

Mystery Reader

Thank you for volunteering to be a mystery reader! Please write down five clues that I can give to the children before you arrive. The first clue should be very vague and each clue after that should make it increasingly easier for the children to figure out who you are. For example, these are clues a former parent gave:

1. I am not a mother.
2. I don't like to go shopping.
3. I am a girl scout and a boy scout.
4. People pay me to argue for them.
5. My beard is getting grizzled.

Your name _____
clue #1 _____
clue #2 _____
clue #3 _____
clue #4 _____
clue #5 _____

What time of the day is best for you? _____
(11:25 on Monday, Tuesday, or Friday is good for us - but if that doesn't work for you we can schedule your visit for another time.)

What day of the week is best for you? _____

I would prefer you to bring a children's book of your choice to read. Suggestions: Bring a favorite book from your childhood. Also, it would be wonderful if you can talk about how you use reading as an adult - at work, for pleasure, etc. Bring examples of things you have to read for work if possible.

**PLEASE DO NOT TELL YOUR CHILD YOU ARE
GOING TO BE THE MYSTERY READER.**

It takes away the opportunity for them to use their logical reasoning skills - and ruins the fun for everyone!