Let's

about Reading!

We are super excited to continue the reading incentive program, Book Taco.

Book Taco connects students to books but is not where the child physically reads the book. Once a student has completed a book they now have a chance to take a quiz and earn game coins. The game coins allow the student to design their avatar, a chance to play fun games, and earn prizes and cyber swag through Book Taco.

The best part of Book Taco is that your child has the opportunity to participate a lot or a little. They can choose to take one quiz or an entire program like our Sunshine State Young Readers. If they choose to take part in our Sunshine State Young Readers they have the opportunity to earn rewards from Book Taco as well as at school.

We will continue with our Sunshine State Young Readers for grades 3-5 and Jr. Sunshine State for grades K-2. The students will access Book Taco at mypascoconnect.pasco.k12.fl.us or use the myPascoConnect button located on the main page, bottom right hand side of DBES's website. You can also view the Book Taco tutorial video on the DBES website that walks you through the entire Book Taco process. The SSYRA Jr & 3-5 books should be in our media center by late September. Students will be given their username and password by their teacher to sign in to myPascoConnect for Book Taco access at home.

The students will receive a taco shell cut out that will be stamped on "Taco Tuesday". Stamping is one Tuesday per month. Students must score an 80% on every quiz and have 3 attempts at each quiz in order to receive a stamp. Students receive the following awards:

Jr. Sunshine State Grades K-2	Sunshine State Grades 3-5 Awards
Read/pass 4 quizzes: Taco Shell & Treasure Box	Read/pass 4 quizzes: Taco Shell & Treasure Box
Read/pass 8 quizzes: School Store Voucher	Read/pass 8 quizzes: School Store Voucher
Read/pass 12-15 quizzes: School Mystery Party	Read/pass 12-15 quizzes: School Mystery Party
All quizzes must be completed by March 30 th for the last Taco Tuesday on the 31 st .	All quizzes must be completed by March 30 th for the last Taco Tuesday on the 31 st .

Thank you,

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