





## Media Center Hours 8am – 2pm





## **Sebastian Media Center Information**

## **Policies and Procedures**

- -Students may checkout up to 3 books at a time.
- -Books are due 2 weeks from the checkout date
- -Students visiting the Media Center independently must have a planner signed by a teacher.
- -Lost or damaged books must be replaced at the cost of the student.
- -Misuse of library materials or misconduct in the Media Center may result in loss of media center privileges.
- -Parents must sign an Acceptable Use form before students may use computers or devices that are connected to the internet.

## **Sunshine State Young Reader's Award**

The Sunshine State Young Reader's Award Program is a statewide reading motivation program for students in grades 3-8. The program, cosponsored by the School Library Media Services Office of the Department of Education and the Florida Association for Media in Education (FAME), began in 1983. The purpose of the SSYRA Program is to encourage students to read independently for personal satisfaction, based on interest rather than reading level.

Sunshine State books are selected for their wide appeal, literary value, varied genres, curriculum connections, and/or multicultural representation. Students are encouraged to read books that are above, on, and below their tested reading level in order to improve their reading fluency.

"The man who does not read has no advantage over the man who cannot read."