



## CTA Promotes Reading All Year Long with *California Reads* Program

Since 1998, the National Education Association has celebrated Read Across America to raise awareness about the importance of reading. In 2013, CTA launched the *California Reads* program.

Rather than celebrate reading on just one day, *California Reads* promotes reading year-round with teacher-approved book recommendations for multiple age groups. California Reads also promotes reading through a yearly list of teacher-recommended books in five age categories: [PreK/TK/K](#), [Grades 1-2](#), [Grades 3-5](#), [Grades 6-8](#), and [Grades 9-12](#).

[Download a bookmark](#) or [Classroom Poster Promoting California Reads for your Classroom](#)

### MTA Calendar

January 23– MTA Representative Council at the MTA Conference Center at 4:00 PM (in-person).

January 29- Community Schools Steering Committee

February 7- MTA Member Engagement: Love Yourself Yoga