

FRIENDS OF ROSCOMARE



SPELL-A-THON COMMITTEE

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Dear Roscomare Families,

It is time for the Roscomare FOR's annual Spell-a-Thon Fundraiser! This is an excellent opportunity for our students to challenge themselves while raising much needed funds for our school. All proceeds are applied to student enrichment programs (computer lab, art, music, physical education, etc.) enhancing the educational experience of all our children. Roscomare faculty developed grade-level lists of spelling words that students study and are tested on during the 'Spell-a-Thon' held on **Friday, January 25, 2019**.

Please see the attached pledge form and review the spelling words. Spell-a-Thon guidelines are outlined below:

- Please encourage your child to seek pledges during the winter break. Sponsors may be family, friends, neighbors, or anyone you know.
 - Pledges are welcome in minimum increments of \$1.00 per correctly spelled word or a flat amount.
(example: Pledge of \$5.00 per word * 25 correctly spelled words=\$125.00, flat amount can for example \$100)
 - Please return the completed pledge form to your child's classroom no later than **Thursday, January, 24 th.**
 - All students will take the test whether or not they have submitted a pledge form.
- PRIZE INFORMATION**
- A gift card will be awarded to the student with the highest total pledge receipts.
 - A party will be awarded to the classroom with the highest total pledge receipts and for the first classroom to turn in 100% of their pledge monies.

After the Spell-a-Thon, tests will be graded and pledge sheets will be tabulated. A notice will be sent home for collection of any funds owed. Pledges can be paid by credit card or by checks made payable to FOR (Friends of Roscomare) and should note your child's name, grade, and room number. Any additional donations are gratefully accepted and are credited to you and your child's classroom. All donations are fully tax deductible.

We know you will enjoy helping your child prepare for this event. Your encouragement and involvement not only ensures your child's success but greatly benefits our wonderful school. As always, we appreciate your effort and enthusiasm and thank you for your ongoing support.

Sincerely,

THE SPELL-A-THON COMMITTEE

Jackie Kahn and Cindi Galsor

Enclosure: Pledge Form & Spelling List