



Junee North Public School

Home Reading Program



Home Reading is a major component of our Home Learning program at Junee North. Ten reasons why reading at home is so important:

1. Children who read widely and often get better at it.
2. Reading exercises our brain (much more than watching the TV!)
3. Reading improves concentration.
4. Reading teaches children about the world around them.
5. Reading improves vocabulary and language skills.
6. Reading develops a child's imagination.
7. Reading helps children to develop empathy.
8. Children who read achieve better at school.
9. Reading is a great way to spend time together.
10. Reading is fun!!

Each child at Junee North has been supplied with a Home Reading Log Book (K-2 children also receive a green Home Reading folder to keep books safe). Books read need to be listed in these reading logs and awards are presented to students who have achieved nightly milestones. Please note that the awards are for **NIGHTS read** not the number of books. If a child is reading more than 1 book per night, they need to be listed together on the one night.

Junee North Home Reading Awards

When you have read at home for this many NIGHTS:

- 25 nights Certificate
- 50 nights Certificate
- 75 nights Certificate
- 100 nights Certificate & bookmark
- 125 nights Certificate & bookmark
- 150 nights Certificate & pencil
- 175 nights Certificate & pencil
- 200 nights Certificate & book

