Dear Wilcox Parents,

Frequent reading is a key factor in literacy growth. For this reason, Wilcox are encouraged to read or listen to reading least a total of **300 minutes over the summer**. This sounds like a lot, but it really works out to about 30 minutes/week! We are sure that if your family makes reading a priority and a habit your child will easily exceed 300 minutes and will enter the next grade with the confidence to tackle the school year expectations. Your child can accomplish this reading time by reading silently to himself/herself or by reading aloud orally to:

- ✓ A parent
- ✓ A sibling
- ✓ A grandparent
- ✓ A neighbor
- ✓ A friend
- ✓ Your pet

Just try to make it fun by varying the reading material. In the primary grades 50% of what a child reads should be non-fiction. If you are not sure where to begin, please visit the Twinsburg Public Library. They can help your child select appropriate books at their level and on topics they find interesting!

As your child reads, please complete the attached reading log and return it to his/her teacher in August.

Enjoy your summer!

Lynn Villa

Wilcox Principal



Wilcox Summer Reading Log

Students in the primary grades should read at least <u>300 minutes over the summer</u>. Try for 30 minutes *or more* per week with **50% of your books being non-fiction selections**. Complete this log and return it to your teacher in August.

Student's name:

WEEK 1	WEEK 2
Total minutes read this week: ○ fiction minutes	Total minutes read this week: fiction minutes
 non-fiction minutes 	 non-fiction minutes
WEEK 3	WEEK 4
Total minutes read this week:	Total minutes read this week:
 fiction minutes 	 fiction minutes
 non-fiction minutes 	 non-fiction minutes
WEEK 5	WEEK 6
Total minutes read this week:	Total minutes read this week:
 fiction minutes 	 fiction minutes
 non-fiction minutes 	 non-fiction minutes
WEEK 7	WEEK 8
Total minutes read this week:	Total minutes read this week:
 fiction minutes 	 fiction minutes
\circ non-fiction minutes	 non-fiction minutes
WEEK 9	WEEK 10
Total minutes read this week:	Total minutes read this week:
 fiction minutes 	 fiction minutes
 non-fiction minutes 	 non-fiction minutes

Total Minutes read: