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Dear Parent:

You are invited to attend a fun and exciting reading program that will begin this fall at the Norman Mayer Library. The program, called **PRIME TIME FAMILY READING TIME®**, is designed to help families help their children improve their reading skills by involving the whole family in making reading fun.

People who like to read do so often, and people who read often become great readers! **PRIME TIME** shows families how reading together and openly discussing books can help children *want to read* more often and become better readers as a result. **PRIME TIME** doesn't just help to improve reading skills; it also has been proven to positively impact student achievement by enhancing critical thinking and reasoning abilities; skills that are important for test-taking.

PRIME TIME is a unique program that includes storytelling, reading, and discussion for parents and children aged 6 to 10. The programs are *free* and include a nutritious meal, door prizes, and gift books. Fun story times that encourage early reading skills for 3-5 year old siblings are also offered.

Families who want to participate **must preregister** and may do so by calling Elizabeth at the Norman Mayer Library, 504-596-3100. **PRIME TIME** will be held Tuesdays, at 6:00pm, October 3 through November 14 at the Norman Mayer Library at 3001 Gentilly Blvd in New Orleans. Space is limited so call soon to reserve your spot.

Join us for **PRIME TIME FAMILY READING TIME®**, six free days of stories, food, and fun!

Sincerely,
Elizabeth

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