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# SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATE

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## Hurlock Elementary School Celebrates Read Across America Week

Hurlock Elementary School celebrated with several fun activities during Read Across America Week from Monday, February 26<sup>th</sup> thru Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>. The activities included students wearing their favorite color, reading with a stuffed animal, wacky tacky day, wearing their favorite hat, and dressing up as their favorite book character. Most importantly Hurlock Elementary school students and staff spent a lot of time during the week reading. Students in the intermediate grades read to primary students several times throughout the week leading to positive learning experiences for both parties. On Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> students and staff participated in a “Stop Drop and Read” event. During the day students and staff stopped all activities and spent 15 minutes at a time reading adding up to 29,040 minutes read on Friday alone. Hurlock Elementary would like to thank Ms. Stoops for organizing the event and all students and staff for making this event successful.

