

Read To Me!



Reading aloud with your child teaches them the joy of books and give them the skills to be successful readers. Reading together helps children build listening skills, vocabulary and imagination. If your child already reads on his/her own, try sitting down for a family reading time in which everyone reads their own books. Reading is a wonderful way to spend time with your child and can be one anytime and anywhere. So, grab a book and get started!

If at least 80% of parents and students agree to read together at least twice a week, Pierce School will provide a special treat for students and their families!

When reading with your child:

- Don't worry if you are not a strong reader. Use your own words. Tell the story from the pictures or have your child tell the story. It's more important that they hear your voice and that you both enjoy each other's company.
 - Let your child help choose the book you will read together.
 - For older children, read a chapter a night together before bed.
 - Some days you may just feel too tired to read. Try listening to an audio book together and talk about the story.
 - **Reading is fun! You can travel anywhere in the world by just reading about it.**
 - **And, it is never too early or too late to start reading with your child!**
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Please sign the below contract and send it back to school by October 15th

We have read the Read to Me Contract together and will do our best to share stories at least twice a week throughout the year.

Child's Signature

Parent's Signature

