrate reading. 3. In addition, before the morning show there will be a special reading of Fox in Sox by your favorite media specialist. 4. Grades 2-3 Ocala Civic Theatre presents Andrea Beaty's, <u>Rosie Revere, Engineer</u> series of books- please see Schedule from Lanza
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 2018

School	Event/Activity
Anthony	Ocala Civic Theater, Literacy Tour presents: Rosie Revere, Engineer to K-2 students
Belleview	<p>Making Connections Linking Chains: Each class will choose a book or short story and determine its THEME. Each class will be provided a "LINK" to decorate as they desire. The link will include the following information: 1) Book/Story Title, 2) Author, 3) Theme. The linking chain will be displayed at a specified location giving students/staff an opportunity to watch the chain grow. Making connections links can be added throughout the year.</p>





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Dunnellon	The Ocala Civic Theatre Literacy Tour will visit and present on campus. Book Fair open.
Evergreen	Sock it to Reading-students and staff wear crazy socks Book Buddies-classes pair up and read MYON Minutes Read Contest-Super Readers of the Week Recognition What Book is It? Trivia on Morning New Show Drop Everything And Read Time suggested read aloud Wonder by RJ Palacio "Find Yourself in a Book!" Create a book mark contest Caught You Reading Tickets
Fessenden	The Ocala Civic Theatre will present Rosie Revere, Engineer Series by Andrea Beaty for our primary students today (K-3). "Read Under the Stars!" Family Literacy Night 5:00-7:00 Visitors will get the opportunity to "read under the stars" as they visit the Discovery Science Center's StarLab. Family Literacy Night will also include food, literacy stations to visit and door prizes.
Fort McCoy	Book Themed Door Contest





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Hammett Bowen	Fairy Tale and Poetry Day- Classrooms will choose Fairy Tales or Poems for a read aloud. As a class, find and chart interesting words and phrases you hear or discover. Have students read for at least 15 minutes.
Horizon Academy	Students will partner with other classmates. They will choose a scene from the short story and convert the scene into a short skit. Students will act out the skits.
Legacy	Bedtime Stories Family Event- 5:30pm at school Literacy "Music" from Storyline Online during lunch each day.
Maplewood	Guess How Many Books in the Library Contest---The student closest to the number of books will win a Prize.





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<p>Oakcrest</p>	<p>Book Theme(Rivera reads book during breakfast): “Oh the Places You’ll Go” Day → Come “Dressed for Success” to school *Door decorating contest → Finish door by 3:45pm for judging (winning class will receive special treat tomorrow) *Book Tasting (Wonderland Themed to highlight Lewis Carroll’s birthday-Media Center w/ Mrs. Jennings) 3-5th *Career Day (Organized by Sud/Nisbett) *Students finish dream board-return to Mrs. Rivera to display at Literacy Night by 2:45pm in the cafeteria **Literacy Night 5:30-7:00pm→ “Family Dream Night”</p>
<p>Reddick Collier</p>	<p>Reading Buddies-5th with 2nd, 4th with 1st, and 3rd with Kinder/Pre-K -STEAM Family Night that evening, will have a literacy-based station to incorporate literacy in the event **Daily campus-wide Drop Everything and Read</p>
<p>Saddlewood</p>	<p>Students will be on the morning announcements, 1 from each grade level. They will show their favorite book and explain why it is their favorite</p>
<p>Saddlewood</p>	<p>Fairy Tale and Non-Fiction Day- Classrooms will choose a Fairy Tale to read and then a Non-Fiction book to accompany it. (EX.- Fairy Tale (Snow White) paired with Non-Fiction (Castles).</p>
<p>Sparr</p>	<p>Dedication and revealing of Little Free Library in front of Sparr Elementary School at 1:00. Guest reader on school-wide morning show.</p>
<p>Sunrise</p>	<p>PowerPoint presentation of staff with their favorite book. Book review by student on the Morning Show followed by an invitation to students to write their own Reading Rainbow review (this will be ongoing; a student will be invited to review a book of choice on the Morning Show by the Media Specialist each week for the remainder of the year). Previously recorded video of read aloud by member of leadership team (broadcast at 8:00 & 1:45)</p>
<p>Ward-Highlands</p>	<p>D.E.A.R.(Drop Everything and Read) Marathon 1. School administrators Read Aloud a video snippet of their favorite book during morning announcements. 2. Everyone on campus will stop and read for 20 minutes today. 3. Classroom teacher will choose a read aloud for the class and read during the instructional day.</p>





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FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 2018

School	Event/Activity
Anthony	Voting takes place for “Who Read It Better?” staff contest and Ocala Civic Theater, Literacy Tour presents: The Giver to 3 rd -5 th grade students
Belleview	Story Book Character Day Parade: Students and staff will dress up as their favorite story book character. Teachers may extend this to Oral Book Report/Living Library Presentations.
Dunnellon	Favorite Book Character Friday: Students and teachers will dress up like their favorite book character. Book Fair open.
Evergreen	Ocala Civic Theater Literacy Tour (grades 3-5) Popcorn & Punch “Booknic” in the Media Center (classes can come and read in the media center of this day) MYON Minutes Read Contest-Super Readers of the Week Recognition What Book is It? Trivia on Morning New Show Drop Everything And Read Time suggested read aloud Wonder by RJ Palacio “Find Yourself in a Book!” Create a book mark contest Caught You Reading Tickets
Fessenden	“Read Across the Galaxy!” Fessenden will skype with special visitors from across the “galaxy.”
Fort McCoy	Share published book
Hammett Bowen	Let’s Get Even Smarter & Read, Read, Read- Teachers kick it off with an Informational Text: Brainstorm questions the class wants answered for more information on that topic! Students track pages read that day with a form that will be given out. We will tabulate Total Class Results and announce on the morning TV show or intercom how many pages read in one day. (Students can bring a snack.)





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Horizon Academy	Students will rewrite the ending of a short story. Elementary only: Dress as a character from your favorite book.
Legacy	Literacy "Music" from Storyline Online during lunch each day Announce Door Contest Winners! Book Swap Event
Maplewood	Bingo Reading Challenge (different genres) for the whole month of January. Winners of the Bingo Reading Challenge will be announced on Morning Announcements during Literacy Week.
Oakcrest	<p>Book Theme(Rivera reads book during breakfast): "Cat in the Hat" Day- Wear your favorite hat to school</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Door decorating class treat for winners *Book Tasting (Wonderland Themed to highlight Lewis Carroll's birthday-Media Center w/ Mrs. Jennings) 3-5th *Buddy Reading → 3-5th grade teachers can pair up with K-2nd grade class and buddy read. 3-5th grade students can pair up with a partner and choose one of their favorite books that is easy for them to read. Create and write down 3-5 comprehension questions to take with them. They will read to a group of younger students and engage in questioning. This is a great opportunity to discuss leadership and how to be a good role model for the younger students.
Reddick Collier	Author Study Day-each teacher will choose one author to study and create lessons based upon that author throughout the day **Daily campus-wide Drop Everything and Read
Saddlewood	Dress up as your favorite book character.
Saddlewood	Character Dress Up Day- Dress up as your Favorite character from a book. (Costumes must be a character from a book, no weapons of any kind are to be included with the costume).





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Sunrise	PowerPoint presentation of staff with their favorite book. Book review by student on the Morning Show followed by an invitation to students to write their own Reading Rainbow review (this will be ongoing; a student will be invited to review a book of choice on the Morning Show by the Media Specialist each week for the remainder of the year). Previously recorded video of read aloud by member of leadership team (broadcast at 8:00 & 1:45)
Ward-Highlands	We have Character-Character Dress Up Day <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. School administrators Read Aloud a video snippet of their favorite book during morning announcements.2. Students select a favorite character from a book to bring to life. Students dress-up to represent the character.3. 4th and 5th Grade Ocala Civic Theatre brings a presentation of Lois Lowry's the book The Giver - please see Schedule from Lanza

