



November Reading Record



To the Teacher:

The information provided is designed as a home reading program. The suggested time for students to read is 15-20 minutes, 5 nights per week.

At the end of each week, students return a signed slip that contains the number of minutes read and the selections that were read. (Note: The slip must be signed by a parent/guardian for the student to get credit.)

A suggested way of displaying the record of reading is the use of a bulletin board with the turkey cutouts. Each student cuts and colors a turkey at the beginning of the month. The turkeys are then displayed on the bulletin board (with the student's name on the front). A feather is colored and added each week that a reading slip is brought back. (To save time, an option is to run the turkeys and feathers on colored paper.) Students are able to bring in the slips, even if they are late, but the slips must be signed. (Keep in mind that the goal is for students to read.) The fifth feather is added when all 4 weeks are completed.

Certificates are provided for those students completing the entire month of reading. Consider other incentives that you might want to add to the program.

- Holiday pencils
- Holiday erasers
- Special stickers
- Lunch in the room with the teacher (if permitted at the school site)
- Homework pass (for things other than reading)

