


Read Beyond The Beaten Path



My reading goal for each  is:

(See other side for suggested goals.)

Baby Through Preschool Reading Record



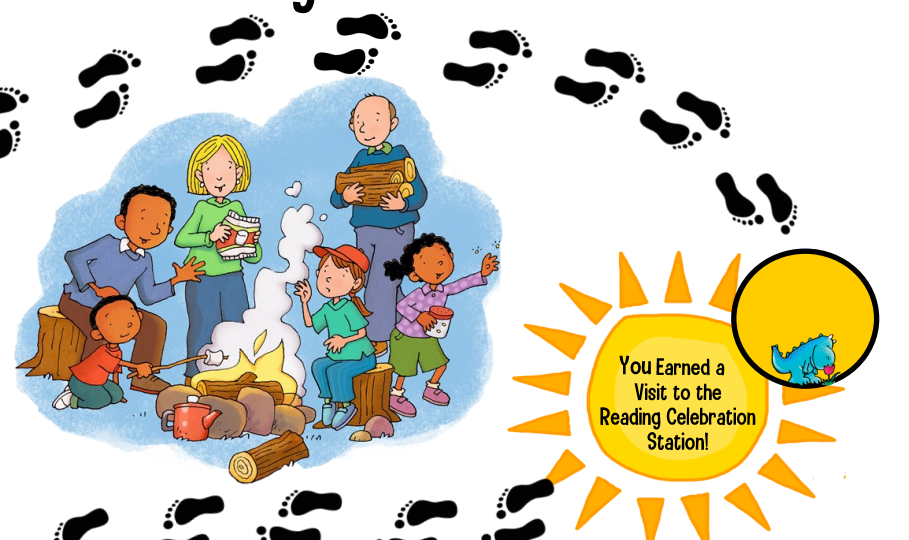
Follow the footprints to create your summer trail!



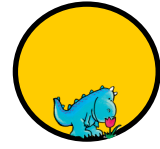
Mark off a set of footprints each time you meet your reading goal. Complete five activities from the list on the other side, and write the activity number in a circle with a dragon.



Congratulations! Turn in this Reading Record and visit the Reading Celebration Station to collect your book and Ice Cream Party ticket!



You Earned a Visit to the Reading Celebration Station!



How Do I Participate?

- 1) Register on our website lacrossecountylibrary.org or at any of our five locations.
- 2) Set your reading goals. See below for examples, but feel free to be creative and do what works for you!
- 3) Read and enjoy visits to the Reading Celebration Station, where you'll find reading rewards based on where you are on the trail.

Watch our website and social media sites for up-to-date information on programs.

Reading Goal Examples

The key is to encourage library usage and reading throughout the whole summer, not to complete the Reading Trail in one week — or not be able to finish at all.



by Time?

- Be read to ____ minutes a day.
- Read for ____ minutes a day.
- Read ____ minutes to my grown-up and they will read ____ minutes to me.
- Read ____ minutes this summer. (Divide by 55, the number of footprint sets, to determine a daily minute goal.)



by Book?

- Be read ____ picture books a day.
- Read ____ chapters a day.
- Read a different type of book for every section of prints along the trail as you go. (mystery, sci fi, historical fiction, nonfiction, etc.)
- Read ____ pages a night.

OR - Come up with your own!



Activity* List:

Complete five activities* from the list below. Write the number of each completed activity in one of the dragon circles on the other side of this Reading Record. **They can be completed in any order.**

1. Play with your child and some stuffed animals. Pretend to be various animals, and ask your child to guess who you are by the sounds you make. Or play peek-a-boo with stuffed animals!
2. Enjoy a CD and Book or a Listen and Read (Vox) book, or listen to a book on Hoopla or Overdrive, our digital library apps.
3. Put together an animal puzzle. It can even be a picture cut into a few pieces.
4. Go on an outdoor alphabet hunt.
5. Attend a library event!
6. Explore a new park or trail!
7. Put on a play with animal puppets.
8. Read in a fun place like under a tree or in a tent with a flashlight.
9. Read a magazine such as *Babybug*.
10. Complete a Creation Station project, available at all of our five locations.
11. Sing songs together about animals, such as "The Itsy-Bitsy Spider," or make up your own song.
12. Check out a Family Fun Bag, available for check out at any of our five locations.

*You can share your activities with us by sending a picture to libraryyouthservices@lacrossecounty.org
We may choose some pictures to post on social media.

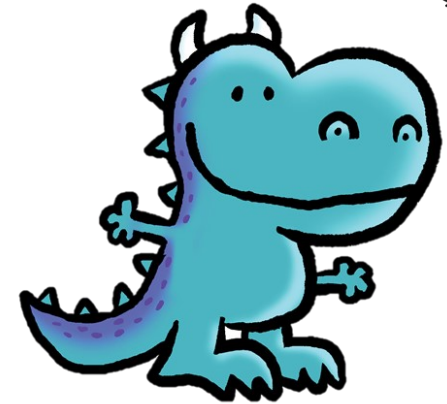
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Summer Library Program 2022

Monday, June 6 – Saturday July 30

Complete and turn in by July 30 to enjoy your Reading Celebration Station visits (Ice Cream Party ticket, book of your choice, and more!)

First and Last Name

Phone Number or Email address