

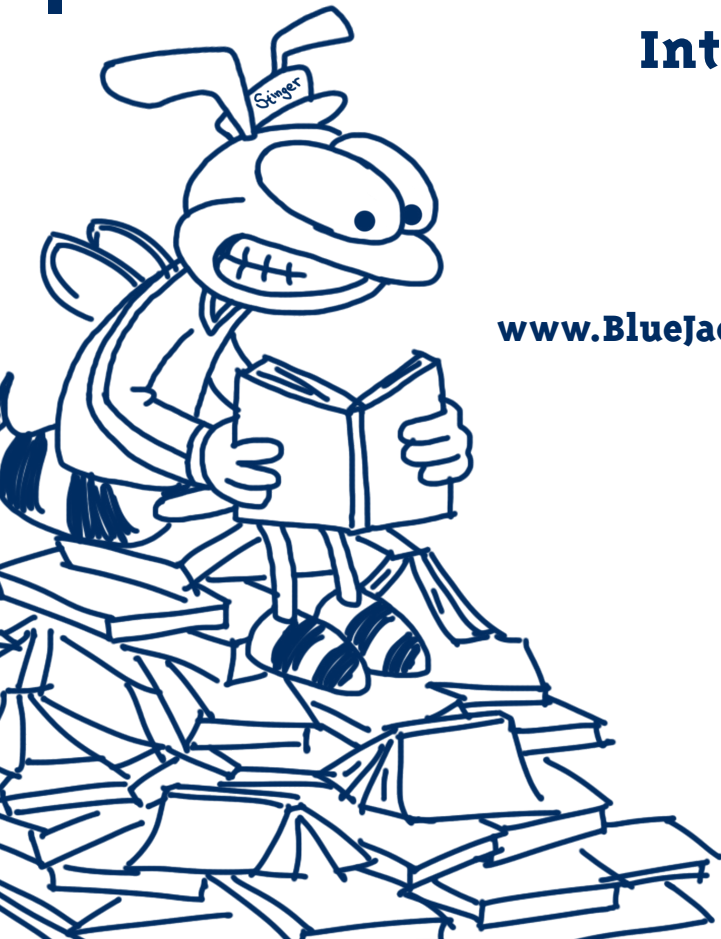


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# Welcome to the Blue Jackets Book Jackets Program!

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Dear Educator,

The Columbus Blue Jackets would like to thank you for enrolling your classroom in **Book Jackets, powered by AEP**. Book Jackets is designed to be a flexible tool that encourages healthy reading habits by rewarding your students for reading outside of the classroom. Enclosed you will find your Book Jackets materials and instructions on how to implement the program.

This **2015-16 Book Jackets, powered by AEP**, welcome packet includes the following:

- One classroom minute tracking poster with puck nametags
- Student scorecard
- Letter for student's parents

These materials are also available to be downloaded and printed from **BlueJackets.com/BookJackets**. Additionally, you will find downloadable certificates that can be used to encourage your students to meet their goals.

Students can earn the following Blue Jackets prizes for meeting each of the reading levels outlined below.

## 1st Period (150 Minutes Read)

Blue Jackets school folder, Papa John's bookmark with coupon for a FREE cookie, a FREE Blue Jackets ticket with each ticket purchased at a special discount and a free OhioHealth Chiller skate pass.

## 2nd Period (450 Minutes Read)

A Blue Jackets drawstring backpack

## 3rd Period (1000 Minutes Read)

All-Star reader certificate and invitation to an exclusive open skate at Nationwide Arena, home of the Columbus Blue Jackets. All-Star skate to be held in Spring 2016. Date and registration information to follow.

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**Book Jackets, powered by AEP**, is designed to be flexible and easy to use. The program can be run over a four-week period from October 1, 2015 – February 14, 2016. Once you have selected your program timeframe, follow the instructions below to implement Book Jackets in your classroom.

1. Copy, or download and print the student scorecard and parent letter to send home with students at the start of the program.
2. Determine a classroom reading goal. Share the classroom goal, as well as the individual reading goals with your students. Get them excited to read by explaining the Blue Jackets prizes associated with each reading level!
3. Have students, with the help of their parents, use the student scorecard to record how many minutes they spend reading outside of the classroom each day.
4. Check-in with your students and update your classroom poster throughout the four-week period. You can use the puck shaped nametags to showcase each student's progress on your classroom poster!
5. At the end of your four weeks, visit **BlueJackets.com/BookJackets** to download the Classroom Minutes Read submission template.
6. Complete the submission form on **BlueJackets.com/BookJackets**. Prizes will be mailed within three weeks of submission.

In addition to the great individual student prizes, the teachers that submit their students' minutes will be eligible for great classroom prizes!

- At the conclusion of the program, four classes will be randomly selected for a Stinger pizza party
- The classroom with the highest average minutes read per student when the program concludes in February will receive a class field trip courtesy of the Blue Jackets
- Upon submission, teachers will receive a voucher for two complimentary tickets to a Blue Jackets home game

The Blue Jackets and the Columbus Metropolitan Library have compiled some suggested reading for hockey fans. Visit **BlueJackets.com/Bookshelf** for hockey themed stories and recommendations from your favorite Blue Jackets players!

For more information visit **BlueJackets.com/BookJackets**  
or contact **Maggie Walters** at **614-246-3898** or **mwalters@bluejackets.com**

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Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_



The Blue Jackets created Book Jackets, powered by AEP, to help YOU learn to love reading! Have an adult help you track how many minutes you read each day for the next four weeks. Write the number of minutes read by the puck for each day and then color in the ice rink as you complete each period. Remember to work hard, there are some great Blue Jackets prizes if you hit your goals!

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Week 1
Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Weekly Total: _____
# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Week 2
Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Weekly Total: _____
# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Week 3
Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Weekly Total: _____
# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	Week 4
Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Initials _____	Weekly Total: _____
# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	# Min _____	

Color in the number of minutes  
you read each day



Looking for something new to read?  
Get suggestions from:  
[BlueJackets.com/Bookshelf](http://BlueJackets.com/Bookshelf)

My favorite books are:

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