

Sept. Library classes for Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd Grades

Prizes will be given to those who return their completed Adventure Seeker calendars at the end of the month. These are given by the homeroom teacher and should be filled out (with a drawing of their favorite book drawn vertically on the back) and kept in the homework folder so they are ready to turn in at the end of the month for a prize. Those who have returned 7 out of the 9 total calendars for the year will be invited to the Magic Show in May.

For K students books by the author Tana Hoban will be read to each group in September.

For 1st Grade, books by the author Eric Carle will be read to each group in September.

For 2nd Grade books by the author Stephen Kellogg will be read to each group in September.

Sept. Library classes for 3rd, 4th and 5th Grade:

Students will be taught how to keep a reading log, filled out with information needed to take an AR test on the books listed. These logs need to stay in the homework folder as they are needed both in library and the classroom. Books other than those from this library can be read, however they must be brought to Library class on library day for approval by Mrs. Airriess.

Students receive prizes for passing AR tests on books of different genres. For questions on AR tests and AR books go to <https://sites.google.com/site/librarysv/yourstvincentsschoollibrary> This site can be more easily reached from the home page of the school website by selecting the link for Students, then choose Library/AR.

4th Grade students will also be learning about Fiction call numbers and how those are used to locate a book in the library.

5th Grade students will also be introduced to the Dewey decimal system and how this is used to for non-fiction books.

Sept. Library classes for 6, 7th and 8th Grade:

In addition to encouragement to pass AR tests on fiction books students choose to read, they will be encouraged to pass AR tests on non-fiction books, especially those that support the area of study being taught in both science and history. For questions on AR tests and AR books go to <https://sites.google.com/site/librarysv/yourstvincentsschoollibrary> This site can be more easily reached from the home page of the school website by selecting the link for students, then choose Library/AR.

Classroom support will also be given, twice a month, on researching with digital sources.