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Reading Resolutions
Make 2015 Your Best Year of Reading Yet!

Part of helping your scholars become better readers is nourishing yourself as a reader. This New Year, consider making resolutions that will reignite your passion for reading—both as the librarian of your classroom as a regular grownup person!

Get inspired by reviewing the following suggestions!

In 2015, I resolve to...

- Spend approximately _____ minutes each week reading books from the classroom library so I can better help scholars book shop.
- Spend approximately _____ minutes each week reading professional development books and articles.
- Trade in _____ minutes of (entertaining) screen time for reading time.
- Read _____ books that have been lingering on my (real or mental) to be read shelf.
- Other: _____ .

I will try reading a book in a genre I usually don't read:

- Current Affairs / Politics
- Fantasy / Science Fiction
- History / Biography
- Historical Fiction
- Mystery
- Science
- Poetry
- Other: _____

I will finally read the following book that I've been wanting to read for years:

I will finally try reading a book by the following author:

I will finally finish the following book that I started a long time ago:

I will develop a new reading habit...

- Keeping a reader's journal.
- Subscribing to a weekly magazine: _____ .
- Subscribing to a monthly magazine: _____ .
- Joining (or starting) a book club.
- Reading long form journalism on Longreads.com.
- Designating one dinner per week a "Reading Dinner."
- Listening to audio books while I commute/clean/walk the dog.
- Other: _____ .

When I finish a book, I will...

- Tell my spouse/partner/best friend/parent/pet all about it!
- Post a review online.
- Tweet about it.
- Give or lend it to someone else who will like it.