



Dear Parma Park Families,

We are excited to start our Book of the Year reading of Fenway and Hattie By Victoria J.Coe. This book was purchased through Title I Funds and is yours to keep at home. Each family will get their own copy of the book to read at home together. Participating in a school-wide reading program such as "Book of the Year" helps build a community of readers and a sense of belonging within our school. Families reading together help children listen better and longer, build bigger vocabularies, and develop a positive attitude about books and learning. Reading professionals recommend that families read aloud to children even when they are able to read by themselves. When an entire school reads together, it generates excitement about reading and being part of a fun program. We will start reading the book together on January 31st. We ask that you read along with your child each night.

Attached are questions to be answered for each of the chapters, so be sure to ask and answer questions as you read at home. Along with the questions you will find the calendar for what is to be read each night. Please return the question for the chapter the next day so your child's name can be put in a drawing for a prize. Our goal is to promote the love of reading while spending special time together at home. We hope that you enjoy this fun activity for the month of February. Happy Reading!

Sincerely,
The Title I Team

