(for parents grades 1-3)

Dear parents and guardians,

This winter and spring, Dovercourt will be encouraging students to develop and strengthen their love of reading by participating in monthly reading challenges! Each month for February, April & May, you will receive a new list of 10 fun and engaging reading-related activities for you to complete together. Students should aim to complete most of the challenges each month, and you’ll sign the form to verify that they’ve done them.

Mr. Wettlaufer & the SAC events team will keep track of how many students from each class return their forms each month. **By the end of May, the classroom with the most** **completed challenge forms will win a $100 Indigo Gift Card to buy new books for their class, courtesy of the SAC, to celebrate their achievement!**

The first challenge is on the back of this note—please submit completed February forms to your child’s teacher by **February 25th, 2022**.

Want to complete the form online? You can do so at <https://www.dovercourtsac.com/>!

Happy reading!

Roxanne & Kitty

FEBRUARY READING CHALLENGE!

* Read a true story about a historical event
* Re-read one of your favourite books with someone you love
* Read (or write!) a poem
* Read a book about an animal, bird or fish
* Visit a library and check out a book about nature
* Choose a place in the world that you’d like to visit, or a place you have visited before, and read about it
* Read a recipe (bonus points if you *make* the recipe!)
* Read a book by an author from a different country than Canada
* Learn to say hello in a language you don’t speak, or to spell your name in sign language
* Make a list of all the words you can think of to describe your favourite toy, game or sport

I confirm that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 (child’s name)

has completed most or all of this months’ reading challenges.

Parent/Guardian’s signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Teacher/Room Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_