



Summer Reading Together Packet

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Grades: K-5

Learning is not just for the classroom! Use the following activities to add reading to your summer and have fun reaching your goals. Complete each step and earn your certificate! Learning Ally has lots of book selections to keep you reading.

Sign up for the [Summer Reading Together Program](#) to win prizes and share your success! Four students win each month and four win at the end of the summer for overall reading across June, July and August. Monthly prizes include a \$25.00 digital gift card! End of summer winners also receive a \$100 digital gift card. Top students who read the most pages or who have the most days spent reading 20 minutes or more will win!

You can use this packet to read all summer. Print extra copies of activity pages that you want to use for more than one book. Your family can help you use these activities to share on social media.

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Step 1: Pick a book

Summer is a great time to read!! Start by picking a book that looks good to you. It is a good idea to pick a couple of books in case you don't like the first one you try. Keep trying until you find one you like.

See the next page for some recommendations to get your started!

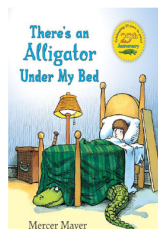
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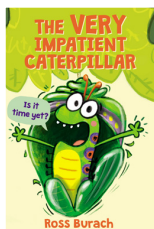
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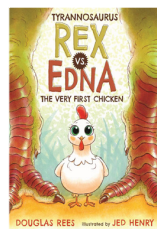
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JS116 There's an Alligator Under My Bed, *Mercer Mayer*



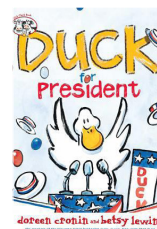
NC080 The Very Impatient Caterpillar: Am I a Butterfly Yet? *Ross Burach*



NB293 Tyrannosaurus Rex Vs. Edna, The Very First Chicken, *Douglas Rees*



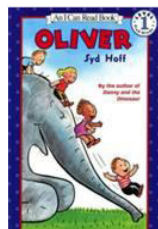
ND088 Can I Be Your Dog? *Troy Cummings*



HG075 Duck For President, *Doreen Cronin*



KX543 Strictly No Elephants, *Lisa Mantchev*



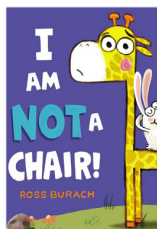
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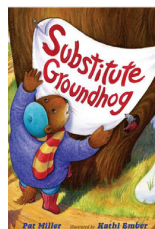
KX402 Prince Fly Guy, *Tedd Arnold*



KW024 Froggie Went A-Courtin', *Iza Trapani*



NB317 I Am Not A Chair!, *Ross Burach*



NC820 Substitute Groundhog, *Pat Miller*



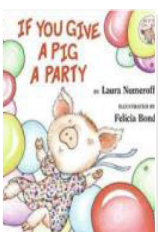
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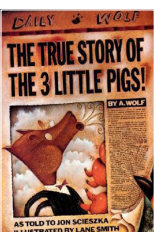
ND082 Dandy, *Arne Dyckman*



NB312 Be Quiet! *Ryan Higgins*



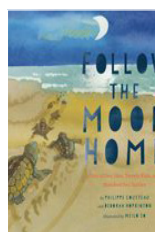
NA777 If You Give A Pig A Party, *Laura Joffe Numeroff*



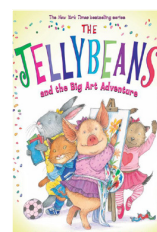
JN151 The True Story Of The 3 Little Pigs, *Jon Scieszka*



NC847 Truman, *Jean Reidy*

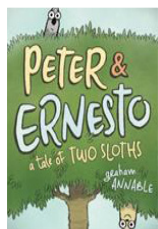


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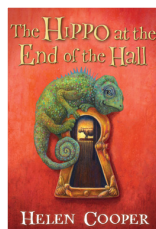
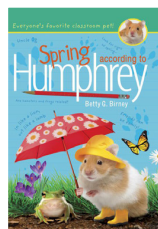


ND236 The Jellybeans And The Big Art Adventure, *Laura Joffe Numeroff*

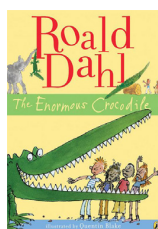
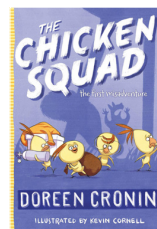
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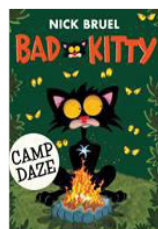
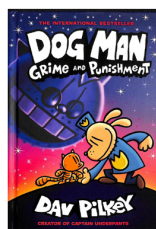
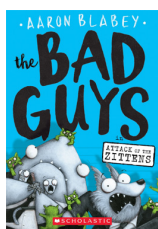
- NC709** Peter And Ernesto: A Tale Of Two Sloths, *Graham Annable*
- NB204** The Great Pet Escape, *Victoria Jamieson*
- NC073** Spring According to Humphrey, *Betty Birney*
- NC795** The Hippo At The End Of The Hall, *Helen Cooper*



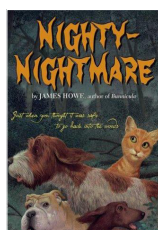
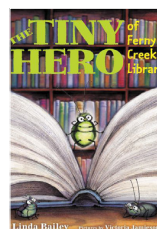
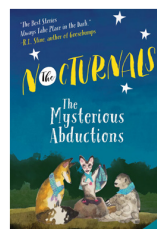
- JW643** Polar Bears And The Arctic, *Mary Pope Osbourne*
- NB313** Ugly Cat And Pablo, *Isabel Quintero*
- KT446** The Chicken Squad : The First Misadventure, *Doreen Cronin*



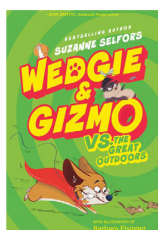
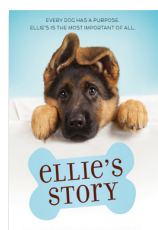
- NB742** The Enormous Crocodile, *Roald Dahl*
- NB972** The Bad Guys In Attack Of The Zittens, *Aaron Blabey*
- NC821** Zack And The Turkey Attack! *Phyllis Reynolds Naylor*
- ND514** Dog Man: Grime and Punishment, *Dav Pilkey*



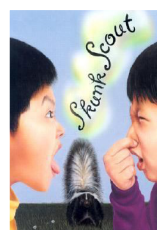
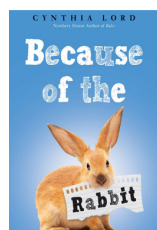
- NC390** Bad Kitty Camp Daze, *Nick Bruel*
- NC643** The Mysterious Abductions, *Kate Liebman*
- NC819** The Tiny Hero Of Ferny Creek Library, *Linda Bailey*



- KV296** Nighty-Nightmare, *James Howe*
- KX047** Ellie's Story, *W. Bruce Cameron*
- NC733** Stay, *Bobbie Pyron*
- KV268** Dash, *Kirby Larson*



- NB608** Wedgie And Gizmo And The Great Outdoors, *Suzanne Selfors*
- NC045** Because Of The Rabbit, *Cynthia Lord*
- NC062** Skunk Scout, *Laurence Yep*



Step 2: Set a goal

The best way to become a good reader is to plan to read as often as you can. You can start slow and then work your way up to more reading as you get stronger. You can aim for a certain number of minutes or pages each day. Think about the best days and times that you can read. Make sure you pick a comfy spot and have a snack!

You can update your goal every month:

Month 1 Goal:

I will read for _____ minutes or _____ pages on these days:

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday
(circle every day that you will read)

Month 2 Goal:

I will read for _____ minutes or _____ pages on these days:

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday
(circle every day that you will read)

Month 3 Goal:

I will read for _____ minutes or _____ pages on these days:

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday
(circle every day that you will read)

Step 3: Prepare

A good way to help you read well is to prepare before you read. Before you start your book, think about what you already know about the book, and what you want to know. After you finish the book you can write about what you learned. Use the KWL chart to prepare before you read. In the Know column, write or draw what you already KNOW about the book. In the next column write or draw what you WANT to know. When you are done with the book come back to this chart and write or draw what you LEARNED.

Name of Your Book: _____

Know	Want to Know	Learned

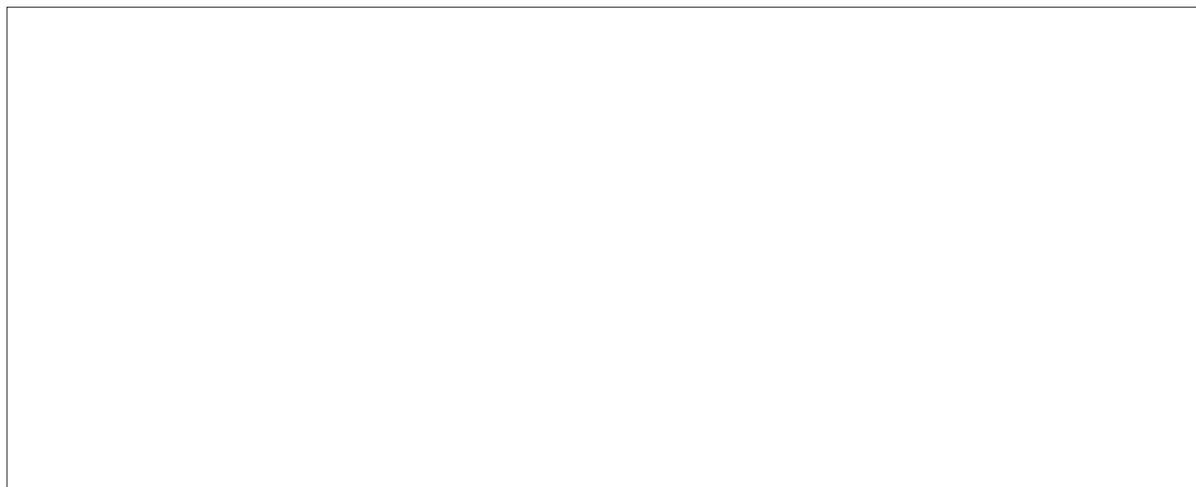
Step 4: Create

Use any of the following activities to help you learn while you read:

Read - Draw - Write

When you are done reading for the day, use this page to remember your favorite part! What happened? Draw all the details you can remember. Then write words to describe your picture:

Draw:



Write: _____

Vocabulary Four Square

Keep track of the new words you are learning by playing vocabulary four square. Write your new vocabulary word in the center. Enter the definition in the first square, draw a picture in the second square, write a synonym (another word that means the same thing) in the third square and write a sentence using the word in the fourth square.

Share on social media!

Share between three and six vocabulary words using #mysummervocab and tagging @Learning_Ally as well as #SRT21

Definition:	Picture:
Vocabulary Word:	
Synonym:	Sentence

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Vocabulary Word:	
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Draw a comic of your book:

Use the spaces below to draw a comic of the book that you read. Remember to draw at least one panel for the beginning, one for the middle and one for the end. Use more panels to include all the details you can remember.

Book Title: _____

Step 5: Track your progress

Use the calendar to check off every day that you read.
Use the pictures to show if your summer reading outlook is cloudy, partly sunny, or sunny!

Share on social media!

When you finish a book, create a video to recommend your summer reading book to other students using #mysummerbook and tag @Learning_Ally and #SRT21

Step 6: Celebrate!

When you reach your goals, celebrate your success by sharing this certificate of your success with family and friends. You can share your progress on social media using #SRT21



Certificate of Participation

Thank you for joining our community of readers and congratulations
on your commitment to improving your daily reading habits.

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Step 7: Keep Reading!!!

Learning Ally has even more activities and book recommendations.

Visit Learning Ally's Distance Learning site to find more activities.
<https://learningally.org/Solutions-for-School/Distance-Learning>

Check out these recommendations:

Good Reads: Elementary (K–2)

Biography



- NC358** *How Emily Saved The Bridge: The Story Of Emily Warren Roebling And The Building Of The Brooklyn Bridge*, Frieda Wishinsky
- NC060** *The Boy Who Became King: LeBron James, The Children's Book*, Anthony Curcio
- NC024** *A Computer Called Katherine: How Katherine Johnson Helped Put America On The Moon*, Suzanne Slade
- NB832** *Thirty Minutes Over Oregon: A Japanese Pilot's World War II Story*, Marc Tyler Nobleman
- NC027** *The Flying Girl : How Aida de Acosta Learned To Soar*, Margarita Engle
- NC747** *Six Dots: A Story Of Young Louis Braille*, Jen Bryant
- NC438** *Just Like Rube Goldberg*, Sarah Aronson
- NC722** *Pass Go And Collect \$200: The Real Story Of How Monopoly Was Invented*, Tanya Lee Stone

Animals



- NC381** *Sport: Ship Dog Of The Great Lakes*, Pamela Cameron
- NC468** *Raising A Hero*, Laura Numeroff
- NA455** *Follow The Moon Home: A Tale Of One Idea, Twenty Kids And A Hundred Sea Turtles*, Philippe Cousteau
- NC073** *Spring According To Humphrey*, Betty Birney
- NC436** *A Piglet Named Mercy*, Kate DiCamillo
- NB786** *Bruce's Big Move*, Ryan Higgins
- NC080** *The Very Impatient Caterpillar: Am I A Butterfly Yet?*, Ross Burach
- NB308** *Escargot*, Dashka Slater

Science



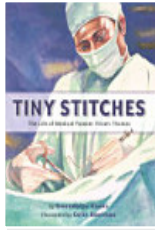
- NC465** *Do Tornadoes Really Twist? : Questions And Answers About Tornadoes And Hurricanes*, Melvin Berger
- NC700** *Earth! My First 4.54 Billion Years*, Stacy McAnulty
- NC808** *Dirt: The Scoop On Soil*, Natalie Rosinsky
- NC810** *How Do Wind And Water Change Earth?*, Paula Smith
- NC484** *Rain, Wind, Sun, And Snow*, Najla Ahmad
- NC389** *The Stellar Story Of Space Travel*, Patricia Lakin
- NC028** *The Brilliant Deep: Rebuilding The World's Coral Reefs*, Kate Messner
- NC023** *Totally Cool Caves And Hot Volcanoes : + 10 More Epic Landforms!*, Janice Behrens

Good Reads: Elementary (3–5)

Nonfiction



NC742 *Ruth Bader Ginsburg : The Case Of R. B. G. vs. Inequality*, Jonah Winter



NA654 *Tiny Stitches: The Life Of Medical Pioneer Vivien Thomas*, Gwendolyn Hooks



NC011 *A Green Place To Be: The Creation Of Central Park*, Cynthia Hand



NB996 *Escape From Alcatraz: The Mystery Of The Three Men Who Escaped From The Rock*, Eric Braun



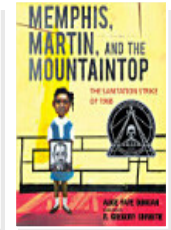
NC729 *Know Your Rights! : A Modern Kid's Guide To The American Constitution*, Laura Barcella



NC148 *What Is NASA?* Sarah Fabiny



NB825 *Out Of The Ice : How Climate Change Is Revealing The Past*, Claire Eamer



NC165 *Memphis, Martin, and the Mountaintop: The Sanitation Strike of 1968*, Alice Faye Duncan

Animals



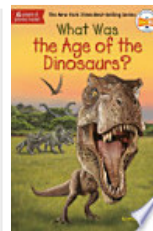
NC019 *Tiger In Trouble! : And More True Stories Of Amazing Animal Rescues*, Kelly Milner Halls



NC049 *Beauty And The Beak : How Science, Technology, And A 3D-Printed Beak Rescued A Bald Eagle*, Deborah Lee Rose



NB821 *Back from the Brink: Saving Animals From Extinction*, Nancy Castaldo



NA936 *What Was The Age Of The Dinosaurs?*, Megan Stine



KZ083 *Snowman: The True Story Of A Champion*, Catherine Hapka



NC496 *Animal Camouflage*, Vicky Franchino

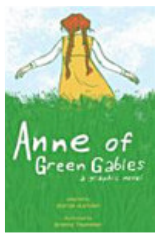


KV323 *Super Sniffers: Dog Detectives On The Job*, Dorothy Hinshaw Patent



NA574 *Bonded by Battle : The Powerful Friendships Of Military Dogs And Soldiers, From The Civil War To Operation Iraqi Freedom*, Nancy Roe Pimm

Graphic Novels



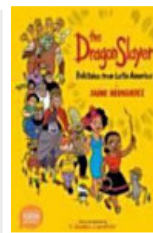
NC719 *Anne Of Green Gables: A Graphic Novel*, Mariah Marsden



NC382 *Dog Man: For Whom The Ball Rolls*, Dav Pilkey



NC709 *Peter and Ernesto: A Tale Of Two Sloths*, Graham Annable



NB730 *The Dragon Slayer: Folktales From Latin America: A TOON Graphic*, Jaime Hernandez



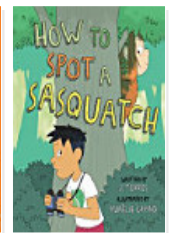
NB733 *The Cardboard Kingdom*, Chad Sell



NC424 *Best Friends*, Shannon Hale



NB970 *The Bad Guys In Mission Unpluckable*, Aaron Blabey



NC694 *How To Spot A Sasquatch*, J. Torres