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Reading Resolutions Make 2015 Your Best Year of Reading Yet!

This New Year, make resolutions that will help you become a better, more sophisticated reader. By resolving to **read more** and **read better**, you are investing in your own academic future. Plus, it'll be fun!

Get inspired by reviewing the following suggestions, and then discuss possible reading resolutions with your family and teacher. Once you select the resolutions you'd like to make, commit to them by filling out the 2015 Reading Resolutions Commitment.

In 2015, I resolve to...

- Read more!** I'll find _____ extra minutes in each day OR _____ extra minutes each week to read one more picture book or a few more pages of a chapter book.
- Trade** non-reading screen time for reading time for _____ minutes each week.
- Discuss** the books I'm reading with friends and/or family at least twice per week.
- Try** 4-5 books in a genre I don't usually read:
 - Biography
 - Fantasy
 - History / Historical Fiction
 - Poetry
 - Realistic Fiction
 - Science
 - Other: _____.
- Visit** a bookstore or library at least once a month.
- Recommend** one of my favorite books to a friend or to my teacher by writing a book recommendation or filming a book talk video.
- Memorize** a poem and **perform** it for an audience—even if it's an audience of one.
- Stick with it!** I'll read the first 40-50 pages of any book before deciding it's not for me.
- Read the book **before seeing the movie** or read the book even if I've seen the movie.
- Other: _____.