



# Millionaire's Club

Research has shown that students are motivated by school-wide Accelerated Reader Programs.

## AR AT PATTERSON

Accelerated Reader (AR) is a voluntary program, which is customized at each school site. At Patterson, students are encouraged to read books at their reading level and then take a quiz to test their comprehension. They can earn incentives with their classroom teacher based on points and other goals.

- Each classroom will have their own incentive plans based on the points available for reading each book.
- “**Millionaire’s Club**” will highlight students’ progress of reading through word count. Word count seems to be an easier way for students to understand their progress throughout the year.

## Explanation of “Millionaire’s Club”

Students 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grades will have the opportunity to earn an engraved medal at each level of accomplishment.

Level	Award
250, 000 words read	Bronze – Bronze AR Medal
500,000 words read	Silver – Silver AR Medal
1,000,000 words read	GOLD – Gold AR Medal & Pizza Party
2,000,000 words read	PLATINUM – Blue AR Medal & Pizza Pty

“100K Club”- K-2<sup>nd</sup> can earn incentives for word count too!

Level	Award
10, 000 words read	Bronze – Bronze AR Medal
50,000 words read	Silver – Silver AR Medal
100,000 words read	GOLD – Gold AR Medal & Ice Cream Pty
250, 000++ words read	Begin “Millionaire’s Club” goals above

The Media Center will keep track of the word count for your students, using AR. Students can also check their word count on Home Connect. Each quarter we will announce students who reach the Gold, Silver, and Bronze levels. Students will get their medal(s) at the quarterly awards assemblies to wear with pride! Medals are to be worn on Friday’s along with Patterson colors to show your Patterson Pride!

## Dates to have words count done by:

1st Quarter ends Sep 30 <sup>th</sup>	2nd Quarter ends Dec 21 <sup>st</sup>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter ends March 9 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Totals End on May 23 <sup>rd</sup> **

\*\* 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Totals must end prior to end of school for award purposes

Pizza and Ice Cream Party will be held on Friday, May 25<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon.

A huge “thanks” to PTO in helping with funds for our incentives!