

## JANUARY READING CALENDAR

Welcome again to language arts at Seven Hills. We work hard to get the most out of each and every boy, raise the bar high, and inspire and challenge the students in their reading and writing. A major component of our approach, inspired by Nancie Atwell's In The Middle, is nightly reading of student self-selected literature. Each boy should read 6 out of every 7 nights, Sunday through Saturday. Their reading should be literature, fiction or non-fiction. Picture books, graphic novels, magazines, or newspapers are wonderful entertainment, but do not fit the parameters of this assignment. Please contact Coach Rowe ([drowe@7hillsschool.org](mailto:drowe@7hillsschool.org)) if you have questions.

Students must read for a total of **at least three hours each week**. Students **initial** nightly when they read and **include time spent reading** (students must read at least 15 minutes on 6 of 7 nights and may not count more than one hour on one day). At the end of each week, parents affirm the reading with a **weekly initial and a weekly total**. Students show when they start and stop a book. Without all required elements, the document is incomplete.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	Parents Initial Below and Total
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	WEEK 1 <hr/>
							TOTAL:
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	WEEK 2 <hr/>
							TOTAL:
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	WEEK 3 <hr/>
							TOTAL:
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	WEEK 4 <hr/>
							TOTAL:

Monthly Total: \_\_\_\_\_/24 (6 nights x 4 weeks)

**BRIDGE 2 & 8<sup>th</sup> GRADE**: Turn in this calendar on **Wednesday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>**.

**BRIDGE 1, 6<sup>th</sup> GRADE, & 7<sup>th</sup> GRADE**: Turn in this calendar on **Tuesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>**.