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## Weekly Home Reading Log Due: Mondays

(Logs are not accepted after 3<sup>rd</sup> day of school week)

Date	Title	Minutes Read	Specific Genre
MONDAY			
TUESDAY			
WEDNESDAY			
THURSDAY			
FRIDAY			
SATURDAY			
SUNDAY			

I have read a total of _	minutes this week
Parent Signature:	Date:

Panther Paw Rewards

4 paws = 140 + minutes

3 paws = 120-139 minutes

## Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

Your 4th grade student's reading log is a weekly requirement and will reflect not only on your child's reading ability, but is a "Completes Work on Time" grade on the trimester report card. It is also a proven benefit to have your child read at least 120 minutes a week outside the classroom environment. Better readers are students that read often. Students who read outside of class time and turn in a signed and completed reading log by the Due Date at the top of the log will earn Panther Paws that can be redeemed at our Friday class store for rewards. Logs are not accepted after Wednesday of the week they are due (exceptions for illness). Please encourage your child to read at home and earn Panther Paws. Although daily reading is encouraged, teachers know that families are busy. With this in mind, students are allowed to "bank" minutes within a week. This means that if they skip a night's reading, they can read more minutes on another night.

Any outside, independent reading can count towards log minutes. Some examples are school or class library books/ebooks, cookbooks, comics, graphic novels, instructional manuals, and fiction/nonfiction books. Students are required to have at least 2 choice books at school every day and they visit the school library weekly. We have a wide variety of levels and genres of books in the classroom that students are able to check out and take home as well.

A parent/guardian signature is required on each weekly reading log. Thank you and please contact me if you have any questions.

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