

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 up 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 is a reading event that brings 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: Monday, March 4<sup>th</sup> – Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup> Shopping hours: Monday, 9-4pm, Tues, Wed, Fri 11-12:30pm, 3:30-4:15, Thurs 1-8pm

**NEW digital payment option: Book Fair eWallet!** Now your student can shop the Fair cash-free! Visit our Book Fair homepage to learn more and to create an account. <u>http://www.scholastic.com/bf/gardenplace</u>. Your child will also be bringing home the book fair scholastic magazine.

If you are unable to attend the Fair in person, we invite you to visit our online Book Fair at **scholastic.com/fair**.

We look forward to seeing you and your family at our Book Fair! Remember, all purchases benefit our school.

Sincerely,

Andrea Renteria Principal

