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## Step Into a Good Book at Elmhurst Public Library

ELMHURST, IL — Kick off those big snow boots and *Step Into a Good Book* during the Kids' Winter Reading Program at Elmhurst Public Library.

Keep toes toasty and warm while reading fun books and earning prizes! When kids from age two through grade eight join the Winter Reading Program, they'll receive a bookmark and a booklog to record the titles of the books they read.

For two-year-olds through kindergartners, the reading goal is to listen to forty books. First and second graders are given the fun challenge of reading ten books, and third through eighth graders have the goal of reading five books.

Everyone who reaches their reading goal by February 28 will receive stickers for their booklog, prizes, and a raffle ticket for the chance to win a fantastic raffle prize. Participants' names will also appear on the "That's Shoetastic!" bulletin board in the Kids' Library.

Kids can register for the *Step into a Good Book* program with their Elmhurst Public Library card anytime from Monday, December 20, 2010 until February 28, 2011.

The Elmhurst Public Library strives to enrich life in Elmhurst by providing opportunities to explore, learn and grow. EPL offers the support and resources for Elmhurst residents to develop a love of reading; access information for work and learning; pursue interests that will enrich their lives; understand changes in technology, society and culture; and gather and interact with each other. Elmhurst Public Library is a place for discovery at the heart of the community.