

BROWN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY · SUMMER READING 2024

Lils: ages 0-4

June 1 - July 20

Your Summer Reading kit includes everything you need to get excited for and ready to read all summer!

- 1. Your reading log
- 2. Your Summer Reading bingo card
- 3. Your first prize from Chocolate Moose just for registering!
- 4. A **bookmark** to get you warmed up for all the reading you'll do this summer.

Log the minutes you read to earn prizes. If you **spend about 20 minutes nearly every day this summer**, you'll be right on track to **reach 70 minutes!**

Your **bingo card** adds fun to the summer and once you've completed it, you'll receive another Grand Prize Raffle Ticket. Don't forget about library programs all summer too! Visit <u>www.browncountylibrary.info/events</u> to sign up.

There are only 3 rules for summer reading:

- 1. Your logged reading time must happen between June 1 and July 20.
- 2. You can have more fun along the way by picking up take-home activities from the library (while you get your books for the week).
- Summer Reading is all about having fun!! Read any way you want magazines, graphic novels, audiobooks and print books all count. So does having books read aloud to you or reading aloud to someone else (including your pet!)

LOG your Reading/Early Literacy Skills on your paper tracker

You can log any of these **5 early literacy skills** - reading, writing, singing, talking, and playing.

The national early literacy initiative Every Child Ready to Read recommends 5 everyday moments with your child - reading, writing, singing, talking, and playing. Five a day will get your child on the way to reading success!

- **Read** Reading with your child is the single most important activity to help children get ready to read. Reading aloud and having fun will turn reading into an activity your child wants to do.
- Write Writing helps children learn about letters and words. It begins with practicing fine and gross motor skills. You can write with any materials crayons, blocks, and even your toes in the sand.
- **Sing** Singing slows down language so children can hear the smaller sounds in words. Many songs introduce new words to children, as well as concepts such as opposites.
- **Talk** Talking with your child in conversation builds their speaking vocabulary. Talking freely teaches children how to tell stories and helps them understand what they read.
- **Play** Playing helps develop language through telling stories. As children turn their thoughts into words, they strengthen their language skills and keep the fun going.

PRIZES along the way:

- **Reading Prizes** can be picked up in the library from the Prize treasure chest.
- Free Book keep up the good work! Come into the library at any time to receive a book of your choice. We hope this book (and many more) will keep you reading all the way up to 700 minutes!
- **Grand Prize raffle ticket** you will have the opportunity to enter your ticket(s) into a drawing for the prize you like best. There are a variety of grand prizes such as local store gift cards & gift baskets, young artist basket, Holiday World tickets, and more!

COMPLETE SUMMER READING

You've done it! Celebrate your Summer Reading success at our **Summer Reading party on July 20th.** The party will begin at 1pm and end at 3pm. Stop by whenever you can. We promise there will be ice cream, glow in the dark games & dancing and a FOAM PARTY!

TRACK YOUR READING ADVENTURE AND EARN FUN PRIZES!

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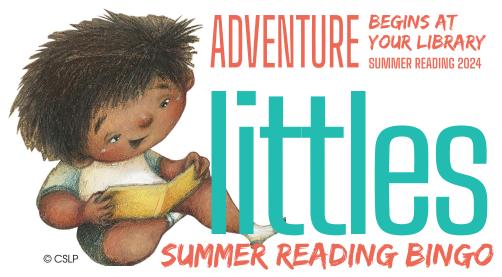
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read an adventure book get a list at the front desk	travel near or far	play with a friend
attend a library program	recite a nursery rhyme sign up for TALK texts for rhymes and tips at texttolearn.com	dance to fun music
check out a book	read a bedtime story with silly voices	ask a librarian about 1000 Before Kindergarten

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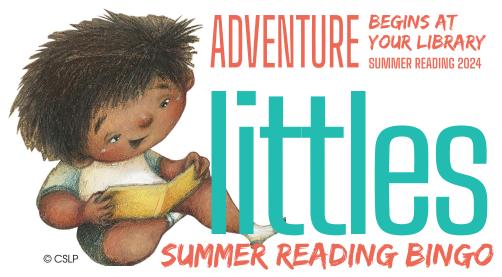
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