

Read Across America Day		
Schools	Activity	Companies/Organizations Involved
Belmont Street School	Hosted Community Reader Day: We welcomed 25 community members who read a book to our students. Community members also shared a little about their profession and the importance of being literate.	Worcester Police, Worcester Fire, Juvenile Court, Umass Memorial, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Journey Church
Burncoat Prep. School		Worcester Polytechnic Institute, United Way, retired educators
Canterbury Street School	Hosted Community Reading Day: Each classroom was visited by a guest reader who shared a read aloud with them, and spoke about their education/career path.	Worcester Police, retired educators, current educators, Crochted Mountain School, Clark University, Worcester State University, UMASS Medical School, YMCA, Mayor Petty
Chandler Elementary School	Hosted Community Reading Day: We welcomed community members who read to our students. They then spoke with each respective class about the important roll education/being literate played in their lives. They also spoke about their profession. K-2 classrooms partnered up with Grades 5/6 and did Dr. Seuss literacy activities later in the day.	Worcester Police, Holy Cross, Saint Johns, Worcester Fire Department
Chandler Magnet School	We celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday with Read Alouds in classrooms. The kindergarten students had a week of Seuss books and activities where the teachers and students dressed like Seuss characters.	
City View School	We celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday with Read Alouds in classrooms. Kindergarten students were treated to a Green Eggs and Ham Breakfast.	
Clark Street School	Community readers read in various classrooms.	
Columbus Park School	Hosted Community Reading Day, served a light breakfast and AVID leaders greeted all community members.	Worcester Police, Worcester Fire, Commerce Bank, Clark University students, Assumption College students, Members from Columbus Park Neighborhood Association, Maureen McCullough, Worcester State University students, St. Andrew's Church Member, IBEW Local 96
Elm Park School	Football players from Becker College came and read Dr. Seuss to students.	Becker College students.
Flagg Street School	Literacy activities each day of the week with Dr. Seuss theme in Grades K, 1 and 2; students in grades 3 through 6 enjoyed extended independent reading periods	Flagg Street School Community; Assumption College partners
Gates Lane School	Children made green eggs and ham. Guest parent readers. Children made oobleck. Dr. Seuss reading centers. Student writings based on Dr. Seuss books. STEM activities. Children made red fish, blue fish jello. Children made Dr. Seuss hats with rhyming words. Dr. Seuss themed TBE writings.	Parent readers
Goddard St. School	Primary classes organized an author study of Dr. Seuss and created Rhyming Hats as a culminating activity.	

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Grafton St. School	K-2 students where read to by our 6th Grade students and made books marks. Grades 3-5 had a mystery staff member read to them and the art teacher assisted with designing a poster illustrating the book read.	
Heard St. School	Dr. Seuss Activities including rhyming, lorax science activity, rhyming and writing projects; celebration with green eggs and ham treats	Heard Street Community including parent volunteers; Holy Cross students
Jacob Hiatt Magnet School	Across grade level buddy reading to celebrate the love of reading. Literacy activities such as bookmarks, Dr. Seuss hats, etc.	Jacob Hiatt School Community
Lake View School	All school assembly to introduce readers followed by guest readers visiting classrooms. We highlighted the importance of giving back to the community and the importance of literacy in our lives.	Worc Police, Worc Fire, City Manager Ed Agustus, Kareem Tatum, Representative Mary Keefe, Representatives and mascot Paws from the Pawtucket Red Sox, New England Patriot player Ted Karras and Ashley the Patriot cheerleader, Holy Cross Basketball players, Christine Foley (Andy's Attic)
Lincoln Street School	full week of events scheduled March 4-8- mystery reader day, dress as your favorite character, book buddy day, DEAR surprise day, family literacy event with the book "After the fall"	Worc fire, police, DA's office, various community members
May Street School	Week of Seuss Each day a new costume highlighted by reading various passages from Seuss books. Libby Party for k and one students with parents invited.	May Street Families...pancake breakfast, Libby Party
McGrath School	K-2 celebrated Dr Seuss Birthday with various activities. On Wed, 3/6 whole school participates in Community Reading day with classroom guests, reading and activities.	School Committee member, Worcester court officers, retired WPS teachers ,Holy Cross and Assumption athletes, Worcester Police Dept. , Worcester Fire Dept. Harleyville Ins. Co. ReMax Ins Co.
Midland School	Whole school participates in Dr. Seuss Spirit Week Grades K-2 read various Dr. Seuss books and completed literacy activities. The intermediate grades had extended literacy blocks to complete other literacy activities.	None
Nelson Place School	We had a communit Reader Day. Special guest readers from the community read in all classrooms prek-6	Worcester School committee members, City council member, college representatives (Holy Cross & Assumption), Worcester Police, Nelson Place Parents and staff
Norrback Ave School	Kindergarten parent workshop/How to read with your child, tips for writing, making sight word games. Primary grades-author study Dr. Suess. Intermediate grades - book talks/book buddies	
Quinsigamond School	Community readers to read to students / different Dr. Seuss activities in primary grades	Blackstone Community Center. Worc Firefighters, Hert Florists, Quinsig Community, Holy Cross, Quinsigamond Community School
Rice Square School	On Friday, March 1st- Various reading and writing activities focused on Dr. Suess literature.	Kindergarten, Grade 2 and 3

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Roosevelt School	Morning announcements included an excerpt from <i>Oh, The Places You'll Go</i> . Teachers celebrated Dr. Seuss in their classrooms with read alouds and related activities. Buddy classrooms planned reading time between older/younger reading buddies.	
Tatnuck Magnet School	Dr. Seuss week in primary grades/Different literacy activity everyday	
Thorndyke Road School	Community readers read to grades K-4, with Trax the Railers mascot reading to grades k-2. The kindergarten team students created Dr. Seuss hats, listed to the book, Green Eggs and Ham, and then feasted on green eggs and ham. In the afternoon, students in grades 5 and 6 paired up with k and 1 students to read to them and create bookmarks.	Trax the Railers Mascot, Sara Consalvo-WPS; Jen Buckley, Community physician; Worcester Fire/EMT representative; retired school representative;
Union Hill School	Community readers read in various classrooms. All school personnel and students participated in Favorite Book Character Day. Administration read to all classes during lunches "The Day Crayons Quit" as it was our theme and we dressed as our favorite crayon. Posted to twitter page and Union Hill blog.	
Vernon Hill School	Vernon Hill hosted community readers school-wide. Each classroom was assigned a reader. Following coffee-and, students greeted their readers in the library and escorted them to the classrooms. The readers introduced themselves providing information about their professions and discussed the importance of reading/literacy. The kindergarten team made Dr. Seuss headbands/hats and cooked green eggs and ham.	Attorney Paige Tobin, EAW (Roger Nugent), Holy Cross (professor), Horace Mann Representatives, Massachusetts State Trooper (Trooper Berry), Nurse (parent of student), United States Postal Service (letter carriers), Unitol Energy, Worcester Academy (teacher/coach), Worcester Fire Department (District Chief Roche), Worcester Railer's and mascot Trax, Worcester School Committee (John Monfredo), John and Barbara Bowes (attorney/parents of staff), New England Patriots Player and Cheerleader (Jeremy Hill and Andrea C. read to grade 6 in the library)
Wawecus Road School	Educators did various writing activities to celebrate Wawecus's love of reading. Students did a problem solving activity that required them to create the Cat in Hat's hat with limited materials and write about their process of creating it. The task became more difficult according to the grade level.	Wawecus students and staff and Assumption college students
West Tatnuck School	Grades Prek, K and 1 celebrated reading and responding to Dr. Seuss books. A variety of activities were used to explore the rhyming in the stories and to generate new examples.	
Woodland Academy School	Buddy reading across grade levels with various activities. Kinders with Claremont students. Activities in the gym	Woodland and Claremont Academy students. College student volunteers

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Worcester Arts Magnet School	We celebrated Dr. Seuss' birthday by wearing Dr. Seuss t-shirts or red and white. Teachers chose books that our Community Readers read to students. The Bravehearts' Jake the Lion and The Railers' Trax stopped by earlier in the day to promote the Ticket To Read Reading Program.	Worcester Police Department, Worcester School Committee, Shrewsbury Fire Department, United States Postal Service, Worcester Public Schools, Texas Roadhouse Restaurant, Worcester Public Library, Worcester State University, Worcester City Councilor, Mayor of Worcester, Woo Sox, Worcester Brave Hearts, Worcester Railers, Worcester Art Museum, Girls Inc.