

**St. James School Read-A-Thon
“Read to Achieve”**

Dear Parents,

The “Read to Achieve” program takes place over the course of four weeks. The program began with a kick off assembly at St. James School, featuring Steal, the Springfield Armor mascot. The assembly excited students about the program and provided basic background information to all who want to participate.

Students are asked to read for 20 minutes 5 days per week. At the conclusion of each week, students who meet or exceed their reading goals will be given a prize, courtesy of Armor corporate sponsors. The grand prize for students who complete the program is a FREE ticket to the Springfield Armor basketball game on Friday, March 21st, at 7:00 PM in Springfield, MA.

The Armor is an NBA D-League team. Parents and family members will be able to purchase tickets for \$6.00 per person. At the game, students will take part in a parade on the court prior to tip-off.

Let’s Go, Team St. James!



Let’s Read to Achieve!