

## May 2024 LP \& PV Students are Lovin' Literacy @ Home!

Goal for Early Childhood-5th Grade: Read or be read to for $\mathbf{2 0}$ minutes or more each day!
Reading just 20 minutes a day with your child will expose them to over 1.8 million new words a year. (Book-It Newsletter, 2016.)

Special Note! Tracking reading minutes through goal setting can be good for some but for others, it might feel like once the timer is up, our kids will just stop reading, mid-sentence. If that is the case, instead of reading by minutes, try to suggest reading to certain pages or chapters or (with younger children) a number of books (equalling $20+$ minutes). The goal is to develop healthy reading habits, rather than to countdown from a timer. Please encourage reading however it works best for your child/family!
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Parents/Guardians of EARLY READERS: Students can read
one of three ways:

1) Read the words
2) Read the pictures
3) Retell the story.

Your child can color the box or put on a sticker to show he/she met the goal, if that is preferred.

## What are you most

 proud of yourself about, as a reader, this month?[^0]$\qquad$ Teacher $\qquad$ Parent Signature $\qquad$


[^0]:    (Calendars are due on the first school day of the next month.) Students will have their pictures taken and displayed. Students who turn in calendars late are not guaranteed a picture. Pizza Hut's Book-lt coupons ended in March, but it's still so important to keep reading!

