

# MEDIA CENTER NEWS

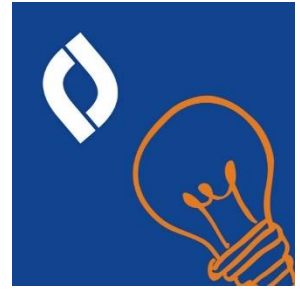
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### BOOKS

July 24<sup>th</sup> – August 30<sup>th</sup>

5,777 BOOKS

checked out by  
Tarwater Students!

### AR

### WORD COUNT

Number of words read based  
on Accelerated Reader quizzes:

17,538,282

### BIRTHDAY

### BOOK CLUB

July 24<sup>th</sup> – August 15<sup>th</sup>

Books purchased for our library:

42 BOOKS

[Birthday Book Club Kid Pics](#)

### RESEARCH



Finding rich language in a picture book is not unusual, and reading those stories aloud will introduce children to an extensive vocabulary.

According to new [research](#) conducted by Dominic Massaro, a professor emeritus in psychology at the University of California, Santa Cruz, parents can build their child's vocabulary by talking to them, He said although parents can build their children's vocabularies by talking to them, reading aloud is the best way to help children develop word mastery and grammatical understanding, which form the basis for literacy.

READING ALOUD TO CHILDREN, MORE THAN TALKING, BUILDS LITERACY

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