

Literacy in Action

2018 - 2019: Quarter 2

This quarterly newsletter on literacy is brought to you by the WMS Literacy Team.

2018 – 2019 Literacy Theme: GAME ON!





STAY MOTIVATED,

we are halfway through the school year!

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Literacy Leaders

Check out these leaders from Mrs. Ard's 8th grade science class! They have incorporated literacy skills into much of their work during the second quarter. These budding scientists are composing infographics about electromagnetic waves as a final project. They are able to show what they know through writing and creativity!

WHY CON'T I SKIP MY 20 MINUTES OF REODING TONIGHT?

Student A reads 20 minutes each day

*3600 minutes in a school year

*1,800,000 words

*Scores in the 90th percentile on state tests.

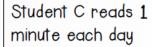


Student B reads 5 minutes each day

*900 minutes in a school year

*282,000 words

*Scores in the 50th percentile on state tests.



*180 minutes in a school year

*8,000 words

*Scores in the 10th percentile on state tests.





If they start reading for 20 minutes per night in Kindergarten, by the end of 6th grade, Student A will have read for the equivalent of 60 school days, .Student B will have read for 12 school days, and Student C will have read for 3.

It all adds up. Want to be a better reader? Simply Read.

Save the Date!

January 14, 2018 8th Grade Parent Night at WHS (Cafeteria) 6:30PM

DO YOU OWN A BUSINESS IN WOODRUFF? ARE YOU A COMMUNITY MEMBER LOOKING TO BECOME MORE INVOLVED?

WMS IS ALWAYS SEEKING NEW

LITERACY PARTNERS!

PLEASE CONTACT MEAGAN WAGNER, LITERACY COACH FOR MORE INFORMATION ON BECOMING A LITERACY PARTER 476-3150 EXT. 3545

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