



Library!

BOISE PUBLIC LIBRARY

SUMMER READING PROGRAM

FAQs

Do I need a library card to sign up for Summer Reading?

No! Anyone can participate in Boise Public Library's Summer Reading Program. We do, however, ask that you only participate in one program.

Why are you asking what school my child attends?

In an effort to track how successful our school outreach efforts are, we are beginning to track what school participants attend.

How much do I need to read?

There is no set amount to read—a chapter, a whole book, or reading to someone else—it all counts! We just want reading to become a fun, daily habit!

Do I have to use Beanstack to participate in Summer Reading?

No. You are welcome to track your reading using a paper tracker. However, when you come to claim your prizes, Boise Public Library staff will create a profile for you in Beanstack in order to maintain accurate statistics.

Can my toddler participate?

Absolutely! Summer Reading is for all ages, babies to adults.

I'm going on vacation. Do audiobooks count as reading?

Of course! E-Books, audiobooks, e-audio books, comic books, books without words, books without pictures, short books, long books ... all books count in Summer Reading.

What if I can't pick up my prizes before July 31st?

No problem! The last day to pick up prizes is Tuesday, August 12.

I have a question that isn't answered here.

We're here to help! Send us an email at askalibrarian@cityofboise.org, or call or visit one of our locations.