

Summer Reading 2017



Which Summer Reading program is right for you?

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Summer Reading begins June 19th.

Join the **Armonk** library on June 22nd for our kick-off program: Outragehiss Pets at 3:00 p.m. in Whippoorwill Hall or June 24th at 11 a.m. at the **North White Plains** Library.

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Little Builders (Ages 1 to 4)



The Little Builders Summer Reading program is for children 1 to 4 years old. This program is designed for parents who prefer a less structured summer reading program. Once you have signed your child up, they will have a mural in the reading room. Each week when they complete a Learning Moment (read a book or attend a program) it will be reflected on their mural. Learning Moments can be logged online or in the library. You can see your child's progress on Beanstack. Prizes are given out every two weeks throughout the summer as you log their Learning Moments. If you use Beanstack, it will notify you each time that your child is ready to receive a prize.

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Builders (Prek to 5th Grade)



This is a structured program that requires tracking minutes of reading throughout the summer. You can start recording your reading June 19th. Participants have until September 10th to record their minutes. Each time a minutes' goal is reached you will receive a prize.

100 minutes = prize 1

300 minutes = prize 2

500 minutes = prize 3

700 minutes = prize 4

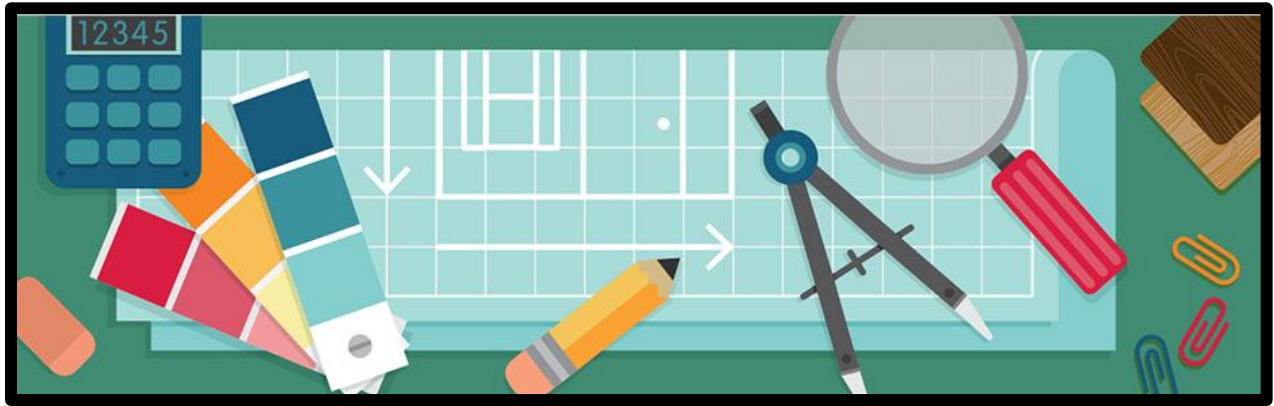
Each participant will have their own Beanstack account to track their reading. Minutes can be recorded online or with assistance at the library. You have until the end of the first week of school to collect all four prizes. As you reach each goal you will be notified through Beanstack that you are ready to redeem a prize. See instructions for using Beanstack and we are always happy to help you in the library.

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Teens (6th to 12th Grade)



You can start recording your reading June 19th. Participants have until September 10th to record their books. This summer you will record your reading in minutes and receive prizes for reaching each goal:

300 minutes = prize 1

500 minutes = prize 2

700 minutes = prize 3

Each participant will have their own Beanstack account to track their reading. Minutes can be recorded online. You have until the end of the first week of school to collect your prizes. As you reach each goal you will be notified through Beanstack that you are ready to redeem a prize. See instructions for using Beanstack and we are always happy to help you in the library.

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What is Beanstack?



Beanstack is an interactive online tool to help you keep track of your summer reading progress and stay up-to-date on prizes and events. To access your online account, click the following link and use the account username and password assigned to you upon registering for the

Summer Reading program:

<https://northcastlelibrary.beanstack.org/reader365>

Family Account:

1. Family accounts are managed by a parent. There is one username and password and each child is added to the account.
2. To log minutes, login using parent's access information, then select the child you are recording minutes for.

Individual Account:

1. Individual accounts are designed for older children that want to manage their own account. They are assigned their own username and password.

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