

Hemlock Creek Family Book Club

Dear Parent/Guardian:

We are excited to announce that our family book club is back for the 23-24 school year! Your participation is voluntary. Families who choose to participate will read the same book - *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library* by Chris Grabenstein. We have selected a title that can be understood, and enjoyed by younger students, but that will still captivate and stimulate older children. This book is an engaging and creative mystery. A dozen kids are invited to participate in an event at the library where they have to solve literary and logic puzzles to escape and win the grand prize. Our Hemlock Creek Family Book Club aims to build a community of readers at our school. Everyone - students, parents, and staff - has the chance to participate!

If you would like to participate, please complete the bottom of this form by December 8th. Book orders received after this time will unfortunately not be able to be ordered through the school. We are hoping to distribute the books in January and the book club will start in late January. When the book comes home, you will also receive our school reading schedule so you can follow along with the group. We will read most nights, but if your family's schedule doesn't allow for it in one night, simply adjust your reading plan and catch up as you are able!

Mrs. Devine and Mrs. Gossen will have discussion questions each week for your family to talk and discuss as you read along! Also, please join us in our Facebook group, *Hemlock Creek Family Book Club*, as that will be how we will communicate any information with you. If you are unable to join the group please let Mrs. Devine or Mrs. Gossen know.

To celebrate the end of the book, we will watch the movie *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library* at the high school auditorium. We hope you can join us! The movie will be on March 1st at 6:30pm. More information will be shared at a closer date.

If you have any questions about this opportunity, please contact Mrs. Gossen, Library Media Specialist, at jgossen@wdpsd.com or Mrs. Devine, Reading Interventionist, at ldevine@wdpsd.com. We look forward to reading together!

Parent Name (please print) _____

Students participating:

Name	Teacher/Grade
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Book Participation

- I would like to buy *Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library* for \$5.00.
Number of copies needed _____
- We already have the book and plan to participate!
- I would like to participate, but do not have funds available.

