



Celebrate Literacy Week, Florida!

January 23-27, 2023

District: Seminole County Public Schools

The following contains a sampling of activities from across the district's elementary, middle, and high schools. Each school site plans their own activities.

<p>Monday, January 23rd</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading is “FIN-tastic!” Students will receive a shark themed bookmark for use during independent reading. • Poem creation day for a contest with winners to be announced on Friday. • The school will begin a book drive by encouraging students to donate used books to be given to a local children’s place.
<p>Tuesday, January 24th</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will wear blue in keeping with the water theme. They will enjoy a book while buddy reading. • Decorate your ELA teacher’s door with your favorite book or character. • Dress as your favorite literary character or author.
<p>Wednesday, January 25th</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Clarify Wednesday” Good readers clarify text as they read. A special guest will demonstrate the strategy on the morning announcements. • “Deep Dive into Florida Waters” Classroom visits from Florida Fish and Wildlife as students read accompanying informational text. • “Be a Literary Sleuth” Teachers will give clues for students to guess their favorite book.
<p>Thursday, January 26th</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Reading Under the Sea” Students will have the opportunity to read with blue/green flashlights. • “Celebrate with a Splash” Dress with party attire and allow time for students to read self- selected books silently in class. • “Poetry Alive” Teachers will share their favorite poems.
<p>Friday, January 27th</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bring a beach towel to “chill out” and read a good book. • Students that received tickets for being caught reading throughout the week will trade in their tickets for prizes as lunch. • “Open Mic Poetry Jam” Students will reading their original pre-approved poems during lunch.