

Challenge Sheet



Younger readers: Try to read with a partner for 15 to 20 minutes daily, and choose a fun activity each day from the list below (repeat as often as you like!) throughout the month of June. When you've completed your sheet, return to the library for a cool activity prize bag, and make sure you add a sticker to our reading wall every time you visit this summer!

Please return this sheet to the library for your activity pack no later than August 12th!

| <u>READ</u> | <u>PLAY</u> | <u>SING</u> | <u>WRITE</u> | <u>TALK</u> |
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| Sign up for the summer reading program at the library! | Find an empty cardboard box and pretend that it's something else! | Visit a library storytime program and sing a song with the other kids! | Write the first letter of your name. Trace it with your finger and practice the sound it makes. | Cook a meal together. Talk through each step with your child. |
| Read an alphabet book and practice making the sounds for each letter. | Make an indoor fort with blankets and furniture. | Dance around the house while singing a silly song. | Visit the library and draw a picture on the table in the children's section! | Take a walk and talk about the things you see. |
| Visit the library and ask the librarian for a good book to read together. | Blow bubbles and count how many you can see at one time! | Sing the ABC song and clap with each letter. | Make play dough into letters of your name. Using play dough builds writing muscles! | Look at a photo or photo album and talk about who's in the picture and what they're doing. |
| Read a book together and ask questions about what will happen next. | Play peek-a-boo or hide-and-seek. | Check out a children's music CD from the library and learn a new song! | Let your child help you "write" your grocery list. | Make getting dressed into a game. Decide what comes first—pants or undies? |
| Read a silly book. | Visit the library and play with something fun in the children's area! | Sing "Baa, Baa Black Sheep" - and then sing it with red, blue, yellow, and green sheep! | Make the first letter of your name into an imaginary creature! | How many words can you think of that rhyme with "cat" or "fox"? |
| Read a story and count something in the story. | Visit the zoo (or pretend to!). What animals do you see and what sounds do they make? | Find things around the house to use as instruments (pots and pans work great!), and sing and play a song together. | Draw a rainbow together and name the colors. | Visit the library and tell a librarian something fun you did this week! |

Library Staff Initials & Date: _____

June - Ages 0-5



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