

Power Lunch

Guidelines for Reading Sessions

- You should plan to spend your time together reading and enjoying conversation. Talk, read, reflect!
- Talk about what you both want to achieve from your reading sessions. Write down your goals—such as, “Find out about the water cycle” or “Read the entire Lunch Lady series and then write to the author”—and keep referring to them.
- Always go to your assigned reading location and stay together with other reading pairs. If there are no other Power Lunch reading pairs at your assigned location, let your School Coordinators know and they can find you a new space to read.
- Students may only eat lunch from the cafeteria or brought from home. Reading Mentors should not bring additional food to share or eat during Power Lunch.
- You should write down the titles and authors of books you finish reading in the student folder. Write book recommendations too!
- Before you leave: Clean up any trash in your area; return books and your reading folder.

Remember:

- Reading Mentors and students cannot give gifts to one another.
- Reading pairs should only see each other at school, during Power Lunch or scheduled activities. All other contact is prohibited.
- Reading sessions are a special time for mentors and students to spend time together. Do not invite other students to join your session without express permission from the School Coordinator.

The most important thing to do is have fun reading together!