



High Five Readers Challenge

Overview:

High Five Readers Challenge presented by SACU, Ashley Furniture HomeStore, Luby's, and Magic 105.3, is a four-week program with the goal to get students to exercise their minds and imaginations by spending more of their free time reading.

Eligibility:

Grade (s): 1st – 5th
School (s): Public and private San Antonio area elementary schools

Overview:

Students must read the required number of books for their grade level during the four-week program time period:

- ❖ 1st grade 10 picture books
- ❖ 2nd grade 11 picture books OR 1 age appropriate early reader
- ❖ 3rd grade 15 picture books OR 2 age appropriate chapter books
- ❖ 4th – 5th grades 2-3 age appropriate chapter books

What Can Students Read:

- Students may read whatever books they choose as long as the books are not a school assignment.
- Students should strive to read on or above their grade level.
- Students should spend their free time reading. They could read books for this contest during “sustained silent reading” periods at school and/ or their time spent reading during class library visits, during lunch, recess, etc.
- Students may read to themselves, aloud to others or have others read to them.
- Students should be encouraged to read more than the minimum reading requirement.
- **Students may not include “teacher-led reading”** (or books selected by the teacher that are read out loud in class).

Contest Time Frame:

Begins: Monday, January 8, 2007
Ends: Friday, February 2, 2007

To Participate:

As the Education Programs “primary school contact,” we need your help.

1. First, please determine how many teachers at your school are interested in participating in High Five Readers.
2. Then, complete the registration form included.
3. **Please return the registration form no later than Tuesday, December 12, 2006** by fax to 210-444-5875 or by mail to High Five Readers, One AT&T Center, San Antonio, TX 78219.
4. **If this registration form is not completed and returned to our office by the Tuesday, December 12, 2006 deadline, we will assume your school does not want to participate in this program,** and we will not include your school when we mail out the official High Five Readers program materials.
5. In late-December, prior to the beginning of the program, the official High Five Readers program kit will be sent to the attention of the designated school contact to distribute to all teachers who indicated their interest in participating.
6. The High Five Readers program kit is an “all-inclusive” brochure about the program that will contain all materials the teachers need to implement this program into their classrooms:
 - Teachers’ Information Letter
 - High Five Readers Official Participation Rules
 - Important Deadlines to Remember
 - High Five Readers Classroom Log
 - Parents’ Information Letter

Prizes:

Those students who meet the High Five Readers Challenge and the teachers who engage their students in this contest will be entered into a random drawing to receive a free pair of tickets to a Spurs, Rampage or Silver Stars game.

Three grand prizes will also be awarded by random selection from all entries received:

- **1st Grand Prize: Host a Reading Time-Out with a Spurs player!**
- **2nd Grand Prize: Pep rally at one school with the Coyote!**
- **3rd Grand Prize: A Spurs prize pack for each student in the winning class!**

