



Dear Parents and Families:

Reading for pleasure unlocks the power of information and imagination and helps children discover who they are. Here's what you can do to help children develop stronger reading skills and a love for reading:

- Set the example. Let children see you read.
- Have a collection of books in your home. Update this collection routinely to keep pace with changing tastes and reading skills.
- **Support our school's Book Fair. Allow your children to choose their own books to read.**

Our Scholastic Book Fair will bring the books kids want to read right into our school. It's a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reading level. Please make plans to visit our Book Fair and be involved in shaping your child's reading habits.

**Book Fair dates:** Tuesday November 8<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday November 16<sup>th</sup>

**Shopping hours:** 8:30am-4:15pm

**Except:** November 8<sup>th</sup> opening time: 10:30am

November 16<sup>th</sup> closing time: 3:00pm

**Special activities:** *Donuts and Books!*

*Tracks 2 and 4*

Thursday November 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:45AM-9:00am

*Tracks 1 and 3*

Tuesday November 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:45am-9:00am

If you are unable to attend the Fair in person, you can visit our online Book Fair at [scholastic.com/fair](http://scholastic.com/fair). Our online Fair is available from Wednesday November 2<sup>nd</sup> to Tuesday November 15<sup>th</sup>

Volunteer information is available at

<http://www.jdepta.com/volunteer.html>

Or you can sign up at

[www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C094AACA72DA3F85-bookaneer](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/10C094AACA72DA3F85-bookaneer)

We look forward to seeing you and your family at our Book Fair!

Sincerely,

Rob Bendel,  
JDE Principal