

# BEXLEY ELEMENTARY

## SUNSHINE STATE YOUNG READERS AWARD

-----> 2017-2018



### OUR SSYRA CHALLENGE

The Sunshine State Young Readers Award (SSYRA) Program is a statewide reading motivational program for students in grades K through 8 to encourage students to read independently for pleasure and to read books that are on, above, and below their reading level in order to improve their reading fluency. Sunshine State books are selected for their wide appeal, literary value, varied genres, curriculum connections, and/or multicultural representation.

We encourage all reading levels to participate. The Challenge is to read ALL the books from the SSYRA ( 3-5th) or SSYRA Jr. ( k-2) list and complete each quiz on online.

#### Rewards and Recognition

**COMPLETE 7 BOOKS**  
Certificate & Small Prize

**COMPLETE 10 BOOKS**  
Certificate, Small Prize, and Spirit Stick

**COMPLETE 15 BOOKS**  
Certificate, Prize, Picture on Wall of Fame, Social Media Recognition, Raffle Ticket for Grand Prize, and Invitation to End of Year Party

**DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2018**



\*\*Reading with and to your child is encouraged. Active listening is part of reading comprehension\*\*

#### MORE INFORMATION:

- Books are available at our school Rec Center , public libraries ( e-format and hard copy) and in some of our classrooms.
- Students will be given a copy of the book list which can also be found online and quizzes can be taken at [pasco.instructure.com](http://pasco.instructure.com) using their myPascoConnect login in provided by your child's teacher

All participating Florida students will get to vote for their favorite Book!

**BELIEVE - ENGAGE- SUCCEED**

