DCSG SENIOR SCHOOL LIBRARY

READING AMBASSADOR PROGRAMME



READING AMBASSADORS

2018-19

TODAY A READER, TOMORROW A LEADER ~ MARGARET FULLER

Make things happen

 Let your form tutor know you want to be a Reading Ambassador

Help achieve the library goals

- Attend a short meeting at break time each Monday
- Communicate that week's library focus, initiative or project to your tutor group each

Why?

- Develop leadership, communication and interpersonal skills
- Gain valuable insights into books and other media resources and events
- Grasp the opportunity to develop the library as a student-focused centre



- Part of school leadership programme
- Library Prefect at the head

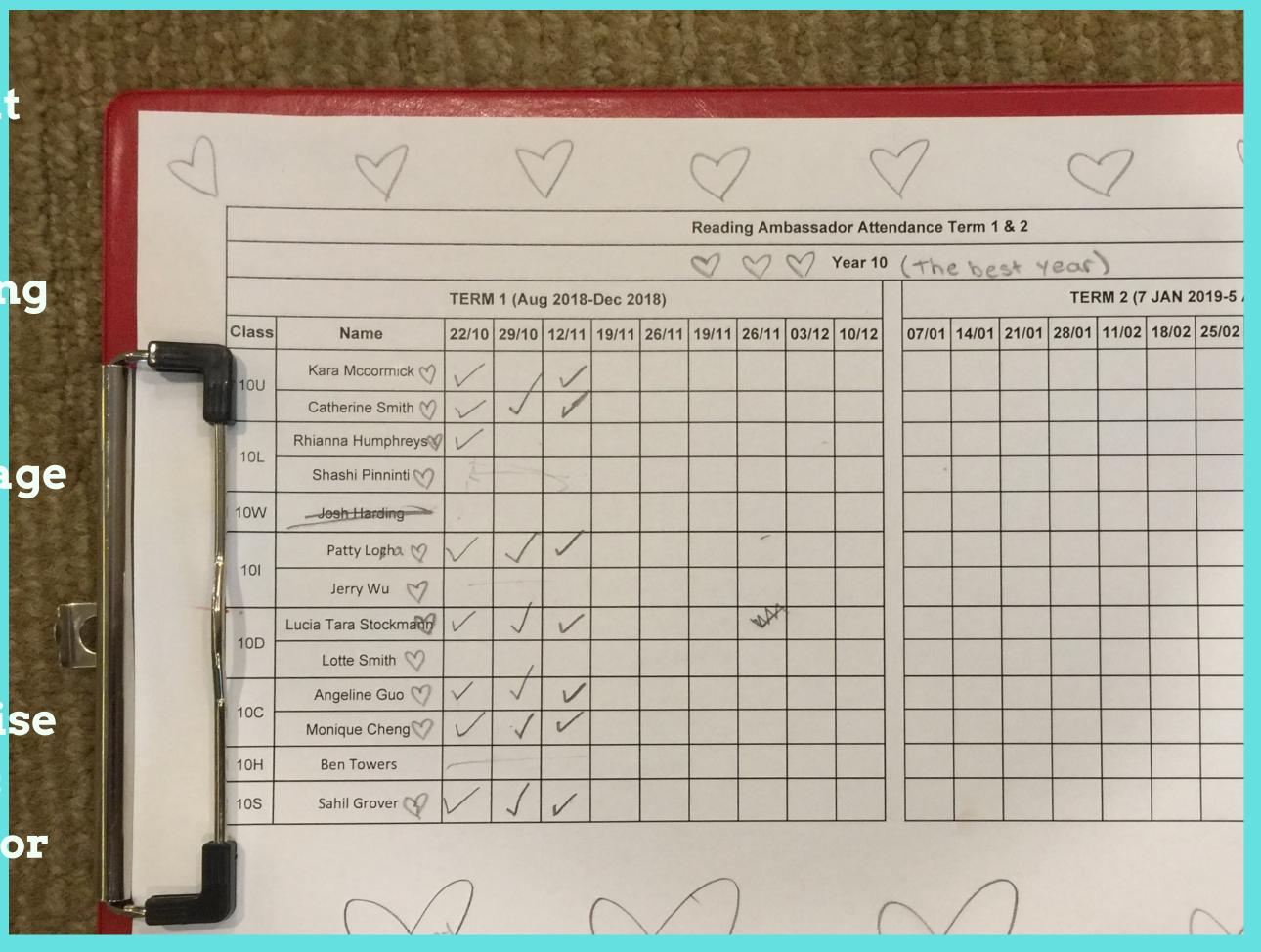
- Included in PEP (Personal Enrichment Portfolio) - prepares students for CAS (Creativity, Activity, Service) in DP

- Take all comers but need at least one rep from each tutor (homeroom/advisory)
- Tutor teachers sign up volunteers using online spreadsheet
- Sometimes need to cajole older students to 'volunteers' but once involved, generally enjoy

A rep from each year group marks the role at our short meeting at Morning Break on Monday - students bring morning tea

I put a reminder message in Monday's morning announcement.

On Tuesday I summarise what the ambassadors will be telling their tutor group about.





Badges are awarded at the end of Term 1 - only to students who have regular meeting attendance.

Students are given their brief for the week and have the opportunity to contribute new ideas - are also able to help in the library when they have the time.



They report back to their tutor group the following morninganswering questions and advocating for reading and the library.

Reading Ambassador Programme

Michaelmas	
Term	
Week 3	Introduction to the programme
Week 4	Roald Dahl Day promotion
Week 5	Shackleton book display, cats & cat jokes for borrowers
Week 6	Banned Book Week
Week 7	National Poetry Day – 4 October – Poem writing using the poetry jar
Week 8	Bookmark Exchange Programme Into
Week 9	Komala's Bear & Halloween Theme?
	http://www.allhallowsread.com/2018/09/18/free-booklet-treat/
Week 10	Non-fiction November & Enrichment Day Activity
Week 11	No meeting – Deepavali Break
Week 12	Bookmark making workshop
Week 13	Jigsaw puzzle – Hot air balloon picture - reading takes you places too!
Week 14	Reading posters for Xmas reading
Week 15	Hot chocolate and reading in the library for the ambassadors
Week 16	Christmas borrowing & bookmark making
Lent	
Term	
Week 1	
Week 2	Bathroom Books
Week 3	Patrons encouraged to provide jokes for the joke basket
Week 4	
Week 5	
Week 6	













