

Mrs. Sharenko's AR GUIDELINES

1. 8th graders must report on 300 pages each quarter. Pages in a book count as “reported” when you pass an AR test at 70% for 10-point tests or 65% for 20-point tests. *I may count a 60% at 60% pages for you. Ask.*

Q1: Due by 4 PM on Wednesday, October 25

Q2: Due by 4 PM on Tuesday, January 9

Q3: Due by 4 PM on Monday, March 12

Q4: Due by 4 PM on Tuesday, May 15

2. You can easily check whether a title is AR on this website:

www.arbookfind.com

3. Classroom novels do not count.
4. Please bring an AR book to English class *every day*, even if you've already met the requirement. When I think of it, I do periodic pop checks. Being caught without an AR book counts as -10 pages for the quarter.
5. You can take AR tests in the Resource Center before or after school. Tuck your purple slip into your book & turn both in to my inbox. Your book will be returned to your classroom mailbox with a receipt.
6. One non-AR report will be accepted per year. More than one may be accepted with good reason and my permission. Turn the non-AR book in to my basket when you are done reading it so I can review it and write questions for you to answer in paragraph form.
7. An AR test is required every quarter, even if you have 300 carryover pages. I want you to keep growing as a reader!
8. If you struggle with passing AR tests, have your parent contact me ASAP so we can make a plan together.
9. Giving an informal book talk to the class is worth 25 free pages (depending on the quality of the talk). You can do this once per quarter.
10. Pizza Ranch is donating free buffet certificates to readers who report on 500 *new* pages each quarter.