



## WELCOME TO THE COMMANDER'S COUNCIL OF READERS (CCR) PROGRAM



The Commander's Council of Readers Program (CCR) is a USAG Ansbach initiative integrated into the "Reading Starts With Us" and Accelerated Reader programs at our elementary schools.

The CCR program provides recognition from the Ansbach Garrison Commander to students and families who have reached a pre-established reading goal within each quarter. The number of books a child needs to read is based on appropriate developmental milestones for each grade level. The students themselves are responsible for tracking their own progress on a reading log available in each classroom. A parent's signature is required on the reading log to verify participation.

**The CCR program is designed to encourage parents to read more at home with their children.** By taking at least 15 minutes of time out each day to read with their child at home, parents are:

- spending quality time with their child
- showing their child they are important
- helping their child develop important literacy concepts and skills
- helping their child build self esteem
- encouraging their child to develop a life long love for reading and learning
- teaching vocabulary and grammar
- opening up a world of new experiences and imagination

Both students and parents will receive recognition each semester for making reading at home a top priority.

If you have any questions regarding the Commander's Council of Readers program, please feel free to contact the School Liaison Officer at CIV: 09802-832-098 or email [derek.hydel@cmtymail.98asg.army.mil](mailto:derek.hydel@cmtymail.98asg.army.mil).

Milestones	# Books to read per quarter
Kindergarten, Sure Start, PSCD	25 books per quarter
1-2 graders	23 books per quarter
3-4 graders	16 books per quarter (200 pages = 1 book)
5-6 graders	14 books per quarter (250 pages = 1 book)



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QUARTERLY READING LOG**



**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_

Book Title/Author	Date	# of pages	Parent Signature
1			
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Keep track of the books you've read at home with your parent. Write in the book titles and authors and have your parent sign. Turn your completed reading log in to your teacher and pick up a new one to continue on your reading journey! Have fun!