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Harford County Reading Council

Maryland Reading Month

January 2010



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<p>Happy New Year! Wishing you a wonderful year filled with unforgettable books!</p>	<p>Set yourself a goal. See how many books you can read this month.</p>	<p>Make a special reading area at home to use for MD Reading Month</p>	<p>1 Make a list of topics you will read about this year.</p>	<p>2 Have fun with your family. Read together.</p>
<p>3 Read a menu. Plan a meal.</p>	<p>4 READ READ READ READ READ READ READ READ</p>	<p>5 Invite someone you love to read with you.</p>	<p>6 Read some poems. Choose one to illustrate.</p>	<p>7 What is the main idea of the last book you read? Do you know any other books like it?</p>	<p>8 Make a reading chain. Write the title of a favorite book on each link of a paper chain.</p>	<p>9 Widen your horizons. Go to the library and get some great new books to read.</p>
<p>10 Read aloud to someone special.</p>	<p>11 Count the number of times you read when you are NOT at school.</p>	<p>12 Read a map. Look for some interesting place names.</p>	<p>13 Carry a book with you all day long, and read, read, read.</p>	<p>14 Read about a famous person today!</p>	<p>15 Go online and read about your favorite author.</p>	<p>16 Play a game such as Trivial Pursuit or Scrabble with your family or friends.</p>
<p>17 Be a savvy shopper. Read the ads this weekend and find some bargains you might want or need.</p>	<p>18 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Read about Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.</p>	<p>19 Turn off the TV, put away the video games, and READ instead!</p>	<p>20 Read some recipes. Choose one to try.</p>	<p>21 EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT TO READ!</p>	<p>22 It's time to "buddy up". Find a reading buddy to read with today.</p>	<p>23 Read a newspaper.</p>
<p>24 Fiction or non-fiction? Which do you prefer and why?</p>	<p>25 Poetry Slam! Write and /or recite a poem.</p>	<p>26 Read a book by our Visiting author, Laurence Pringle!</p>	<p>27 Read some text about another country or culture.</p>	<p>28 Try a reading website like www.starfall.com</p>	<p>29 Trade a book with a friend.</p>	<p>30 Read a magazine article today!</p>