



Read Across America Day

The Board of Education
Pittsburg Unified School District

Resolution 17-22

WHEREAS, Reading is the building block to learning and the foundation for future success; and

WHEREAS, Reading is a source of pleasure throughout life; and

WHEREAS, In 1998, the National Education Association celebrated the Read Across America campaign to raise awareness about the importance of reading; and

WHEREAS, Read Across America is a national celebration of reading that promotes literacy, reading, and adult involvement in the education of pupils, and is celebrated on March 2 in honor of Dr. Seuss's birthday; and

WHEREAS, To celebrate the joy of reading, pupils, parents, teachers, sports figures, celebrities, firefighters, and business and community leaders are taking part in Read Across America events throughout the nation; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That The Board of Education for Pittsburg Unified School District recognize March 2, 2018 as Read Across America Day and ask all people within the Pittsburg Unified School District to participate in activities that are in relation to Read Across America Day.

RESOLVED, That The Board of Education for Pittsburg Unified School District hereby request the Superintendent to support school sites with lessons or activities at their school sites that embodies the purpose of Read Across America Day.

Be it further resolved, that the Board of Education directs the Superintendent to post a copy of this resolution at each school site in the School District.

Passed and Adopted, on January 24, 2018, at a regular meeting of the Board of Education by the following vote:

AYES:	5	(Arenivar, Canciamilla, Miller, Smith, Woolridge) (Elam – Student Member)
NOES:	0	
ABSTAIN:	0	
ABSENT:	0	


De Shawn Woolridge, Board President