Jackson County Sampler Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida! January 27-31, 2020 Theme: "Book Your Trip! Adventure Awaits!"	
On-Going Events	 Poetry Contest: ELA teachers will promote a poetry contest for students in grades 6- 12. All submissions (previewed by teacher) will be displayed in foyer. Poems should be theme based or illustrate the importance of literacy in life. Submissions due by Wednesday, January 29th. Overall winners selected by ELA group. (Students work on at home) Students can make poster supporting literacy or of an original book cover for their favorite book (displayed in foyer and then in library) (Students work on at home - winner TBA) Author quotes read by student/admin throughout week on morning announcements. Students will be given a "passport." If they participate, they will bring their passport to the library to get stamped. Prizes will be given for participation at the end of the week. Thursday and Friday mornings, CHS BETA Students will be visiting classrooms to read to our students. Our CES BETA Students will also be visiting some of our younger classrooms to read individually with students.
Monday, January 27 nd	 20 minutes of reading time in ELA classes and any other class that wishes to participate. Books Can Take You Far Away! We are giving away nonfiction books about other countries today! Students whose names are drawn from each class will get to pick a giveaway book!
Tuesday, January 28 rd	 Students can come to library to make their own book marks. (materials for book marks will be supplied by Mrs. Ohler) Book trailers playing in library to promote literacy. Reading Takes Us Places – Dress up as a tacky tourist Testimonial Tuesday – Where has reading taken you? Write a paragraph telling us about your very favorite book and its setting. Where and when did the story take place? How did the setting help make this book your favorite?
Wednesday, January 29 th	 Dress Up: CHS is well REaD- everyone can wear a red shirt for literacy/education. Must wear with jeans or khakis. WEAR RED for GUEST READERS – SES will host guest readers to visit classrooms and read a favorite book. We encourage everyone to wear red to show that SES is WELL READ.
Thursday, January 30 th	 Dress Up: Safari/Hunting Adventure Day: students/teachers wear camo or animal print Junior Beta will travel to CES to read to classes during first/second period.
Friday, January 31 st	 Reading Lifts Our Spirits! - everyone can wear a spirit shirt for CHS or favorite team. Must wear with jeans or khakis. AR prizes for top students currently in Renaissance Place SHOEBOX FLOAT PARADE – Shoeboxes representing favorite books will be created and paraded throughout campus, led by a drum corps. Explorer Day! Students can dress up as explorers! Their pictures will be posted as a group on the school website!

**Prizes to include, candy, food, books/posters, movie passes, etc.

