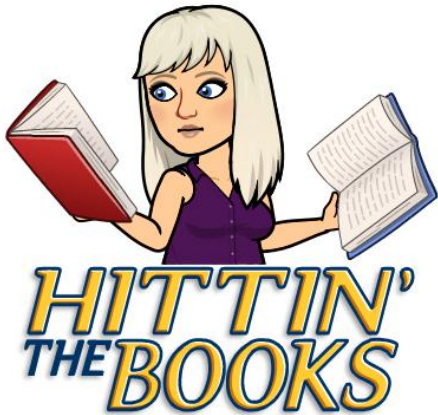


# Home Reading Program



Daily reading is an important part of your child's development and progress throughout their schooling. We will be trying to read daily in our classroom this year, but students also need to read daily at home. On Monday (or the first day of the school week) your child will bring home 5-7 books for the week. These need to be returned the first day of the following week, so students can get new books. These books, along with books you have at home, **EPIC (class code: rsh8469)** and **ReadWorks (Gr. 4 class code: Q5RPJ4 & Gr. 5 class code: ACY2FH)** can be used for reading 15-20 minutes every night.

If your child reads at home, I ask that you sign the date on the calendar in your child's agenda. This is found at the front of each month. Quite often I will get inquiries about how easy the books are at home. These books are at your child's independent reading level (that means it should be easy), to help build your child's confidence with reading. We will be working with your child at their instructional reading level in class to help them move up in reading levels throughout the year. If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know by calling the school or sending me an email.

Thank-you, Joanne Calder