



Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida!
“Spreading Literacy, One View at a Time”
January 28 - February 1, 2019
Sumter District Schools

This is a sampling of various activities planned throughout the week.

Monday 1/28/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Oh, the Places you’ll Go” day (Students wear college shirt.) • “Chalk the Walk” day (Students draw their favorite book on the sidewalk.) • “Fans of Reading” day (Students wear school colors or sports team shirt.) • Poetry Wall day (Students submit their original poetry to be displayed on the poetry wall.) • Camouflage day (Students wear camouflage as they “hunt” for a book to read.)
Tuesday 1/29/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hat day (Students wear a hat to represent their future.) • Reading Buddies • “Read My Shirt” day (Students wear a shirt with a school-appropriate phrase.) • “Biography Tuesday” (Students dress as a person from a favorite biography.) • “Chalk the Walk” day (Students decorate the sidewalks in chalk about their favorite storybook.) • “Team-up Tuesday” (Students wear their favorite team apparel.) • “Amnesty Day” (Students return a lost/overdue book for a treat.) • Guest author will give a book talk along with a Q&A session • “Face Swapping with Books” challenge in media center
Wednesday 1/30/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Fishing for a Good Book” day (Students wear fishing clothes.) • Book Read Aloud on O365 WWES Channel • “Team up with a Good Book” day (Students wear a favorite sports team shirt.) • “Be one with a Book” day (Students dress as a favorite fictional character.) • “Book Buddy” day (Intermediate classes pair with primary classes and read outside.) • “Twin” day (Students dress up as their favorite storybook character.) • Teachers display “What are you reading” signs on every teacher’s door. • High school students visit BES to read with 2nd graders
Thursday 1/31/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character Day (Students dress as their favorite book character.) • “You and Me – Under a Tree” Day (Students get to read outside.) • “Reading is My Superpower!” day (Student dress as a literacy superhero.) • Pre-K story time in media center • “S’more Reading” Literacy Week AR night for families to read and make s’mores while earning AR points • “Score with Books” day (Students wear their favorite team jersey.) • Literacy Poster (6th period classes complete a poster with a literary term for a school-wide word wall.) • “Thinking Thursday” (Students will listen to an administrator read an excerpt from a favorite book and students will compete to submit the title/author of the excerpt for an award.) • AVID high school students visit BES to reading with various grade levels. • Sock puppet play presented for Tiny Tots in media center.

<p>Friday 2/1/19</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Flashlight Friday” (Students wear PJs and bring flashlights to read.) • “Book-Nic” (Students get a sack lunch and get to read during a school wide picnic at lunch.) • “Feed Your Dreams with Books” day (Students wear PJs and read.) with optional “Books and Brownies@ Bedtime” treat for readers • “Hunting for a Good Book” day (Students wear camouflage.) • “Well Read Students” day (Students will wear the color read to show that they are good readers.) • “Share my Favorite Book” day (During 6th period, teachers and students will share their favorite book and why it is a favorite.) • Book Swap in media center in which students bring in gently used books to swap for a new book (used books will be donated to a local shelter)
<p>Week long activities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design a bookmark, weeklong contest • Reading/Literacy/AR Projects completed and displayed in the Media Center • Student book recommendations on daily morning announcements • Drop Everything and Read (DEAR) at various times during the school day • Key school staff reading aloud their favorite books via video clips <p><u>Elementary only</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Media Center Giveaways • Mystery reader on Morning Show • Guest readers in the classrooms • Classroom book-a-thons <p><u>Secondary only</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholastic Book Fair • Weeklong book scavenger hunt • Book door design contest • “Caught Reading” tickets • Reading graffiti wall in the media center (Students write their favorite books on the chalk wall.) • Guess the number of books in the media center • Every book checked out is a ticket for a prize drawing at week’s end • Book trailers • Speed dating with a book in the media center • Design a book character weeklong contest