

## Summer Reading Challenge: A how-to guide for parents

### Kids and teens:

#### Step 1: Register online at [roundrocktexas.gov/summerreading](http://roundrocktexas.gov/summerreading)

Everyone needs a brand-new account. Setting up a family account allows families to update several readers at the same time.

#### Step 2: Read (or listen to a reader)

Children (ages 0 - 11) can count either minutes or books-- please choose the option that earns them the most points for the kind of books they read. It's okay to switch back and forth all summer.

Teens ages (12 - 18) count minutes.

#### Step 3: Record

Log the time spent reading or listening from June 5– August 5. You can track your reading on paper at home, but you'll need to update the online log to earn prizes. We only need to know the total number of points you've earned, no matter what day you earned it, so please update your online log in the way that is easiest for you.

**Need help?** Visit the Summer Reading Table in the Library's Gallery.

#### Step 4: Reward

Beginning June 12, pick up prizes or raffle tickets for completing each 300-point level. The last day to pick up prizes is **Aug. 5**.

##### **Kids (ages 0 - 11) 1 minute = 1 point, or 1 book = 15 points**

Level 1 (300 points): Prize\* or a raffle ticket\*\*

Level 2 (600 points): Coupons plus either a prize\* or raffle ticket\*\*

Level 3 (900 points): Book

Levels 4 - 8 (up to 2400 points): Book Buck and a raffle ticket \*\*

*\*Baby-friendly prizes are available upon request.*

*\*\*We'll draw multiple kid raffle winners weekly, June 20 - Aug. 7*

##### **Teens (ages 12 - 18) 1 point = 1 minute**

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Level 2 (600 points): Coupons plus either a prize or raffle ticket\*\*\*

Level 3 (900 points): Book

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*\*\*\*The teen raffle drawing is Aug. 7*



### Toddlers and babies:

If you like the idea of prizes, but the kids' program is too much, try the Early Literacy challenges through our Babytime and Toddlerclasses.

**Need more information? Check out our FAQ online, visit the Summer Reading Table, or call our Children's Reference Desk at 512-218-3275.**