

# READ ACROSS AMERICA

words and music by  
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Medium Rock

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. It consists of nine staves of music, each with a measure number (5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19) at the beginning. The lyrics are written below the notes, with some words connected by hyphens and some lines ending in a blank line. Chord symbols are placed above the notes: Amin7, C/D, D, G, D/G, C/G, D/G, G, Bmin7, C, G/B, Amin7, G/B, C, C/D, D, G, Bmin7, C, G/B, Amin7, G/B, C, C/D, D.

5  
Look a - cross \_\_\_\_\_ A - mer - i - ca \_\_\_\_\_ We're so

7  
proud of our \_\_\_\_\_ whole school \_\_\_\_\_ We're read - ing

9  
books a - cross \_\_\_\_\_ A - mer - i - ca \_\_\_\_\_ You know

11  
read - ing's real - ly cool \_\_\_\_\_

13  
E - very book \_\_\_\_\_ un - folds a world \_\_\_\_\_ that - 'll

15  
take you far \_\_\_\_\_ a - way \_\_\_\_\_ Come join us

17  
young and old \_\_\_\_\_ boys \_\_\_\_\_ and girls \_\_\_\_\_ ex - er -

19  
cise your mind \_\_\_\_\_ to - day \_\_\_\_\_

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21 C G/B  
Your i - mag - i - na - tion \_\_\_\_\_ is

23 A<sup>min</sup>7 C/D G  
some - thing you should feed \_\_\_\_\_ For

25 C G/B  
grow - ing in - spi - ra - tion \_\_\_\_\_ Let

27 A<sup>min</sup>7 G/B C C/D G D/G C/G D/G  
read - ing be your seed \_\_\_\_\_

31 G D/G C/G D/G  
Read a - cross \_\_\_\_\_ A - mer - i - ca \_\_\_\_\_ from

33 G D/G C/G  
sea to shin - ing sea \_\_\_\_\_

35 G D/G C/G D/G  
Read a - cross \_\_\_\_\_ A - mer - i - ca \_\_\_\_\_

37 *Amin<sup>7</sup>* *C/D* *D* *G* *D/G* *C/G* *D/G*  
 Will build a bet - ter you and me\_\_\_\_\_

41 *G* *D/G* *C/G* *D/G*  
 Read a - cross\_\_\_\_\_ A - mer - i - ca\_\_\_\_\_ from

43 *G* *D/G* *C/G*  
 sea to shin - ing sea\_\_\_\_\_

45 *G* *D/G* *C/G* *D/G*  
 Read a - cross\_\_\_\_\_ A - mer - i - ca\_\_\_\_\_

47 *Amin<sup>7</sup>* *C/D* *B<sup>7</sup>/D<sup>#</sup>*  
 Will build a bet - ter you and

49 *Emin* *Emin/D<sup>#</sup>* *Emin/D* *Emin/C<sup>#</sup>* *Amin<sup>7</sup>*  
 me\_\_\_\_\_ Will build a bet - ter

52 *C/D* *D* *G*  
 you and me!