2022 JMRL Summer Reading Challenge

Challenge Activities

Log your Reading or Activities on jmrl.beanstack.org or use this paper.

June Activities
- Visit the library
- Attend a library program
- Read for 30 minutes
- Choose your own challenge
- Read in the morning
- Read with a pet or a plant
- Tell someone about JMRL's Summer Challenge

July Activities
- Visit the library
- Attend a library program
- Read for 30 minutes
- Choose your own challenge
- Read in the afternoon
- Read with a friend
- Tell someone about JMRL's Summer Challenge

August Activities
- Visit the library
- Attend a library program
- Read for 30 minutes
- Choose your own challenge
- Read in the evening
- Read with a family member

Oceans of Fun
- Learn about an ocean creature
- Read something oceanic
- Learn about fantastic ocean creatures
- Explore the deepest parts of the ocean
- Read a folktale from an island culture
- Visit a virtual aquarium

Read a...
- Mystery
- Graphic Novel
- Science Fiction or Fantasy
- Children's book
- Own Voices book
- Small book
- Adventure

Remember
- Read a book you enjoyed when you were younger
- Learn about the day you were born
- Learn about your neighborhood
- Sing or say a nursery rhyme
- Talk to an older relative or neighbor
- Read a classic
- Listen to an "oldie but goodie" song

Create
- Color
- Paint
- Write
- Make music
- Cook
- Make something of your choice
- Draw

Library User
- Try our Streaming services
- Download something from our eLibrary
- Use JMRL's What Do I Read Next?
- Explore what's available in our Special Collections
- Call our Dial-A-Story service at 434-443-2300
- Check out JMRL's blog
- Read a recommendation from our Find It! lists

Points Badges
- 10 Points
- 20 Points
- 30 Points

Challenge Prizes
Adult: a gift book for each badge
Teen: a gift book for each badge
Children: a fidget pop bubble for the 10 point badge; a gift book for the 20 and 30 point badge

*Grand Prizes*
Drawings at each location for
Adult: $50 gift card to Barnes & Noble
Teen: $50 gift card to Amazon
Children: $50 gift card to Barnes & Noble

Minutes Read
1 point per box

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Bonus activity: Visit JMRL's Bookmobile
The Bookmobile will be making special trips to many of the JMRL locations during the summer.
Check with your library to see if the Bookmobile is coming your way.