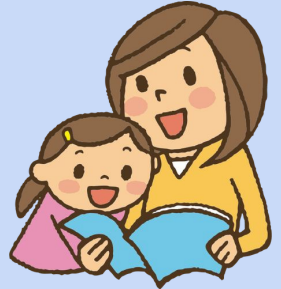


MECC Family Literacy Night!

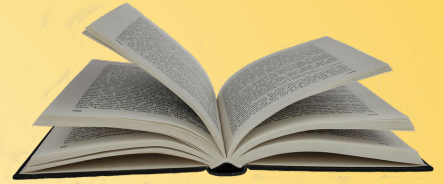
Benefits of Reading to Your Child

- Language is modeled for them like:
 - ◆ Reading sounds like talking
 - ◆ Your voice changes with punctuation, bolded words, etc.
 - ◆ Expression is modeled with dialogue as you change the sound of your voice with different characters just for fun
- You get to enjoy books together
 - ◆ Build your child's background knowledge and vocabulary- -making connections and associations
 - ◆ Talk about what the author may have wanted you to learn from the story or information
 - ◆ Create a special time with parent/guardian or others





Reading.....



*Here are some things to talk about when reading a **fiction** book with your child:*

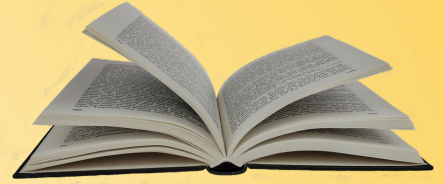
Before Reading: Talk about the cover, ask what they think the book might be about.

During Reading: Pause and talk about what is happening in the story, make some predictions of what will happen next.

After Reading: Ask questions about the story such as: How did the characters feel? How did the story make them feel? What was a part they liked or didn't like? (I notice...)



Reading.....



*Here are some things to talk about when reading a **nonfiction** book with your child:*

Before Reading: Talk about the cover. Ask what they know about the topic or what they might learn.

During Reading: Pause and talk about what was read. What are some questions they have about what they've read. ("I wonder...?")

After Reading: Ask questions about the book. What is the book mostly about (main idea)? What did they learn? What was a part they liked or didn't like? What might they still want to know about the topic?

Click the links below to visit these websites and listen to stories online!

**“Free
Childrens
Stories”**



**“Storyline
Online”**



“Epic!”



**“Just Books
Read Aloud”**





Summer Reading!



Summer Reading with **Middleboro Public Library!**

<https://midlib.beanstack.org/reader365>

Here is a link to Middleboro Public Library's Calendar of events. There are different events throughout the whole summer! <https://www.midlib.org/calendar/month>

With a Library Card: Access to Tumblebooks & Lote 4 Kids

Amanda Meyer
Children's Librarian
Middleborough Public Library
102 North Main Street
Middleborough, MA 02346

Here is a link to the Middleboro Public Library Kid's Homepage:

<https://midlib.org/kids-homepage>

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Literacy Bags

From the Library:

- Why Summer Reading is Important
- 2024 Summer Events & Summer Reading Program
- Learning to Read
- Ways to help your Reader



From the School:

- Reading at home makes a difference!
- Reading fiction and nonfiction books
- Summer Reading Bingo
- Mini Flashlight and Glow Stick

Cozy Reading Time!

Let's turn down the
Lights!!!



- Look at your bag and find the number. Go to the campsite that has that number on a book bin.
- Take out your child's flashlight and get cozy with whatever you brought!
- Students can read to their families

Or

Parents/guardians can read to their child and think about before, during and after the story together.



MECC Little Free Library!

Thank you to the 2021-2022 MECC PTA for making this happen!! Our little free library (located in the back of the school by the Pre-K entrance) is up and stocked!

We want to make sure all our families have access to age appropriate books.

The PTA has graciously donated books to keep this library stocked. Take a book, give a book and share the love of reading!

Thank you to our PTA

*For sponsoring this Family Literacy Night Event
Don't forget to visit the Book Fair on Family Night!*



*The book fair will be
open until 7 o'clock
tonight
if you have not been
able to visit yet!*

Thank you...

to our PTA, Ms. Amanda, all of our teachers and others who volunteered, Sean Siciliano and tech crew, Ms. Jennifer and Ms. Jess in the office, Mr. Gobeil, our custodians, Mrs. Bagnell and Ms. Sheila from MPS Food Services, and to all our families for helping your children to read!

Basket 1

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**Check your
tickets!!!!**

Thank you for
coming!

Have a good
night!