



The purpose of the Rise to Read program is to provide students with a print-rich environment, coupled with teacher and student-led activities, in order to facilitate reading. The Rise to Read program will also include school based activities to increase the time students spend reading which we anticipate will lead to improved reading achievement.

Program activities:

1. Purchase each students 2 books of their choice through Follett
2. Build classroom libraries in content areas
 - a. Conduct a student interest survey to assist in classroom library collections
 - b. Use content area curriculum when choosing classroom library materials
3. Conduct teacher-led book clubs
4. Open the media center before school and during lunch
 - a. Provide print materials such as magazines and books
5. Utilyze Beanstack (on Launchpad) for students to log books read, compete with other students, and write in reading journals
6. Cross curricular D.E.A.R. (Drop Everything And Read)
7. Student led podcasts about books they have read
8. Student publications and advertisements about books
9. Student led book blog
10. Teacher training in Close Reading and other strategies
 - a. Provide teachers with training materials and supplemental materials for classroom instruction
11. Purchase educational magazines for students

Use this [Link](#) to review the book titles that will be added to our school library. The spreadsheet includes all the newly purchased books that are available for student check-out from classroom libraries using the Beanstack app, as well as our school library using Destiny.