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Patrick Mahomes to Headline Reading Rally on March 31

Kansas City, MO, March 18, 2025— Kansas City Chiefs quarterback and Super Bowl MVP Patrick Mahomes is set to inspire thousands of young readers at the [Read for 15](#) Reading Rally, hosted in partnership with 15 and the Mahomies Foundation, [Lead to Read KC](#) and rally sponsor [Kiewit Corporation](#). The highly anticipated event will take place on March 31, from 10 to 11 a.m. at the T-Mobile Center, bringing together approximately 3,000 students from across the Kansas City metro.

The Reading Rally is all about cheering on the students who have been crushing their 15-minute-a-day reading goals. More than just creating a rewarding routine, it's also about seeing the connection between reading and how Mahomes encourages everyone to pursue their dreams. With enough energy to fill the arena, this annual event always creates unforgettable memories.

"Reading is the foundation for success in school and in life," says Patrick Mahomes. "We can inspire kids to develop a daily habit that can be fun and empowering."

Kansas City Public Schools and local charter schools are:

Academy for Integrated Arts	Frontier Innovation Charter
Academy Lafayette/Cherry Street	Garfield Elementary
Banneker Elementary	Genesis School
Boone Elementary	George Washington Carver Dual Language School
Brookside Charter School	Gordon Parks Elementary
Center Elementary	Indian Creek Elementary
Citizens of the World	James Elementary
Crossroads Academy - Central Street	Trailwoods Elementary
Crossroads Academy - Quality Hill	Wendell Phillips Elementary
Faxon Elementary	Phyllis Wheatley Elementary
	Pitcher Elementary

This is the fifth year that the 15 and the Mahomies Foundation and Lead to Read KC have partnered on the Read for 15 initiative. More than 20,000 students have taken the challenge so far.

About [The 15 and the Mahomies Foundation](#):

15 and the Mahomies is dedicated to improving the lives of children. The Foundation supports initiatives that focus on health, wellness, communities in need of resources and other charitable causes. It was established by NFL MVP, Kansas City Chiefs QB Patrick Mahomes in 2019.

About [Lead to Read KC](#)

Lead to Read KC is a children's literacy nonprofit dedicated to transforming Kansas City into a community where all students thrive academically and personally through unparalleled access to reading resources, mentorship and support.

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