## York Public Library Summer Challenge

Baby & Toddler Program (Birth - 2)



# June 26 - August 7, 2021

## Participating online is easy and fun!



- Step 1. Enroll in the Summer 2021 Challenge: Beanstack App or https://york.beanstack.org/
- **Step 2.** Pick up your free book to keep from the library!
- **Step 3.** Log your reading, do fun activities, write book reviews, earn virtual badges and raffle tickets for a chance to win one of the grand prizes.

Need help setting up your account? Ask a librarian!

phone: 207-363-2818 email: info@yorkpubliclibrary.org

## First Day Fun

Saturday, June 26: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

-Masks required inside-

### Hooray you've registered online!

- **Visit** the library to pick up your free book.
- **Get a ticket** for a Free Ice from the Kona Ice Truck to use during your visit.
- Enjoy some activities as a family.

## **Summer Challenge Prizes**

#### - Free Book -

Every baby or toddler who registers for the Summer Challenge will receive a free book!

#### - Grand Prizes-

Earn raffle tickets along the way for a chance to win one of the grand prizes.

Prizes can be picked up at the library, and can't be shipped.

**Not online? No problem!** To play offline, use the back of this sheet to track your reading. Offline book review worksheets are available at the Youth Services Circulation desk.

Every week or so, please check in with us--in person (hopefully), by phone, or by email so we can keep track and log your reading into Beanstack for you!

#### **Thank You!**

Our summer reading program would not be possible without the generous contributions from all of our community sponsors. Donations are still rolling in as of this publication. We wish to thank our friends at Kennebunk Savings Bank, York School Department, Kids Free to Grow, WIC, York County Community Action Corporation, Center for Wildlife, Kona Ice of the Seacoast, and Smitty's Cinema for their support.

Put a mark over each day that you read.
Earn **3 points** each day you read.
Earn **1 points** for each book review you submit.
Earn **1 point** for each activity you finish.

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## Activities



Sing a song to your baby or teach your toddler the words.

If your child is old enough to grasp a crayon let them scribble on some paper. These scribbles will turn into letters someday!

Color in a "dot" for the the library's summer community art project. Dots may be picked up at the library, and returned at any Circulation desk, or the Book Drop.



Read a book together outside.

Recite simple rhymes with your little one. Need some ideas? Visit our YouTube channel.

Register for the 1000 books before Kindergarten challenge on Beanstack



Explore outside. Watch the birds. What sound does a bird make?

Play a game together. Try Peek-aboo with baby or stack some blocks with your toddler and let them knock the tower down.

Put on some tunes! Dance and sing along to the music together.



Build a fort using materials in your house and read a book in your fort!

Laugh. Make silly faces at each other, see what noises you can make.

Play in some water. Make bubbles, splash, and have fun together.



Go for a walk as a family outside.

Read a book together as a family in a silly or interesting place.

Take a walk through the Children's Garden at the library and see what we have on display in our windows! Can't get the the library? Decorate your windows!