



Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida!

January 24-28, 2022

District: Gadsden

January 24 th -28 th	Suggested School-wide Activities
<p style="text-align: center;">Monday, January 24th</p>	<p>Elementary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Tree of Books” Media Contest: Faculty, staff and students will begin the “Tree of Book” media contest highlighting their favorite books and authors. Students must complete assigned book templates summarizing books. Classes with the most book templates by the end of the week will be the winners of the contest. A class winner will be selected per grade level. • “Million Minute Marathon”: School-wide reading for twenty minutes <p>Secondary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Take the Reader’s Oath”: Students will take the Reader’s Oath to promise to spend more time reading. • “Poetry Jam”: Students will analyze selected poem in ELA classes and submit original poetry.
<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday, January 25th</p>	<p>Elementary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Books Brighten Our Lives”: Students will wear neon colors attire to show support of literacy. Selected intermediated grade level students will read books from our accelerated reader selection to our primary classes. • “Launch Into Literacy” Door Decorating Challenge: Each class will decorate classroom door in creative “Launch Into Literacy” themes. <p>Secondary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Mystery Reader”: A mystery reader will present a selection from his/her favorite book over the school’s sound system.

	<p>Students will then have an opportunity to guess the mystery reader by placing names in the secured “Mystery Reader’s Box”. Mystery readers will consist of District level administrators, community leaders and school personnel.</p>
<p>Wednesday, January 26th</p>	<p>Elementary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Leaders are Readers”: Each teacher will invite a district and community stakeholder to read to his/her class. Students will meet key leaders in the community while they share their love of reading. • “Wear Words Wednesday”: Students will wear a school appropriate shirt with words to support literacy. <p>Secondary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Drop Everything and Read” Students wear business attire of their desired careers representing their preparation to be successful scholars and future leaders. Students will read selected books related to their desired career path and write an essay explaining their career goals.
<p>Thursday, January 27th</p>	<p>Elementary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Blast Off Into New Worlds: Reading Ties Us Together”: Faculty, staff and students wear ties to show support in literacy. <p>Secondary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Reading Sends A Positive Message: Positive Vibes Only”: Faculty, staff and students wear positive message t-shirts or hoodies for others to read throughout the day to promote other sources of literature.
<p>Friday, January 28th</p>	<p>Elementary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Dress-Up Day”: Faculty, staff and students will dress up as their favorite book characters. • Door Decoration Contest Judging Day: Judges will consist of district and community stakeholders. <p>Secondary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Literacy on the Lawn”: Faculty, staff and students will display literacy talents in the form of rap, poetry, drama, skits, etc. • Short poems will be read over the school’s sound system throughout the day by staff and students to promote literacy.