Summer Reading for Early Readers
(Birth - Pre-K)

Instructions:
Check off one box for every day you read. When you complete 20 days, earn a raffle entry. Want more raffle entries?
Complete the early literacy activity challenges below. For each completed challenge, earn an additional raffle entry.
For more information, visit princetonlibrary.org/summerreading. All storytimes, songs, and playlists are found at youtube.com/princetonpl. Return your completed log with name, age and email to kids@princetonlibrary.org or drop it off to the Youth Services department at the library by August 15 to be eligible to win!

BLUE
Complete 2 of 5
- READ: Read a colorful story. Need suggestions? Check out our Storytime At Home: Colors book list on our website.
- SING: Visit our Storytime Songs & Rhymes playlist and find a song that is new to you!
- PLAY: Build your own fort! Need some inspiration? Watch the storytime video featuring the book "The Little Red Fort" by Brenda Maier.
- WRITE: Draw or write a colorful picture and give it to someone who is feeling blue as an act of kindness.
- TALK: Talk to someone about your favorite color. Why is it your favorite?

GREEN
Complete 2 of 5
- READ: Have a stuffed animal storytime. Gather your favorite stuffed animals and 'read' one of your favorite books to them.
- SING: Sing along to a colorful song from our Storytime Songs & Rhymes: Colors playlist.
- PLAY: Make something out of play dough or colorful blocks.
- WRITE: Write or draw with sidewalk chalk.
- TALK: Making colorful art can be so much fun! We use crayons, markers, chalk, paint, and more to make art. Talk about the different supplies you use to make art. Which ones do you like the best? Are there any you don't like? Why?

PURPLE
Complete 2 of 5
- READ: Watch a video from our Storytime Shorts: Colors playlist on the PPL YouTube channel.
- SING: Sing along to the Handwashing Song video while washing your hands. Imagine you can see the germs. What color are they?
- PLAY: Have a color scavenger hunt around your house. Choose one or more colors and see how many items you can find that are those colors!
- WRITE: Listen to different types of music and draw what you are hearing. Did you draw different shapes and use different colors for slow music as compared to fast music? How about soft music or loud music? Show your drawings to a friend and see if they can guess what type of music you were listening to!
- TALK: Watch a sunrise or a sunset. Talk about what colors you see in the sky.

PINK
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