

Valleyview Library

Newsletter

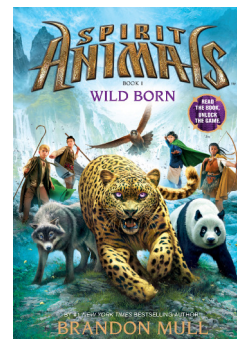
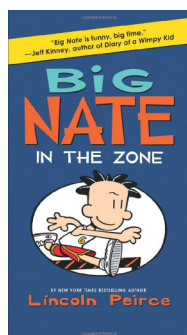
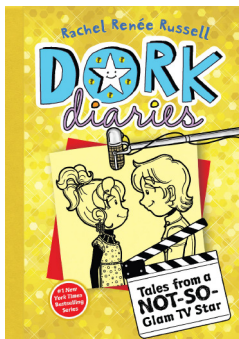


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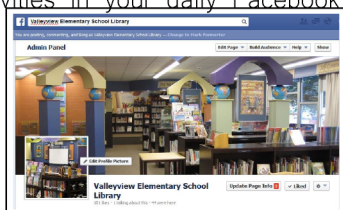
Hundreds of New Books Await Eager Readers!

This Summer hundreds of brand new picture books, chapter books, and non-fiction books arrived at the Valleyview library! There is something for everyone, and Mr. Parmerter is happy to make a recommendation...otherwise, students are invited are invited to visit the library and browse all the new books, from Big Nate to Dork Diaries to Spirit Animals!



Connect with the Library Online!

Students & parents are invited to visit the Valleyview library online for links to Internet reserach materials, Internet safety tips, and updates on library activities & monthly contests! Also provided is a link to OPALS, the library's online book catalog which you can browse from home. The library webpage can be found at www.oneontacsd.org/webpages/vlibrary. Parents are also encouraged to "like" the Valleyview elementary school library on Facebook to receive updates on library events and activities in your daily Facebook news feed!



2014 Library Schedule!

The new school year will be an exciting one for all library classes, and below is the 2014 library schedule. I am hoping that both parents & teachers can help students to remember to return their library books on time:

- Day 1: Bright (5), Ferrara (4), Visnosky (2)
- Day 2: Dutcher (4), Allen (2),
- Day 3: Wood (1)
- Day 4: Tamarro (1)
- Day 5: Sider (3), Follett (k)
- Day 6: Bellen (3), Feiler (k)



Keyboarding Instruction Underway!

Many classes at Valleyview have signed-up for keyboarding instruction in the Computer Lab this Fall with Mr. Parmerter. Keyboarding skills are very important to have as students enter the Middle School, and the earlier students are exposed to keyboarding instruction the easier those skills are to develop. Students in grades 1-3 will be using an Internet program called Dance Mat Typing, and they can practice at home by following the link from the library webpage. Grades 4-5 are using Typing Pal, a link to which is also provided on the library webpage.



CIRCULATION POLICIES AT THE LIBRARY!



Parents play an important role in teaching their schoolchildren the joys of recreational reading, and that includes encouraging them to bring home library books to share together! Kindergarten students can have one book at a time, due back at each library class, while students in grades 1-5 can have two books per visit and due back at each library class. Please help your child to keep their books in a safe place, and take the time to read together for a few minutes each day!

COMING UP THIS YEAR...

Among other things, this year Kindergarten & 1st grade classes will be 'meeting' and reading books by various Authors of the Month, while 2nd graders will be studying Caldecott-Award winning picture books. 3rd graders will be 'traveling' to other countries to learn about those cultures and read folktales, while 4th graders will be developing research skills and reading biographies of famous faces from history. And 5th graders will be working on a variety of technology projects and activities designed to prepare them for the research they will be doing in Middle School...



HEY! STUDENTS & PARENTS: cut-out the bookmark below and use it to enjoy just a few of the great databases the Valleyview library provides for research, homework, & fun!



VISIT THE LIBRARY WEBPAGE!

www.oneontacsd.org/webpages/vvlibrary



At library homepage click "Research Links" for the following databases:

World Book Encyclopedia: Username - valleyview, Password - valleyview

Grolier Encyclopedia: Username - oncov, Password - oncov

PebbleGo Animals/Earth & Space/Bio's: Username - onevalleyview, Password - school

BrainPop (animated videos): Username - valleyviewes, Password - valleyview