Youth Reading & Activity Path

COLOR a stone every time you finish a book, read for at least 30 minutes, or listen to a book read aloud. Discover other fun activities to complete as you move along the path! Every time you reach an animal during your reading adventure, turn this paper over and choose a new activity to complete. When you’re done with that activity, color in the animal and continue on your journey.

BRING BACK your pathway either when you’re finished, or at the end of August, and earn a second entry into the Grand Prize Drawing. Youth (ages 0–18) also receive a FREE BOOK of their choice when they return their Bingo card.

ENTRIES must be received by August 31, 2024. Limit one additional entry per participant.

Deschutes Public Library

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Your age group: □ 0–5 □ 6–11 □ 12–17 □ 18+

NAME

PHONE

E-MAIL ADDRESS

Ages 0–11: Parent/Guardian/Teacher signature

STAFF INITIALS:
More fun challenges

Every time you reach an animal during your reading adventure, return here and choose a new activity to complete. When you're done with that activity, color in the animal on the other side of your log and continue on your journey. What great things will you learn this summer?

Early Learning Challenges
Youth 0–5 and Caregivers: These challenges are designed to help children learn the skills and concepts they need to be ready to read.

- Early Literacy Skills: reading, talking, playing, writing, and singing.
- Early Learning Concepts: colors, numbers, letters, shapes, and opposites/sizes.

Mark the square for every challenge you complete.

☐ Read a counting or number book.
☐ Go for a walk and point out the different shapes you see. Talk about what you saw.
  - Did you see any shapes that remind you of a letter in the alphabet?
  - How many sides does each shape have?
  - What shape did you see the most?
  - What else did you notice?
☐ Learn a finger rhyme about opposites. (Reach out to an Early Learning Librarian for suggestions!)
☐ Write a list of things you see that begin with the same letter as your first name. Say them out loud, and trace your finger over the letters. Scribbling is okay, it's where we start when learning to write!
☐ Learn a new song about colors, or make up your own.

Youth Challenges
Youth 6+ and Caregivers: These challenges are designed for youth ages 6 and older to support learning throughout the summer.

Mark the square for every challenge you complete.

☐ Learn to say something in a language you don't already know.
☐ Read a book set someplace you would like to visit — real or imagined!
☐ Write and illustrate a story about an endangered or extinct animal.
☐ Learn about a problem in the world that you'd like to help solve.
☐ Write a recipe for your favorite meal.

How many years have you participated in Summer with the Library? ______

This is my first time participating in Summer with the Library! ☐ CHECK BOX

What is something new you learned from participating in Summer with the Library this year?

What was the best book you read this summer and why?