

TIPS FOR ENCOURAGING READING:

- Summer reading should be fun, not a chore!
- Let kids choose their own books to read.
- Don't worry about reading levels for leisure reading; reading below level increases fluency & builds confidence!
- Audiobooks & graphic novels are real books!
- Consider non-fiction & biographies, many readers prefer informational books over fiction.
- Illustrated books are for everyone!
- Encourage young readers to explore other genres, but don't force it or be dismissive of their preferred genre or format.
- Read together as well as giving them time to read or look at books alone.
- Provide quiet time & a cozy spot for reading.
- Set a good example! Let your kids see YOU reading, too!



ANDERSON PUBLIC LIBRARY SUMMER READING 2023



JUNE 3RD-
JULY 31ST

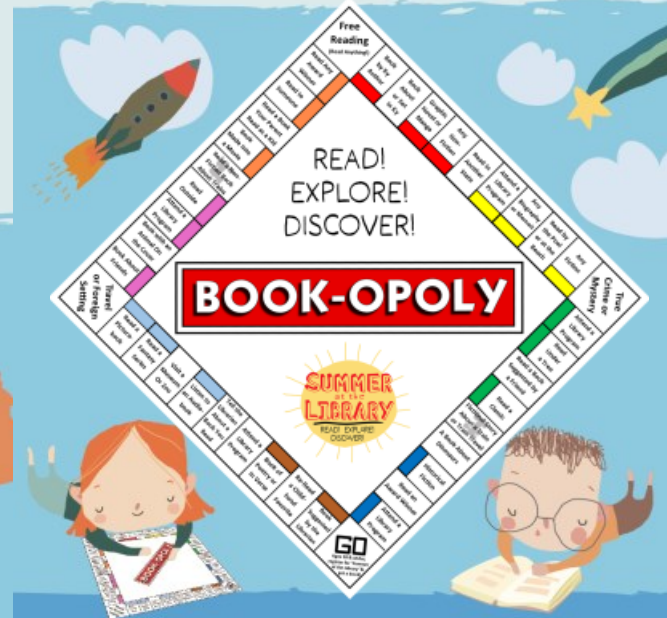
FOR THE
WHOLE
FAMILY!



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READING CHALLENGE

Summer at the Library has two parts: the programs & events, and the 'Book-opoly' reading challenge. The reading challenge starts June 3rd and runs through July 31st and is for all ages, including babies & adults!



'Book-opoly' is a fun way to encourage leisure reading, exploring new genres & authors, and attending library programs. Color in squares as you complete each activity, then turn it in at the end of the summer with at least 10 squares completed for a chance to win a \$25 gift card or prize. Children & teens also earn books for registering and upon completion. (All prizes must be claimed in person.)

All reading counts: print books, e-books, audiobooks, graphic novels, magazines, etc., whether they are from the library or not. For kids who are not yet reading independently, count being read to, listening to audiobooks, or looking at picture books. (There is a separate 'Book-opoly' board for ages 5 and under.)

KICK-OFF PARTY!

Saturday, June 3rd, 10:30a-12:30p

- * Petting Zoo
- * Face-Painting
- * Games
- * Crafts
- * Register for summer reading
- * Food truck(s)
- * And More!

WEEKLY PROGRAMS*

Family Events/Programs - Wednesdays at 10:30am*. Guest performers/presenters -or- family activities by library staff. For all ages. (*Note exceptions on July 19th & 28th).

Toddler Storytime - Stories, songs, & activities for ages 1-3, every Tuesday at 10:30am.

Preschool Storytime - Stories, songs, & activities for ages 3-5, every Friday at 10:30am.

Elementary Explorers - Ages 6-10, fun hands-on activities every Thursday at 10:30am.

Teen Writing Club - Every Thursday at 4:45pm, ages 11-18. Young writers meet to work on projects, develop skills, and share with peers (if they choose).

Teen Events - Programs for kids aged 11-18 each week, varied days & times; see calendar.

*For full details on all library events, scan the code or check the "Events" tab on our website at aplkentucky.org



SUMMER at the LIBRARY

READ! EXPLORE! DISCOVER!

JUNE 2023

■ FAMILY
 ■ TODDLER
 ■ PRESCHOOL
 ■ ELEMENTARY
 ■ TEEN/TWEEN

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
4	5	6 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15AM TEEN KICK-OFF PARTY 2-4PM POKÉMON CLUB 4-5 PM	7 DAIRY DAY 10:30AM	8 ELEMENTARY EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN TIE-DYE* MS 1-2, HS 3-4 TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45 PM	9 PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 10:30-11:30AM	10
11	12	13 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15 AM TEEN MAGIC THE GATHERING 4-6 PM	14 WHIZ BANG SCIENCE 10:30AM	15 ELEMEN EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45PM	16 PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 10:30-11:15AM	17
18	19	20 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15 AM TEEN FLIP-BOOK ANIMATION 2-3PM	21 TOUCH-A-TRUCK 10:30-12:30	22 ELEMEN EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45PM	23 PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 10:30-11:30AM	24
25	26	27 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15 AM TEEN D&D 4-6 PM	28 TEMBER'S TALES 10:30AM	29 ELEMEN EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45PM	30 PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 10:30-11:30AM	1

*Registration Required

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JULY 2023



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3	4 LIBRARY CLOSED	5 FAMILY LEGO DAY 2:00-3:00 PM	6	7 FAMILY STORYTIME 10:30-11:30AM	8
9	10	11 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15 AM TEEN MAGIC 4-6 PM	12 FAMILY CRAFT DAY 10:30-11:30AM	13 ELEMEN EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45PM	14 PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 10:30-11:30AM	15
16	17	18 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15AM TEEN GUIDED PAINTING 2-3 PM	19 Fossil FREDDY'S DINO SHOW 1:00PM	20 ELEMEN EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45PM	21 PRESCHOOL STORYTIME 10:30-11:30AM	22
23	24 SHARK WEEK	25 TODDLER STORYTIME 10:30-11:15AM TEEN D&D 4-6 PM	26 FAMILY PROGRAM TBD 10:30-11:30AM	27 ELEMEN EXPLORERS 10:30-11:30AM TEEN WRITING CLUB 4:45PM	28 SHARK TANK* 10:30AM *TICKETS REQUIRED	29
30	31				Scan the QR code at right for details on all events	