



Parlin-Ingersoll Public Library 2020 Summer Reading Program

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Registration

June 2020

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We take the safety of our patrons seriously. In order to maintain recommended social distancing precautions due to COVID-19, our activities will be done a little differently this year.

Registration for the Parlin-Ingersoll Public Library Summer Reading Program starts Tuesday, 5/26. Registration by e-mail (SummerReading@parliningersoll.org) or a private message through our Facebook page will be accepted first. In-person registration or by phone (309-647-0328) will also be accepted when the library is open to the public.

To register please send us your child's name, age, school, and grade recently completed. We will also need your phone number, street address, and email address. Publicity Release forms will only need to be signed before we ask to take any pictures. If you take any pictures and would like to share with us, please send them to SummerReading@parliningersoll.org.

*****If you feel your child needs an individualized reading goal chart, feel free to mention it when you register.**

The program is designed for children ages 2 through 8th grade, or homeschool equivalent. The six week program runs from June 8th-July 17th*. We will have "Take it, Make it" craft kits, take home activity kits for Pre-K through 2nd grade and 3rd through 8th grade, and an outside "Walk and Read" around the library. Everything will be available throughout the week. Miss Tiffany will be making how-to videos for the crafts, some fun weekly science experiment videos, and possibly some virtual book readings, which will be posted on our Facebook page and Youtube Channel. Please see the back for weekly details.

Reading Rules

1. Register through the library.
2. Children in grades K-8th read or listen to 120 minutes (2 hours) per week. Non-school aged children must have 10 books read to them a week.
3. Read books at your reading level.
4. Keep track of your minutes or books read each week.
5. Let the person at the Reading Log table know how much you read that week, then choose your prize from the Prize Wall.
6. If you read more than the weekly goal, you may enter your name in one of five prize boxes for a chance to win a larger prize!

Incentives

Readers who meet their weekly reading goal will earn a small prize each week! Children will also get a chance to win bigger prizes for participating in our Walk and Read, watching our science experiment videos, and sharing with us what they did with their activity packets and "Take it, Make it" craft kits. Please send an email with your child's name, a contact number, and they're favorite part of whatever they participated in to be entered into the bigger prize drawing. A list of the bigger prizes can be found on our website or on the last board of our "Walk and Read" story.

Many local businesses have donated to our program! Check out our sponsors on the 2020 SRP Donor Wall of Fame and on our Facebook and Instagram pages.

Please let these businesses know you appreciate their support!

*Dates are subject to change

Weekly Schedule*

(All weekly activities are available every day during that week)

Week 1 (June 8th-12th)

“Take it, Make it”: Pinwheels
Science Experiment: “What is Density?”
Walk and Read: “The Library” by Sarah Stewart
Take it Activity Set (For Pre-K to 2nd): What can you Grow?
Take it Activity Set (For Grades 3rd– 8th): STEM Basics



Week 2 (June 15th-19th)

“Take it, Make it”: Spinning Top
Science Experiment: Cleaning Pennies
Walk and Read: “There was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly” by Lucille Colandro
Take it Activity Set (For Pre-K to 2nd): Music Makers
Take it Activity Set (For Grades 3rd– 8th): An Adventure in Art



Week 3 (June 22nd-26th)

“Take it, Make it”: Dinosaur Puppets
Science Experiment: Color changing flowers and walking water
Walk and Read: “Pete the Cat and the Supercool Science Fair” by James Dean
Take it Activity Set (For Pre-K to 2nd): What’s up with Weather?
Take it Activity Set (For Grades 3rd– 8th): Food Explorer

Week 4 (June 29th– July 3rd)

“Take it, Make it”: Alien and its Spaceship
Science Experiment: Salt Crystals and Borax Crystals
Walk and Read: “The Tiny Seed” by Eric Carle
Take it Activity Set (For Pre-K to 2nd): Animals and their Habitats
Take it Activity Set (For Grades 3rd– 8th): Let’s Solve a Mystery

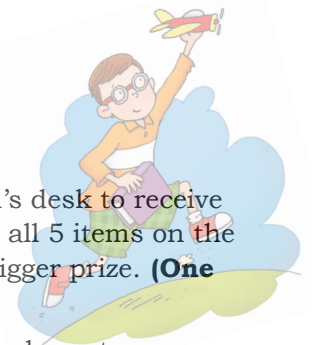
Week 5 (July 6th-10th)

“Take it, Make it”: Spin Drum
Science Experiment: Elephant Toothpaste
Walk and Read: “Crunch” by Cirocco Dunlap
Take it Activity Set (For Pre-K to 2nd): Space Explorers
Take it Activity Set (For Grades 3rd– 8th): Discovering Ancient Egypt



Week 6 (July 13th-17th)

“Take it, Make it”: Paper Spinners
Science Experiment: Does it Melt? An experiment with the sun.
Walk and Read: “Pete the Cat and the Treasure Map” by James Dean
Take it Activity Set (For Pre-K to 2nd): Dinosaurs
Take it Activity Set (For Grades 3rd– 8th): Exploring Music



All Day, Every Day Fun

The I SPY display case is designed just like the I Spy books! Come to the Children’s desk to receive your I Spy card (there are different varieties) and go search in the display case for all 5 items on the list. Once you find everything, turn it in to receive a ticket for a chance to win a bigger prize. **(One entry per child please.)**

Who’s That Book Character? is a fun way for children to discover (possible) new characters. Silhouettes of different literary characters will be listed on a take home sheet. Identify all of them and receive a ticket for a chance to win a bigger prize! **(One entry per child please.)**

Everyone can participate in the summer reading program! Read, fill out your logs, and receive prizes weekly, because READING is what the Summer Reading Program is really all about!

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